

Agenda Item No:	17	
Committee:	COUNCIL	
Date:	23 July 2015	
Report Title:	Constitutional Amendment - Reinstatement of the Post of Deputy Leader	

1 Purpose / Summary

- This report provides for amendments to the Council's Constitution to enable the reinstatement of the post of Deputy Leader.

2 Key issues

- The Leader given the number of meetings and official engagements incumbent upon the position feels that to ensure the Council is properly represented it is necessary to reinstate the role of Deputy Leader.
- It is suggested that no additional allowance is provided for this role.

3 Recommendations

- That the Council approves the amendment to the constitution as set out at Appendix 1.
- Authorises the Monitoring Officer to make such typographical amendments as are necessary to produce revised clean text copies of the Constitution.

Wards Affected	All
Forward Plan Reference	NA
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Background Paper(s)	Constitution