

# NOTICE OF MEETING

# CABINET MEMBER FOR RESOURCES

## THURSDAY, 22 AUGUST 2013 AT 9.00 AM

## THE EXECUTIVE MEETING ROOM - THIRD FLOOR, THE GUILDHALL

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#### CABINET MEMBER FOR RESOURCES

Councillor Hugh Mason (Liberal Democrat)

#### Group Spokespersons

Councillor David Horne, Labour Councillor Simon Bosher, Conservative

(NB This Agenda should be retained for future reference with the minutes of this meeting.)

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#### AGENDA

- 1 Apologies for Absence
- 2 Declaration of Members' Interests
- **3 Budget Consultation Process** (Pages 1 4)

The purpose of the report is to respond to a notice of motion to Full Council on 19 March 2013 which stated

"The council asks the officers to investigate what means there are to increase public involvement in the budget process and to report to cabinet with all the associated costs involved, including that of officer time." The report sets out a recommended approach on how best to increase public involvement in the budget process for 2014/15.

## 4 Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled for 3 October 2013.