

NOTICE OF MEETING

CABINET

FRIDAY, 10 AUGUST 2018 AT 4.30PM

THE EXECUTIVE MEETING ROOM - THIRD FLOOR, THE GUILDHALL

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Councillor Dave Ashmore Councillor Jeanette Smith
Councillor Ben Dowling Councillor Lynne Stagg
Councillor Suzy Horton Councillor Matthew Winnington

Councillor Darren Sanders Councillor Rob Wood

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AGENDA

- 1 Apologies for Absence
- 2 Declarations of Interests
- 3 Forward Plan Omission

The Victory Energy Supply Limited - Expert Review of Business Case report by the Director of Finance was omitted from the Forward Plan covering August 2018 published on 16 July 2018 The Chair of the City Council's Scrutiny Management Panel has been notified and a public notice published.

RECOMMENDED that

- (1) the omission to the Forward Plan for August 2018 be noted and
- (2) that publication of the omission notice be noted

Victory Energy Supply Limited - Expert Review of Business Case (Pages 3 - 60)

The report that was to follow was published on 6 August.

Purpose.

To consider the expert reviews and due diligence that has been provided on the Revised Business Case for Victory Energy Supply Limited and consider the options available to the Council.

Recommended that the Cabinet consider the options set out below, taking proper account of the potential risks and rewards, and determine which option should proceed:

Option 1 - To continue the Council's investment into Victory Energy Supply Limited under the current governance arrangements described in the Cabinet Report of the 29 July 2017.

Option 2 - Cease investment into Victory Energy Supply Limited.

Option 3 - Continue the investment into the company, exercising robust oversight and governance with funding for each year subject to the approval by PCC of the company's Business Plan for the forthcoming year.

Option 4 - Seek to enter into a "White Label" agreement with an existing fully licensed energy supplier.

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