



Committee: CABINET

Date: TUESDAY, 21 OCTOBER 2025

Venue: MORECAMBE TOWN HALL

Time: 6.00 P.M.

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AGENDA

1. Apologies

2. Minutes

To receive as a correct record the minutes of Cabinet held on Tuesday, 16 September 2025 (previously circulated).

3. Items of Urgent Business Authorised by the Leader

To consider any such items authorised by the Leader and to consider where in the agenda the item(s) are to be considered.

4. Declarations of Interest

To receive declarations by Councillors of interests in respect of items on this Agenda.

Councillors are reminded that, in accordance with the Localism Act 2011, they are required to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests which have not already been declared in the Council's Register of Interests. (It is a criminal offence not to declare a disclosable pecuniary interest either in the Register or at the meeting).

Whilst not a legal requirement, in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 9 and in the interests of clarity and transparency, Councillors should declare any disclosable pecuniary interests which they have already declared in the Register, at this point in the meeting.

In accordance with Part B Section 2 of the Code Of Conduct, Councillors are required to declare the existence and nature of any other interests as defined in paragraphs 8(1) or 9(2) of the Code of Conduct.

5. **Public Speaking**

To consider any such requests received in accordance with the approved procedure.

6. Reports from Overview and Scrutiny

None.

Reports

7. **Risk Appetite** (Pages 4 - 13)

(Cabinet Member with Special Responsibility Councillor Caroline Jackson)

Report of Chief Executive

8. **Review of Council Housing Tenancy Agreement** (Pages 14 - 56)

(Cabinet Member with Special Responsibility Councillor Caroline Jackson)

Report of Chief Officer Housing & Property

9. **Statement of Gambling Policy 2025-2028** (Pages 57 - 108)

(Cabinet Member with Special Responsibility Councillor Maddocks)

Report of Chief Officer Governance

10. **Skerton School Procurement** (Pages 109 - 149)

(Cabinet Member with Special Responsibility Councillor Caroline Jackson)

Report of Chief Officer Housing & Property (report published 16.10.25)

Please note that whilst the report is public the appendices are exempt. The press and public will be excluded from the meeting at this point if Cabinet are minded to refer to the exempt appendices.

11. Exclusion of the Press and Public

This is to give further notice in accordance with Part 2, paragraph 5 (4) and 5 (5) of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 of the intention to take the following items in private.

Cabinet is recommended to pass the following recommendation in relation to the following items:-

"That, in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act, 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item(s) of business, on the grounds that they could involve the possible disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 3 of Schedule 12A of that Act."

Members are reminded that, whilst the following item(s) have been marked as exempt, it is for Cabinet itself to decide whether or not to consider each of them in private or in public. In making the decision, Members should consider the relevant paragraph of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, and also whether the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information. In considering their discretion Members should also be mindful of the advice of Council

Officers.

12. **Industrial Style Roof Repairs** (Pages 150 - 157)

(Cabinet Member with Special Responsibility Councillor Hamilton-Cox)

Report of Chief Officer Housing & Property

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13. **Letting of Community Asset (Ryelands House)** (Pages 158 - 199)

(Cabinet Member with Special Responsibility Councillor Hamilton-Cox)

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ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS

(i) Membership

Councillors Caroline Jackson (Chair), Peter Jackson, Mandy Bannon, Martin Bottoms, Tim Hamilton-Cox, Paul Hart, Sally Maddocks, Sam Riches and Sue Tyldesley

(ii) Queries regarding this Agenda

Please contact Liz Bateson, Democratic Support - email ebateson@lancaster.gov.uk.

(iii) Changes to Membership, substitutions or apologies

Please contact Democratic Support, telephone 582000, or alternatively email democracy@lancaster.gov.uk.

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