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## **NOTICE OF MEETING**

### **GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE**

Date & Time

**Thursday, 19 May 2016**

**Immediately following the conclusion of the Council's  
Annual Meeting**

Venue at

**Council Chamber, Priory House, Monks Walk, Shefford**

Richard Carr  
**Chief Executive**

To: The Chairman and Members of the GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE: To be announced at the Council's Annual Meeting on Thursday, 19 May 2016.

***MEMBERS OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND THIS  
MEETING***

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# AGENDA

1. **Apologies for Absence**

To receive apologies for absence and notification of substitute Members.

2. **Chairman's Announcements and Communications**

To receive any announcements from the Chairman and any matters of communication.

## Reports

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3.	<b>Membership of the Appointments Panel</b>	+ To Follow

The Committee is requested to appoint Members to the following body:

Appointments Panel – composed of 5 Members (4 Conservative and 1 Independent) plus 3 substitutes (2 Conservative and 1 Independent). In addition all Executive Members are on the Panel to enable the relevant Executive Member to attend an Appointments Sub-Committee. The Panel forms the body from which Members are drawn to form individual Appointments Sub-Committees.

An Appointments Sub-Committee will be composed of 3–5 Members (2-4 Conservative and 1 Independent, including at least 1 Executive Member) plus 3 substitutes (2 Conservative and 1 Independent). All Members on the Sub-Committee will be appointed by the Monitoring Officer.

Note: The membership of the above Sub-Committee complies with the political balance rules referred to in the report to the Annual Council meeting entitled 'Appointment of Members, Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen to Committees and Other Council Bodies 2015/16' (see in particular Appendix A, section A3).

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