



# Boston Borough Council

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## **Notice of meeting of the Overview & Scrutiny Committee**

Dear Councillor

You are invited to attend a meeting of the Overview & Scrutiny Committee  
on **Thursday 15th January 2026 at 6.30 pm**  
in the Committee Room - Municipal Buildings, West Street, Boston, PE21 8QR

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### **Membership:**

Chairman:	Councillor Paul Gleeson
Vice-Chairman:	Councillor Suzanne Welberry
Councillors:	Richard Austin BEM, David Brown, Emma Cresswell, Anton Dani, Anne Dorrian, Neil Drayton, Stuart Evans, Andy Izard, Patricia Marson, Barrie Pierpoint, Ralph Pryke, Lina Savickiene and David Scoot

Quorum 5

**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 and notification of substitutes (*if any*).

#### **B Declarations of Interest**

To receive declarations of interests in respect of any item on the agenda.

## **C Minutes**

(Pages 1 - 12)

To sign and confirm the minutes of the previous meeting.

## **D Public Questions**

To answer any written questions received from members of the public no later than 5 p.m. two clear working days prior to the meeting – for this meeting the deadline is 5 p.m. on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2026.

## **Part II - Agenda Items**

### **1 Budget Overview 2026/27 - 2030/31**

(To Follow)

(A report by Russell Stone, Director of Finance (S151 Officer))

### **2 Work Programme and Forward Plan**

(Pages 13 - 26)

(For Members to note/discuss the Committee's current Work Programme and the Council's Forward Plan)

## **Notes:**

Please contact Democratic Services ([demservices@boston.gov.uk](mailto:demservices@boston.gov.uk)) if you have any queries about the agenda and documents for this meeting.

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

## **Alternative Versions**

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