

**Notice of Meeting of the**

**ASSEMBLY**

**to be held on Wednesday, 24 November 2021  
commencing at 7:00 pm in the  
Council Chamber, Town Hall, Barking**



To all Members of the Council of the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham

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## **AGENDA**

### **1. Apologies for Absence**

### **2. Declaration of Members' Interests**

In accordance with the Council's Constitution, Members are asked to declare any interest they may have in any matter which is to be considered at this meeting.

### **3. Minutes - To confirm as correct the minutes of the meeting held on 29th September 2021 (Pages 3 - 7)**

### **4. Minutes of Sub-Committees - To note the minutes of the JNC Appointments, Salaries and Structures Panel held on 1 and 8 November 2021 (Pages 9 - 11)**

### **5. Leader's Statement**

The Leader will present his statement.

### **6. Appointments**

The Labour Group Secretary will announce any nominations to fill vacant positions on Council committees or other bodies.

### **7. Appointment of Statutory Scrutiny Officer (Pages 13 - 14)**

### **8. Member Champions' Annual Report 2020/21 (Pages 15 - 29)**

### **9. Local Safeguarding Adults' Board Annual Report 2020/21 (Pages 31 - 73)**

### **10. Corporate Parenting Annual Report 2020/21 (Pages 75 - 94)**

### **11. Adoption Annual Report 2020/21 (Pages 95 - 134)**

### **12. Treasury Management 2021/22 Mid-Year Review (Pages 135 - 155)**

### **13. Motions**

There are no Motions.

14. **Questions With Notice**
15. **Any other public items which the Chair decides are urgent**
16. **To consider whether it would be appropriate to pass a resolution to exclude the public and press from the remainder of the meeting due to the nature of the business to be transacted.**

#### **Private Business**

The public and press have a legal right to attend Council meetings such as the Assembly, except where business is confidential or certain other sensitive information is to be discussed. The list below shows why items are in the private part of the agenda, with reference to the relevant legislation (the relevant paragraph of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 as amended). ***There are no such items at the time of preparing this agenda.***

17. **Any confidential or exempt items which the Chair decides are urgent**