

AGENDA

CABINET

MONDAY, 11 SEPTEMBER 2023

4.00 PM

**COUNCIL CHAMBER, FENLAND HALL,
COUNTY ROAD, MARCH**

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Although this is a public meeting, members of the public are encouraged to view the meeting via our YouTube channel:

- 1 To receive apologies for absence
- 2 Previous Minutes (Pages 3 - 6)

To confirm and sign the minutes of the meeting held 17 July 2023.
- 3 To report additional items for consideration which the Chairman deems urgent by virtue of the special circumstances to be now specified
- 4 To receive members' declaration of any interests under the Local Code of Conduct or any interest under the Code of Conduct on Planning Matters in respect of any item to be discussed at the meeting
- 5 Investment Board Update and Review of the Commercial and Investment Strategy (Pages 7 - 16)

To provide an update to Cabinet of the work of the Investment Board from March 2023 to August 2023.
- 6 Renewal of Public Spaces Protection Orders for Wisbech for a 3-year period (Pages

17 - 46)

To extend the Wisbech PSPO on the consumption of alcohol by a further 3 years.

7 Renewal of Agency Contract Arrangements (Pages 47 - 52)

To renew the contract arrangements for the provision of temporary agency workers 2024-25 via the procurement MSTAR4 framework.

8 Wisbech High Street Update (Pages 53 - 54)

To provide Cabinet with a monthly update regarding ongoing work related to 24 High Street, Wisbech.

9 Draft 6 Month Cabinet Forward Plan (Pages 55 - 56)

For information purposes.

10 Items which the Chairman has under item 3 deemed urgent

11 Freedom Energy Costs Update (with confidential appendix) (Pages 57 - 110)

Freedom Leisure has asked the Council to consider providing financial support to cover the increase in excess energy costs to run the four leisure facilities.

Appendix C Schedule 17 to this report comprises exempt information – to exclude the public (including the press) from a meeting of a committee it is necessary for the following proposition to be moved and adopted: “that the public be excluded from the meeting for Items which would involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the paragraphs 5 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) as indicated.”

12 The Fountain, High Street, March (with confidential appendix) (Pages 111 - 404)

To update Cabinet on the March Future High Street Fund (FHSF) project and to provide members with the information required to make a decision on the location of the March Fountain following consideration of a petition at Full Council.

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Friday, 1 September 2023

Members: Councillor C Boden (Chairman), Councillor Mrs J French (Vice-Chairman), Councillor I Benney, Councillor Miss S Hoy, Councillor Mrs D Laws, Councillor A Miscandlon, Councillor P Murphy, Councillor C Seaton, Councillor S Tierney and Councillor S Wallwork