North East Derbyshire District Council

Cabinet

8 June 2016

Chesterfield and District Joint Crematorium Committee Appointments

Report of Councillor G Baxter MBE, Leader of the Council

This report is public

Purpose of the Report

• To appoint four members from the Council's Cabinet to the Committee.

1 Report Details

- 1.1 Chesterfield and District Joint Crematorium Committee is a joint committee with executive powers in relation to the crematorium on behalf of the Council, Chesterfield Borough Council and Bolsover District Council. Joint committees of the executive are exempt from political balance in the same way as other executive bodies such as Cabinet.
- 1.2 Under the Chesterfield and District Joint Crematorium legal agreement, North East Derbyshire is currently allocated four seats on the committee, although the number of seats is reviewed periodically, based on the proportion of cremations from each of the three local authority areas.
- 1.3 In June 2015, Cabinet appointed the following Members to the Committee:
 - Councillor Mrs J Austen
 - Councillor G Baxter MBE
 - Councillor M Gordon
 - Councillor P R Kerry
- 1.4 The nominations for the appointments are now:-
 - Councillor Mrs J Austen
 - Councillor M Gordon
 - Councillor P R Kerry
 - Councillor J Lilley

2 Reasons for Recommendation

2.1 To ensure that the Joint Crematorium Committee is properly constituted and that North East Derbyshire District Council has its full complement of members.

3 Consultation and Equality Impact

3.1 As they are executive appointments, political balance does not apply to this Committee. Therefore it has not been necessary to consult other political group leaders.

4 Alternative Options and Reasons for Rejection

4.1 None.

5 <u>Implications</u>

5.1 As set out in the report.

6 Recommendations

6.1 Cabinet appoints four of its membership to the Committee as proposed within the report.

7 <u>Decision Information</u>

Is the decision a Key Decision?	No
(A Key Decision is an executive	
decision which results in income or	
expenditure to the Council of	
£50,000 or more or which has a	
significant impact on two or more	
District wards)	
District Wards Affected	All
Links to Corporate Plan priorities	None
or Policy Framework	

8 <u>Document Information</u>

Appendix No	Title	
None		
Background Papers (These are unpublished works which have been relied on to a material extent when preparing the report. They must be listed in the section below. If the report is going to Cabinet (NEDDC) or Executive (BDC) you must provide copies of the background papers) None		
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