Safer Stronger Communities Select Committee				
Title	Confirmation of Chair and Vice Chair of the Safer Stronger Communities Select Committee			
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Class	Part 1 (Open)	15 July 2014		

1. Summary

Further to the Annual General Meeting of Council on 11 June 2014, this report informs the Select Committee of the appointment of a Chair and Vice Chair of the Safer Stronger Communities 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 Pauline Morrison as Chair of the Safer Stronger Communities Select Committee.
- (ii) Confirm the election of Councillor David Michael as Vice Chair of the Safer Stronger Communities Select Committee.

4. Background

- 4.1 On 11 June 2014, 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: 6

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 paper

Council AGM Agenda papers 11 June 2014 – 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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