



Boston Borough Council

**Chief Executive
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Friday 11 July 2025

Notice of meeting of the Full Council

Dear Councillor

You are invited to attend a meeting of the Full Council
on **Monday 21st July 2025 at 6.30 pm**
in the Council Chamber - Municipal Buildings, West Street, Boston, PE21 8QR

**Rob Barlow
Chief Executive**

Members of the public are welcome to attend the committee meeting as observers except during the consideration of exempt or confidential items.

This meeting may be subject to being recorded.

Agenda

Part I - Preliminaries

A. Apologies for Absence

To receive apologies for absence.

B. Declarations of Interest

C. Minutes

(Pages 1 - 10)

D. Communications

E. Deputations and Petitions

F. Questions from Elected Members

G. Questions from Members of the Public

Part II - Agenda Items

1 Audit & Governance Committee Minutes (Pages 11 - 22)

To receive the Minutes from the meeting held on 22nd April 2025.

2 Boston Borough Council 24.25 Outturn Report (To Follow)

(A report by Brendan Arnold, Interim Director of Finance (S151 Officer))

3 Annual Treasury Report 2024/25 (Pages 23 - 42)

(A report by Brendan Arnold, Interim Director of Finance (S151 Officer))

4 Allocation of Seats Review (Pages 43 - 48)

(A report by John Medler, Assistant Director – Governance & Monitoring Officer)

(Appendix 1 – to follow)

5 Exclusion of Public and Press

To consider resolving - That under Section 100(A)(iv) of the Local Government Act 1972 the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 4 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act (as amended).

6 To implement a pay structure and associated Job Evaluation Scheme for Officers in shared Partnership roles within the South & East Lincolnshire Councils Partnership (Pages 49 - 88)

(A report by Rob Barlow, Chief Executive)

Part III - Motions on Notice

To consider the following motions in accordance with procedure rule 14:

1 Leader of Boston Borough Council

Motion: The council resolves to remove Councillor Anne Dorrian as leader of Boston Borough Council and resolves to appoint a new leader at the full council meeting to be held on 21st July 2025.

At the full council meeting held on 22nd May 2023, council resolved to appoint Councillor Anne Dorrian as leader of Boston Borough Council for a 4 year period ending at the annual meeting on 2027.

Since that time, we believe Councillor Anne Dorrian has lost significant support from the Boston Independent group, and can no longer, in our view, fulfill this function on behalf of members of this council.

Therefore in the interests of this council, which needs clear concise leadership representing all members of the council,

That council resolves to remove Councillor Anne Dorrian as leader of Boston Borough Council ,and appoint a new leader at full council on Monday 21st July 2025, to run until the next borough council elections.

***Proposer: Councillor Dale Broughton
Seconder: Councillor Callum Butler***

Questions from Members of the Council and the public must be received by 5 p.m. two clear working days prior to the day of the meeting – the deadline for this meeting is 5 p.m. on Wednesday 16th July 2025.

Notes:

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Council Members who are not able to attend the meeting should notify Democratic Services as soon as possible.

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