

Council

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To All Members of the Council,
Internal and External Circulation and
Press

Dear Councillor,

Re: Council Agenda - Wednesday, 8th October, 2025

Further to the compilation of the above Council Agenda, please find enclosed the following appendices which were detailed to follow on your Agenda:

Agenda Item 13. Committee Seats Review: (Pages 1 - 4)

To consider committee seat allocations to political groups in accordance with the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 and the Local Government (Committees and Political Groups) Regulations 1990 and confirm appointments to committees.

N.B. Appendices A and B to follow.

Please accept my apologies for any inconvenience caused.

Yours sincerely,

Elaine

Senior Democratic Services Officer

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Appendix A - Allocation of committee seats

Political Group	Members in Political Group	% of current Council membership	Allocated Committee Seats
Conservative	25	46.30	32 (32.40 rounded down)
East Lindsey Independent	13	24.07	17 (16.85 rounded up)
Labour	6	11.11	8 (7.77 rounded up)
Reform	5	9.26	6 (6.48 rounded down)
Liberal Democrat/Independent	2	3.70	3 (2.59 rounded up)
East Lindsey Progressives	2	3.70	3 (2.59 rounded up)
Non-Aligned	1	1.85	1 (1.29 rounded down)
			70
Total committee seats to be allocated 54			

Cont.

Appendix A - Allocation of committee seats

Committee	Total Seats	Conservative Seats	East Lindsey Independent Seats	Labour Seats	Reform Seats	Liberal Democrat/ Independent Seats	East Lindsey Progressives Seats	Non-aligned seat
Planning	13	6	3	2	1	0	1	0
Planning Policy	11	5	3	2	1	0	0	0
Licensing	11	5	3	1	1	1	0	0
Overview	11	5	2	1	1	1	1	0
Audit & Governance	9	4	2	1	1	0	1	0
Employment	9	4	2	1	1	1	0	0
Chief Officer Employment Panel	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chief Officer Employment Appeals Panel	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Totals	70	32	17	8	6	3	3	1

Appendix B

APPOINTMENTS TO COMMITTEES

(Appointments are subject to Council agreeing Appendix A –Allocation of committee seats to political groups)
Audit and Governance Committee – Two Independent Co-opted Members are not reflected in the proportionality.

COMMITTEE	Conservative	East Lindsey Independent Group	Labour	Reform	Liberal Democrat /Independent	East Lindsey Progressives	Non – Aligned Member
Planning (13)	6 Dick Edginton Alex Hall Neil Jones Daniel McNally Sam Kemp Terry Taylor	3 Stephen Eyre Steve McMillan Ru Yarsley	2 David Hall Kate Marnoch	1 Terry Knowles	0	1 Robert Watson	0
Planning Policy (11)	5 Tom Ashton Daniel McNally Alex Hall Paul Rickett Terry Taylor	3 Terry Aldridge Travis Hesketh Daniel Simpson	2 David Hall Roger Dawson	1 Mark Dannatt	0	0	0
Licensing (11)	5 Richard Avison Vacancy Neil Jones Carl Macey Terry Taylor	3 Andrew Leonard George Horton Darren Hobson	1 Graham Cullen	1 Jimmy Brookes	1 Sandra Campbell-Wardman	0	0

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COMMITTEE	Conservative	East Lindsey Independent Group	Labour	Reform	Liberal Democrat /Independent	East Lindsey Progressives	Non – Aligned Member
Overview (11)	5 Dick Edginton Vacancy Alex Hall Neil Jones James Knowles	2 Jill Makinson-Sanders Travis Hesketh	1 Claire Arnold	1 Carleen Dickinson	1 Fiona Martin	1 Robert Watson	0
Audit & Governance Committee (9)	4 Neil Jones Will Grover Sam Kemp James Knowles	2 Jill Makinson-Sanders Edward Mossop	1 Ros Jackson	1 Danny Brookes	0	1 Stef Bristow	0
Employment Committee (9)	4 Dick Edginton Richard Fry Neil Jones Terry Taylor	2 Jill Makinson-Sanders Edward Mossop	1 Ros Jackson	1 Danny Brookes	1 Sandra Campbell-Wardman	0	0
Chief Officer Employment Panel (3)	2 Sarah Devereux Richard Fry	1 Jill Makinson-Sanders	0	0	0	0	0
Chief Officer Employment Appeals Panel (3)	1 William Gray	1 Edward Mossop	0	0	0	0	1 Billy Brookes

N/B. In accordance with the Terms of Reference at least 1 Executive Board Member must be appointed to both the Chief Officers Employment Panel and Employment Appeals Panel.