

TONBRIDGE AND MALLING BOROUGH COUNCIL

CABINET

MINUTES

Wednesday, 10th January, 2024

Present: Cllr M D Boughton (Chair), Cllr D Keers, Cllr K B Tanner and Cllr M Taylor

In attendance: Councillors A G Bennison, G C Bridge, J Clokey, P M Hickmott, F A Hoskins, S A Hudson, D W King, Mrs A S Oakley, W E Palmer and M R Rhodes were also present pursuant to Access to Information Rule No 23.

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors R P Betts and M A Coffin.

PART 1 - PUBLIC

CB 24/16 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest made in accordance with the Code of Conduct.

DECISIONS TAKEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART 3 OF THE CONSTITUTION

EXECUTIVE NON-KEY DECISIONS

CB 24/17 CALL IN OF DECISION NOTICE D230106CAB - FUTURE OF THE ANGEL CENTRE, TONBRIDGE

In accordance with the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules, this decision was the subject of a call-in and was scrutinised by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee on 10 January 2024. Members of the Committee considered the grounds for the call-in and had regard to the responses provided by the Leader. After in-depth discussion and a formal vote the Overview and Scrutiny Committee recommended that decision D230106CAB be amended as follows:

“In principle, the Angel Centre be demolished and replacement leisure and community facilities be provided in Tonbridge and, in principle, all options be kept on the table for the future location and nature of such replacement leisure and community facilities within Tonbridge.”

RESOLVED: That decision D230106CAB be amended as recommended by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee as set out above and come into immediate effect.

CB 24/18 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

There were no items considered in private.

PART 2 - PRIVATE**MATTERS SUBMITTED FOR INFORMATION****CB 24/19 FUTURE OF THE ANGEL CENTRE, TONBRIDGE - ANNEX 1**

(Reason: LGA 1972, Sch 12A, Paragraph 3 – Financial or business affairs of any particular person)

Annex 1 – Legal Implications, set out in Part 2 of the agenda, was attached for information during Members' consideration of 'Call In of Decision Notice D230106CAB – Future of the Angel Centre, Tonbridge' (Minute CB 24/17 refers).

The meeting ended at 9.12 pm
having commenced at 9.10 pm