

## Appointments to Independent Remuneration Panel

### REPORT TO FULL COUNCIL



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#### PURPOSE

1. To consider the reappointment of Anne Slater and Graham Knott to the Independent Remuneration Panel (IRP).

#### RECOMMENDATION

2. That Anne Slater and Graham Knott be reappointed to the Independent Remuneration Panel until July 2024.

#### REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

3. (1) To maintain the membership of the panel.  
(2) The Local Authorities (Members Allowances) (England) Regulations 2003 require that before a Council can determine its members' allowance scheme for the ensuing year it must have regard to the recommendations of an Independent Remuneration Panel.

#### SUMMARY OF KEY POINTS

4. The Independent Remuneration Panel was established by Council in 2001 and comprises 3 members. David Sparrow, the current Chair of the IRP, has a term of office which expires May 2022. The terms of office for Anne Slater and Graham Knott have now expired and both have indicated that they are willing to continue to work on the Panel. Both have played an active part in the work of the IRP over a number of years and have valuable experience in making recommendations to the Council.
5. Council set its current members' allowance scheme in 2019 to cover a three year period up to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022, therefore the IRP will be required to meet during 2021 in order to make its recommendations on the members' allowance scheme for 2022/23.

#### FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS AND BUDGET PROVISION

6. None – members contribute voluntarily

#### POLICY IMPLICATIONS

7. None

<b>DETAILS OF CONSULTATION</b>
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8. Member Structures Working Group

<b>BACKGROUND PAPERS</b>
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9. None

<b>FURTHER INFORMATION</b>
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