

Housing Select Committee			
Title	Confirmation of Chair & Vice Chair of the Housing Select Committee		
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1. Summary

Further to the Annual General Meeting of Council on 20 March 2013, this report informs the Select Committee of the appointment of a Chair and Vice Chair of the Housing Select Committee.

2. Purpose of the Report

To issue directions to the Select Committee regarding the election of their Chair and Vice Chair.

3. Recommendations

The Select Committee is recommended to:

- (i) Confirm the election of Councillor Carl Handley as Chair of the Housing Select Committee
- (ii) Confirm the election of Councillor Vincent Davis as Vice Chair of the Housing Select Committee

4. Background

4.1 On 20 March 2013, the Annual General Meeting of the Council considered a report setting out an allocation of seats on committees to political groups on the Council in compliance with the requirements of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989.

4.2 The constitutional allocation for both chairs and vice chairs of select committees is:

Labour: 5
 Liberal Democrat: 1

5. Financial Implications

There are no financial implications arising from this report.

6. Legal Implications

Select Committees are obliged to act in accordance with the Council's Constitution.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

Council AGM Agenda papers 20 March 2013 – available on the Council website <http://www.lewisham.gov.uk/> or on request from Kevin Flaherty, Business and Committee manager (0208 3147369)

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