

MOTION

To :-

- 1- Note the revised arrangements, as set down in the appendices to the motion to;
 - a) Reduce the number of policy leads and ensure a better strategic fit with departments/senior officers
 - b) Achieve an overall budget saving in members' remuneration
 - c) Continue the current arrangements wherein a councillor holds more than one eligible senior role, only one Senior Councillor Payment is made at the higher rate.
- 2- Agree that as the revised remits will give rise to changes in the membership of external bodies associated with the revised portfolios that members agree to this being delegated to the Director of Customer Services in consultation with the Leader and Depute Leader of the Council and the Leader of the Opposition and to advise Elected Members of these consequent changes.
- 3- Agree, as a consequence of the revised Policy Lead portfolios and appointments, and the need to satisfy balance, to delegate to the Director of Customer Services in consultation with the Leader and Depute Leader of the Council and the Leader of the opposition to notify the required changes to the Strategic Committee appointments based on committee memberships of 16 members based on a 12:4 split and to advise elected members of these consequent changes.
- 4- To agree to appoint 10 members to the new single Harbour Authority to be Chaired by Councillor Ellen Morton, Chair of the EDI Committee, Vice Chair Robert G Macintyre and to appoint 8 other members on the basis of 5 administration members and 3 opposition members. As far as is practically possible the appointed members should have regard to the relevant area representation. The Leader of the Administration and Leader of the main opposition Group to notify the Executive Director of Customer Services of the names of the appointed members.
- 5- To note the appointment of shadow spokespersons from the SNP group as set out in appendix 2

Appendix 1

POLITICAL MANAGEMENT ARRANGEMENTS

Policy Lead Remit	SRA	Policy Lead	Depute	Executive Director	Heads of Service
Island Affairs	no	Len Scoullar (Provost)		Pippa Milne	Fergus Murray
Health & Social Care Integration	yes	Mary Jean Devon	a) Children & Families - Jimmy McQueen b) Adult Care - Elaine Robertson and Dougie Philand	Cleland Sneddon	Louise Long Jim Robb
Strategic Finance (IT Services, Improvement, HR, Customer Support, Facility Services, Governance and Law)	no	Dick Walsh (Leader)	Gary Mulvaney	Sally Loudon Douglas Hendry	Steve Barrett Judy Orr Jane Fowler Charles Reppke Malcolm MacFadyen
Roads, Infrastructure, Amenity Services and Special Projects	yes	Ellen Morton	Robert G MacIntyre	Pippa Milne	Jim Smith Fergus Murray
Sustainable Economic Growth (Economic Development, European Affairs, Renewables and Strategic Tourism)	yes	Aileen Morton	Maurice Corry	Pippa Milne	Fergus Murray
Transportation (strategic local, Ferries, Piers, Harbours and Airports)	yes	Alistair MacDougall		Pippa Milne Douglas Hendry	Fergus Murray Jim Smith Malcolm MacFadyen
Strategic Housing, Gaelic, Community & Culture	yes	Robin Currie	Roddy McCuish	Cleland Sneddon	Donald MacVicar
Education, & Lifelong Learning	yes	Rory Colville		Cleland Sneddon	Ann Marie Knowles Donald MacVicar
PPSL, Planning Services, Historic and Sustainable Environment	yes	David Kinniburgh	Alex McNaughton	Pippa Milne	Angus Gilmour Charles Reppke Fergus Murray

To note that the existing appointments as Chair/Vice Chair of each of the Area Committees remain unchanged

Appendix 2

Argyll and Bute Council Group - SNP Spokespersons			2015
Business, Energy & Tourism (Infrastructure, Investment & the Environment)			
	Economic development, town centres, BIDs Sustainable Energy Strategic transport and public transport; air, rail and ferry services CHORD, TIFF /Lorn ARC Waste Disposal and Roads Maintenance Services	ED&I Pippa Milne Jim Smith Fergus Murray	Sandy Taylor
Education and Life-long Learning			
	Education, educational attainment, school standards, quality and improvement, school infrastructure and staffing, behaviour inc. bullying Skills training and employment; youth employment, skills and employment training Further education (Argyll College and UHI) Catering and School Transport Services	Communities Cleland Sneddon Anne-Marie Knowles Malcolm MacFadyen	Isobel Strong
Health and Social Care (Adult Care & Children and Families)			
	Adult care and support & carers Protection of vulnerable groups Addiction Services Autism, Learning Disability Children's rights, children's services, early years Adoption and fostering, child protection, looked-after children Children's hearings, youth work, youth justice, criminal justice social work	H&SC Partnership Communities Cleland Sneddon	Anne Horn
Rural Affairs, Food & Environment			
	Environment, inc. physical and marine environment Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and aquaculture Rural Argyll and Bute, farming, crofting and food and drink Sustainable development, biodiversity & natural heritage Waste Management and Amenity Services	ED&I Pippa Milne Fergus Murray Angus Gilmour	John Armour

Culture, Sport and Tourism			
	Culture and the arts (inc. Twinning) Libraries and museums Sports development, sports and communities halls and other facilities Events and festivals Built heritage and architecture Gaelic language	Communities Cleland Sneddon Donald McVicar Jane Fowler Angus Gilmour	W. Gordon Blair
Community Safety and Regulation			
	Planning and Development Strategic Housing Regulatory Services Building Standards Civic Government and Liquor licensing Police and Fire and Rescue Services	ED&I Pippa Milne Angus Gilmour Donald McVicar	Richard Trail
Building Strong Communities			
	Community Planning Community empowerment and engagement Sustainable Islands The third sector and the social economy, A&B CAB and Bute Advice Welfare, measures against poverty and homelessness	PPSL Communities Pippa Milne Angus Gilmour	Iain Angus MacDonald
	<i>Civil Resilience</i>		
	<i>Land Reform</i>		
Finance & Asset Management			
	Strategic Finance Customer Services Audit Asset Management, inc. Estates Strategic IT, inc. Communication and Network Services Property Maintenance Service	Audit P&R Douglas Hendry H o SF Judy Orr Malcolm MacFadyen Charles Reppke	Iain S. MacLean