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Dear Councillor

Your attendance is requested at a remote meeting of the **SERVICE DELIVERY EXECUTIVE ADVISORY BOARD** to be held on **THURSDAY 8 JULY 2021** at **7:00 pm**. The meeting can be accessed remotely via Microsoft Teams.

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Yours faithfully

James Whiteman Managing Director

MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE ADVISORY BOARD

Chairman: Councillor Angela Goodwin Vice-Chairman: Councillor Ramsey Nagaty

Councillor Paul Abbey Councillor Dennis Booth Councillor Andrew Gomm Councillor Ann McShee Councillor Bob McShee Councillor George Potter Councillor Jo Randall Councillor Tony Rooth Councillor Pauline Searle Councillor Fiona White

Authorised Substitute Members:

- Councillor David Bilbé Councillor Richard Billington Councillor Chris Blow Councillor Ruth Brothwell Councillor Colin Cross Councillor Guida Esteves Councillor Graham Eyre Councillor Gillian Harwood Councillor Liz Hogger Councillor Diana Jones Councillor Steven Lee
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QUORUM: 4



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THE COUNCIL'S STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK

Vision – for the borough

For Guildford to be a town and rural borough that is the most desirable place to live, work and visit in South East England. A centre for education, healthcare, innovative cuttingedge businesses, high quality retail and wellbeing. A county town set in a vibrant rural environment, which balances the needs of urban and rural communities alike. Known for our outstanding urban planning and design, and with infrastructure that will properly cope with our needs.

Three fundamental themes and nine strategic priorities that support our vision:

Place-making	Delivering the Guildford Borough Local Plan and providing the range of housing that people need, particularly affordable homes
	Making travel in Guildford and across the borough easier
	Regenerating and improving Guildford town centre and other urban areas
Community	Supporting older, more vulnerable and less advantaged people in our community
	Protecting our environment
	Enhancing sporting, cultural, community, and recreational facilities
Innovation	Encouraging sustainable and proportionate economic growth to help provide the prosperity and employment that people need
	Creating smart places infrastructure across Guildford
	Using innovation, technology and new ways of working to improve value for money and efficiency in Council services

Values for our residents

- We will strive to be the best Council.
- We will deliver quality and value for money services.
- We will help the vulnerable members of our community.
- We will be open and accountable.
- We will deliver improvements and enable change across the borough.

The information contained in the items on this agenda has been allowed into the public arena in a spirit of openness and transparency to gain broad input at an early stage. Some of the ideas and proposals placed before this Executive Advisory Board may be at the very earliest stage of consideration by the democratic decision-making processes of the Council and should not be considered, or commented on, as if they already represent either Council policy or its firm intentions on the issue under discussion.

The Executive Advisory Boards do not have any substantive decision-making powers and, as the name suggests, their purpose is to advise the Executive. The subject matter of the items on this agenda, therefore, is for discussion only at this stage and any recommendations are subject to further consideration or approval by the Executive, and are not necessarily in final form.

<u>A G E N D A</u>

ITEM NO.

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

2 LOCAL CODE OF CONDUCT AND DECLARATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS

In accordance with the local Code of Conduct, a councillor is required to disclose at the meeting any Disclosable Pecuniary Interest (DPI) that they may have in respect of any matter for consideration on this agenda. Any councillor with a DPI must not participate in any discussion or vote regarding that matter and they must withdraw from the meeting immediately before consideration of the matter.

If that DPI has not been registered, the councillor must notify the Monitoring Officer of the details of the DPI within 28 days of the date of the meeting.

Councillors are further invited to disclose any non-pecuniary interest which may be relevant to any matter on this agenda, in the interests of transparency, and to confirm that it will not affect their objectivity in relation to that matter.

3 **MINUTES** (Pages 5 - 10)

To confirm the minutes of the Executive Advisory Board meeting held on 1 April 2021.

- 4 CLASSICAL MUSIC GRANT (Pages 11 20)
- 5 **GUILDFORD BOOK FESTIVAL MANDATE** (Pages 21 30)
- 6 **EXECUTIVE FORWARD PLAN** (Pages 31 58)
- 7 **EAB WORK PROGRAMME** (Pages 59 62)

To consider and approve the EAB's draft work programme with reference to the Executive Forward Plan.