

Committee: Budget Planning Committee

Date: Tuesday 15 December 2020

Time: 6.30 pm

Venue: Virtual meeting

Membership

Councillor Nicholas Mawer (Chairman) Councillor Carmen Griffiths (Vice-Chairman)

Councillor Nathan Bignell
Councillor Conrad Copeland
Councillor Andrew McHugh
Councillor Douglas Webb
Councillor Lucinda Wing
Councillor Councillor Sean Woodcock
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AGENDA

1. Apologies for Absence and Notification of Substitute Members

2. Declarations of Interest

Members are asked to declare any interest and the nature of that interest which they may have in any of the items under consideration at this meeting.

3. Minutes (Pages 5 - 8)

To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 10 November 2020.

4. Chairman's Announcements

To receive communications from the Chairman.

5. Urgent Business

The Chairman to advise whether they have agreed to any item of urgent business being admitted to the agenda.

6. **Budget Proposals 2021/22 - 2025/26** (Pages 9 - 32)

Report of the Director of Finance

Purpose of report

This report sets out the savings proposals and budget pressures for Cherwell District Council for the period 2021/22 to 2025/26 which are included in the 2021/22 Budget Consultation. It provides the opportunity for Budget Planning Committee to comment on the savings proposals and budget pressures alongside the financial context in which these proposals are made.

Recommendations

The meeting is recommended:

- 1.1 Note the proposals which form part of the 2021/22 Budget Consultation
- 1.2 Provide comments on savings proposals and budget pressures included within the consultation to the Executive.

7. Review of Committee Work Plan

Verbal update from the Assistant Director – Finance

Please note there will be an additional meeting of the Committee on 5 January 2021

Information about this Meeting

Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence should be notified to democracy@cherwell-dc.gov.uk or 01295 221953 prior to the start of the meeting.

Declarations of Interest

Members are asked to declare interests at item 2 on the agenda or if arriving after the start of the meeting, at the start of the relevant agenda item.

Local Government and Finance Act 1992 – Budget Setting, Contracts & Supplementary Estimates

Members are reminded that any member who is two months in arrears with Council Tax must declare the fact and may speak but not vote on any decision which involves budget setting, extending or agreeing contracts or incurring expenditure not provided for in the agreed budget for a given year and could affect calculations on the level of Council Tax.

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Queries Regarding this Agenda

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Yvonne Rees Chief Executive

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