CALENDAR OF MEETINGS 2014/15

Committee: Annual Council

Date: 15 May 2014

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1.0 ISSUE

1.1 To receive the Calendar of Meetings for 2014/15 for the revised Committee structure approved at the Special Council meeting on 15 April 2014.

2.0 RECOMMENDATION

2.1 That the Calendar of Meetings for 2014/15 be noted.

3.0 BACKGROUND

- 3.1 A Calendar of Meetings card for 2014/15 for the revised Committee structure approved at the Special Council meeting on 15 April 2014 is set out in Appendix 1. A month-by-month version of the Calendar is also attached at Appendix 2, to help Members and officers to visualise the spread of meetings throughout the year.
- 3.2 Due to the significant nature of the changes to the Committee structure compared to the current system, it has been necessary to make a number of assumptions in relation to the Calendar (which are detailed on the month-by-month version of the Calendar) as follows:
 - Regulatory and Support Services Committee scheduled to meet 7 times per year; Commercial Services Committee scheduled to meet 6 times per year; Corporate Governance and Finance Committee and Asset Development Sub-Committee scheduled to meet 5 times per year. As revised Committee structure is significantly different to previous system, an assumption has been made regarding the required number of meetings for each Committee, which may need to be amended in the light of experience of the operation of the new structure.
 - Times for meetings currently set to correspond with those for nearest comparable Committee(s) under previous system, but start times can be discussed by relevant Committees, if necessary.
 - Majority of Council dates changed to Thursday to avoid clashes with full County Council dates; number of meetings increased and start time moved to 6.00pm, due to expanded remit of Council. Council date provisionally included in Calendar for 8 January 2015 to be

used, if necessary, to make any decisions required in the light of Government Finance settlement. Annual Council meeting in 2015 will have to take place in half term week, due to timescale required to gather necessary information as a result of District Council Elections on 7 May 2015.

 May 2015 Planning Committee moved to Wednesday 29 April 2015 due to District and Parish Council Elections on 7 May 2015.

4.0 APPENDICES

4.1 Appendix 1 – Calendar of Meetings card for 2014/15
Appendix 2 – Calendar of Meetings 2014/15 on a month-by-month basis

Background Documents	Location	Contact Officer
County Council Calendar of Meetings card	Room 214B The Grange Ely	Tracy Couper Principal Democratic Services Officer (01353) 665555
ECDC Revised Committee structure	•	È-mail: tracy.couper@eastcambs.gov.uk



East Cambridgeshire District Council

CALENDAR OF MEETINGS JUNE 2014 – MAY 2015

					20		2015							
MEETING	Day	Time	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
COUNCIL	Tues/ Thurs	6.00pm		17			16	27		8 🛦	26		21	28
COMMERCIAL SERVICES	Tues/ Wed	5.30pm		8		17		12		13		3	14	
CORPORATE GOVERNANCE & FINANCE	Mon/ Thurs	4.30pm		21		25			4	29		26		
REGULATORY AND SUPPORT SERVICES	Mon/ Tues/ Weds	4.30pm		1		8	20	17		14	9	30		
ASSET DEVELOPMENT SUB- COMMITTEE	Mon/ Wed	4.00pm		30			13		8	21		18		
LICENSING COMMITTEE/SUB- COMMITTEE *	Wed	9.30am	11	9		10	22	19	10	21	11	11	15	
PLANNING COMMITTEE	Wed	2.00pm	4	2	6	3	1	5	3	7	4	4	1/29●	
MEMBER SEMINARS			16	28		16	9	10		19 Budget Semin ar	2	17	9	

NB:

- 1. All meetings held at The Grange, Ely unless otherwise stated.
- 2. Majority of Council dates changed to Thursday to avoid clashes with full County Council dates and start time moved to 6.00pm due to expanded remit of Council. ▲ Council date provisionally included in Calendar to be used, if necessary, to make decisions required in the light of Government Finance settlement.
- 3. * One date per month has been timetabled into the calendar for Licensing Committee/Licensing Hearings Sub-Committee Meetings. The Lead Officers and Chairman can take a view, closer to the time, on whether the date is required and whether it is most appropriate to be used for a Licensing Committee/Sub-Committee.

4. Party/LGA Conference dates: Conservative — 28 September to 2 October 2014

Liberal Democrat - 4 to 8 October 2014

LGA General Assembly/Annual Conference - 8 to 10 July 2014

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Julie 2014 to May 2015														
June	2014	July 2014					Augu	st 201	4	September 2014				
Sun	Tue	Tue	Regulatory &	Thu	Council	Fri		Sun		Mon		Wed	Commercial	
1	17	1	Support Services	17		1		17		1		17	Services	
Mon	Wed	Wed	Planning	Fri		Sat		Mon		Tue		Thu		
2	18	2		18		2		18		2		18		
Tue	Thu	Thu		Sat		Sun		Tue		Wed	Planning	Fri		
3	19	3		19		3		19		3	_	19		
Wed Planning	Fri	Fri		Sun		Mon		Wed		Thu	School Starts	Sat		
4	20	4		20		4		20		4		20		
Thu	Sat	Sat		Mon	Corp Gov & Fin	Tue		Thu		Fri		Sun		
5	21	5		21		5		21		5		21		
Fri	Sun	Sun		Tue		Wed	Planning	Fri		Sat		Mon		
6	22	6		22		6		22		6		22		
Sat	Mon	Mon		Wed	School Ends	Thu		Sat		Sun		Tue		
7	23	7		23		7		23		7		23		
Sun	Tue	Tue	Commercial	Thu		Fri		Sun		Mon	Regulatory &	Wed		
8	24	8	Services	24		8		24		8	Support Services	24		
											**			
			LGA Conf											
Mon	Wed	Wed	Licensing	Fri		Sat		Mon	Bank Holiday	Tue		Thu	Corp Gov & Fin	
9	25	9		25		9		25		9		25		
			LGA Conf											
Tue	Thu	Thu		Sat		Sun		Tue		Wed	Licensing	Fri		
10	26	10	LGA Conf	26		10		26		10		26		
Wed Licensing	Fri	Fri	-	Sun		Mon		Wed		Thu		Sat		
11	27	11		27		11		27		11		27		
Thu	Sat	Sat		Mon	Member Seminar	Tue		Thu		Fri		Sun	Conservative	
12	28	12		28		12		28		12		28	Party Conf (28	
													Sept-2 Oct)	
Fri	Sun	Sun		Tue		Wed		Fri		Sat		Mon		
13	29	13		29		13		29		13		29		
Sat	Mon	Mon		Wed	Asset	Thu		Sat		Sun		Tue		
14	30	14		30	Development	14		30		14		30		
Sun		Tue		Thu		Fri		Sun		Mon				
15		15		31		15		31		15				
Mon Member Seminar		Wed				Sat				Tue	Member Seminar			
16		16				16				16				
			1		1		1		1		1			

October 2014					November 2014				Decemb	14	January 2015				
Wed	Planning	Fri		Sat		Mon	Regulatory &	Mon		Wed		Thu	Bank Holiday	Sat	
1		17		1		17	Support Services	1		17		1		17	
Thu		Sat		Sun		Tue		Tue		Thu		Fri		Sun	
2		18		2		18		2		18		2		18	
Fri		Sun		Mon		Wed	Licensing	Wed	Planning	Fri	School Term	Sat		Mon	Budget Seminar
3		19	D 1	3		19		3	G G OF	19	Ends	3		19	
Sat	Lib Dem Conf	Mon	Regulatory &	Tue		Thu		Thu	Corp Gov & Fin	Sat		Sun		Tue	
4	(4-8 Oct)	20	Support Services	4		20		4		20		4		20	
Sun		Tue		Wed	Planning	Fri		Fri		Sun		Mon		Wed	Licensing
5		21		5		21		5		21		5		21	Asset Development
Mon		Wed	Licensing	Thu		Sat		Sat		Mon		Tue	School Term	Thu	•
6		22		6		22		6		22		6	Starts	22	
Tue		Thu		Fri		Sun		Sun		Tue		Wed	Planning	Fri	
7		23		7		23		7		23		7		23	
Wed		Fri		Sat		Mon		Mon	Asset	Wed		Thu	Council	Sat	
8		24		8		24		8	Development	24		8	(provisional)	24	
Thu	Member	Sat		Sun		Tue		Tue		Thu	Bank Holiday	Fri		Sun	
9	Seminar	25		9		25		9		25	,	9		25	
Fri		Sun		Mon	Member Seminar	Wed		Wed	Licensing	Fri	Bank Holiday	Sat		Mon	
10		26		10		26		10		26		10		26	
Sat		Mon	Half Term	Tue		Thu	Council	Thu		Sat		Sun		Tue	
11		27	Week	11		27		11		27		11		27	
Sun		Tue		Wed	Commercial	Fri		Fri		Sun		Mon		Wed	
12 Man	Agget	28 Wed		12	Services	28 Sat		12 Set		28 Man		12 Tue	Commari-1	28	Com Cor. 6 Ei-
Mon	Asset	Wed 29		Thu		Sat 29		Sat		Mon 29		Tue	Commercial Services	Thu 29	Corp Gov & Fin
13 Tue	Development	Thu		13 Fri		Sun		13 Sun		Tue		13 Wed	Regulatory &	Fri	
14		30		14		30		14		30		14	Support Services	30	
Wed		Fri		Sat		50		Mon		Wed		Thu	Support Bol vices	Sat	
15		31		15				15		31		15		31	
Thu	Council			Sun				Tue				Fri			
16				16				16				16			

February 2015					Mar	ch 201	5	April 2015					May 2015				
Sun		Tue		Sun		Tue	Member Seminar	Wed	Planning	Fri		Fri		Sun			
1		17		1		17		1		17		1		17			
Mon	Member	Wed		Mon		Wed	Asset	Thu		Sat		Sat		Mon			
2	Seminar	18		2		18	Development	2		18		2		18			
Tue		Thu		Tue	Commercial	Thu		Fri	Bank Holiday	Sun		Sun		Tue			
3		19		3	Services	19		3		19		3		19			
Wed	Planning	Fri		Wed	Planning	Fri		Sat		Mon		Mon	Bank Holiday	Wed			
4		20		4		20		4		20		4		20			
Thu		Sat		Thu		Sat		Sun		Tue	Council	Tue		Thu			
5		21		5		21		5		21		5		21			
Fri		Sun		Fri		Sun		Mon	Bank Holiday	Wed	Council	Wed		Fri			
6		22		6		22		6		22	Chamber	6		22			
											reserved D&P						
											Elections to 8/5						
Sat		Mon		Sat		Mon		Tue		Thu		Thu	District & Parish	Sat			
7		23		7		23		7		23		7	Elections	23			
Sun		Tue		Sun		Tue		Wed		Fri		Fri		Sun			
8		24		8		24		8		24		8		24			
Mon	Regulatory &	Wed		Mon		Wed		Thu	Member	Sat		Sat		Mon	Bank Holiday		
9	Support	25		9		25		9	Seminar	25		9		25	Half Term Week		
	Services																
Tue		Thu	Council	Tue		Thu	Corp Gov & Fin	Fri		Sun		Sun		Tue			
10		26		10		26		10		26		10		26			
Wed	Licensing	Fri		Wed	Licensing	Fri	School Term	Sat		Mon		Mon		Wed			
11		27		11		27	Ends	11		27		11		27			
Thu		Sat		Thu		Sat		Sun		Tue		Tue		Thu	Annual Council		
12		28		12		28		12		28		12		28			
Fri				Fri		Sun		Mon	School Term	Wed	Planning	Wed		Fri			
13				13		29		13	Starts	29		13		29			
Sat				Sat		Mon	Regulatory &	Tue	Commercial	Thu		Thu		Sat			
14				14		30	Support Services	14	Services	30		14		30			
Sun				Sun		Tue		Wed	Licensing			Fri		Sun			
15				15		31		15				15		31			
Mon	Half Term			Mon				Thu				Sat					
16	Week			16				16				16					

Explanatory Notes/Assumptions

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