

**RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**COUNCIL**

**12<sup>th</sup> JULY 2023**

**CHANGES TO MEMBERSHIP**

**REPORT OF THE SERVICE DIRECTOR DEMOCRATIC SERVICES & COMMUNICATIONS.**

**1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT**

- 1.1 To advise Members of the change to the Labour representation on the Alliance for the 2023/24 municipal year.

**2. RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 2.1 To note that the Authority's nominated representative on the Alliance going forward will be County Borough Councillor J Smith; and
- 2.2 Subject to the agreement of 2.1, correspondence be sent to the Alliance advising them of the change to the Authority's nominated representative.

**3. REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 3.1 The need to advise Members of the changes put forward by the Labour group in respect of the above-mentioned membership.

**4 CHANGES TO MEMBERSHIP**

- 4.1 In accordance with the decision taken (Minute No.9 of the Council meeting held on the [10<sup>th</sup> May 2023](#)), I have received notification from the Labour Group of the following change to its membership:

- A change to its membership on the Alliance, in that County Borough Councillor J Smith is to be nominated in place of County Borough Councillor D Parkin.

**5. EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY IMPLICATIONS**

- 5.1 Members are encouraged as part of the Local Government & Elections Act Wales, to promote diversity in representations, particularly when determining senior roles.

**6. CONSULTATION/INVOLVEMENT**

6.1 There are no consultation implications aligned to this report.

**7. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

7.1 There are no financial implications aligned to this report.

**8. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

8.1 As in accordance with the Council's membership requirements – Council Constitution.

**9. LINKS TO THE COUNCILS CORPORATE PLAN / OTHER CORPORATE PRIORITIES.**

9.1 The Council's Committees contribute to the Council's Corporate Plan objectives, therefore it is important to ensure the Committee membership to its Outside Bodies is complete and accurate.

**10 CONCLUSION**

10.1 To provide Members with information in respect of the Committee membership.

**Other Information:-**

*Relevant Scrutiny Committee – Not applicable*

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**

**AS AMENDED BY**

**THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT 1985**

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**Background Papers**

Freestanding Matter