AGENDA

Meeting Planning Committee

Date Tuesday 16 June 2015

Time 10.00 am

Place Committee Room 5, City Hall, The

Queen's Walk, London, SE1 2AA

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Members of the Committee

Nicky Gavron AM (Chair) Steve O'Connell AM (Deputy Chair) Andrew Boff AM Tom Copley AM Navin Shah AM

A meeting of the Committee has been called by the Chair of the Committee to deal with the business listed below.

Mark Roberts, Executive Director of Secretariat Monday 8 June 2015

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1 Apologies for Absence and Chair's Announcements

To receive any apologies for absence and any announcements from the Chair.

Declarations of Interests (Pages 1 - 4)

Report of the Executive Director of Secretariat.

Contact: John Johnson; email: john.johnson@london.gov.uk; telephone: 020 7983 4926

The Committee is recommended to:

- (a) Note the list of offices held by Assembly Members, as set out in the table at Agenda item 2, as disclosable pecuniary interests;
- (b) Note the declaration by any Member(s) of any disclosable pecuniary interests in specific items listed on the agenda and the necessary action taken by the Member(s) regarding withdrawal following such declaration(s); and
- (c) Note the declaration by any Member(s) of any other interests deemed to be relevant (including any interests arising from gifts and hospitality received which are not at the time of the meeting reflected on the Authority's register of gifts and hospitality, and noting also the advice from the GLA's Monitoring Officer set out at Agenda Item 2) and any necessary action taken by the Member(s) following such declaration(s).

3 Membership of the Committee

The Committee is asked to note the following membership and chairing arrangements for the Committee, as agreed at the Annual Meeting of the Assembly on 13 May 2015:

Nicky Gavron AM (Chair) Steve O'Connell AM (Deputy Chair) Andrew Boff AM Tom Copley AM Navin Shah AM

4 Terms of Reference

The Committee is asked to note the following terms of reference of the Planning Committee, as agreed at the Annual Meeting of the Assembly on 13 May 2014:

- 1. To examine and report from time to time on -
 - matters of importance to Greater London; and
 - the strategies, policies and actions of the Mayor and the Functional Bodies
 - as they relate to spatial development and planning matters in London, in particular the Mayor's Spatial Development Strategy ('The London Plan').
- 2. When invited by the Mayor, to contribute to his consideration of major planning applications.
- 3. To monitor the Mayor's exercise of his statutory powers in regard to major planning applications referred by the local planning authorities, and to report to the Assembly with any proposal for submission to the Mayor for the improvement of the process.
- 4. To review Local Development Documents submitted to the Mayor by the local planning authorities for consistency with his strategies overall, to prepare a response to the Mayor for consideration by the Assembly, and to monitor the Mayor's decisions with regard to Local Development Documents.
- 5. To consider planning matters on request from another standing committee and report its opinion to that standing committee.
- 6. To consider, as necessary, strategic planning matters as set out in The Town and Country Planning (Mayor of London) Order 2008 and to make recommendations as appropriate. (The Assembly has no powers in relation to any individual planning applications.)
- 7. To respond on behalf of the Assembly to consultations and similar processes when within its terms of reference.
- 8. To take into account in its deliberations the cross cutting themes of: the health of persons in Greater London; the achievement of sustainable development in the United Kingdom; climate change; and the promotion of opportunity.

5 Standing Delegation

The Committee is recommended to note the standing delegation to the Chair of the Committee and individual Members as agreed by the Assembly at its Annual Meeting on 13 May 2014:

[&]quot;That a general authority be delegated to the Chair, following consultation with the lead

Members of the party groups on the Committee, to respond on the Committee's behalf where it is consulted on issues by organisations and there is insufficient time to consider the consultation at a Committee meeting."

6 Minutes (Pages 5 - 140)

The Committee is recommended to confirm the minutes of the meeting of the Planning Committee held on 18 March 2015 to be signed by the Chair as a correct record.

The appendices to the minutes set out on pages 9 to 140 are attached for Members and officers only but are available from the following area of the GLA's website: http://www.london.gov.uk/mayor-assembly/london-assembly/planning

7 Summary List of Actions (Pages 141 - 142)

Report of the Executive Director of Secretariat Contact: John Johnson; john.johnson@london.gov.uk; 020 7983 4926

The Committee is recommended to note the outstanding action arising from a previous meeting of the Committee as set out in the report.

8 Minor Alterations to the London Plan and Housing SPG Consultations (Pages 143 - 148)

Report of the Executive Director of Secretariat

Contact: Paul Watling; paul.watling@london.gov.uk; 0207 983 4393

The Committee is recommended to:

- (a) Note this report as background to the discussion with invited experts on various aspects of the Mayor's proposals to revise the London Plan and Housing SPG, and to use information resulting from the meeting in the Committee's response to the Mayor's consultations; and
- (b) Agree to delegate authority to the Chair, in consultation with the Deputy Chair, to agree the Committee's final responses to the consultations on: the Minor Alterations to the London Plan by 22 June 2015; and the Draft Interim Housing SPG by 7 August 2015.

9 Responses to Planning Committee Report 'Localism in London: What's the Story?' (Pages 149 - 166)

Report of the Executive Director of Secretariat

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The Committee is recommended to note the two responses to the final report on the review of progress in London since the introduction of the Localism Act in 2011, as set out in Appendices 1 and 2 of the report.

10 Planning Committee Work Programme 2015/16 (Pages 167 - 170)

Report of the Executive Director of Secretariat

Contact: Paul Watling; paul.watling@london.gov.uk; 0207 983 4393

The Committee is recommended to:

- (a) Note this report which sets out the background and priorities for developing the Committee's work programme for the coming year;
- (b) Agree the details set out in paragraphs 4.1 4.14 as the main agenda items for each meeting of the coming year; and
- (c) Note the priorities set out in paragraph 3.4 when opportunities for revising the work programme arise in the coming year.

11 Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Committee is scheduled for 16 July 2015 at 2.00pm in Committee Room 5, City Hall.

12 Any Other Business the Chair Considers Urgent