



**COUNCIL MEETING**

**20 July 2017**

## **REVIEW OF THE COUNCIL'S CONSTITUTION**

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**Sheena Ramsey, Chief Executive**

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### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval of a number of amendments to the Constitution.
2. The Chief Executive and Monitoring Officer are required to review the Constitution to ensure that its aims and principles are given full effect. A number of areas have been identified where some amendment is necessary.
3. The Cabinet has considered the facts and issues arising from the report including alternative options and took all relevant advice before formulating their recommendation.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

4. It is recommended that Council approve the proposed changes to the Council's Constitution as set out in Appendix 2 of the attached report.