

An EXTRAORDINARY MEETING OF THE COUNCIL will be held at the GUILDHALL, HIGH STREET, EXETER on THURSDAY 9 JANUARY 2025, at 6.00 pm, at which you are hereby summoned to attend.

If you have an enquiry regarding any items on this agenda, please contact Democratic Services – committee.services@exeter.gov.uk

The following business is proposed to be transacted:-

#### 1 Declarations of Interest

Councillors are reminded of the need to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests that relate to business on the agenda and which have not already been included in the register of interests, before any discussion takes place on the item. Unless the interest is sensitive, you must also disclose the nature of the interest. In accordance with the Council's Code of Conduct, you must then leave the room and must not participate in any further discussion of the item. Councillors requiring clarification should seek the advice of the Monitoring Officer prior to the day of the meeting.

#### 2 Local Government Act 1972 - Exclusion of Press and Public

It is considered that the Committee would be unlikely to exclude the press and public during consideration of any of the items on the agenda, but if it should wish to do so, the following resolution should be passed:-

**RECOMMENDED** that, under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the consideration of the particular item(s) on the grounds that it (they) involve(s) the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the relevant paragraphs of Part 1, Schedule 12A of the Act.

# 3 Urgent Report on the Council's proposed response to the English Devolution Whitepaper

To consider the report of the Chief Executive as a matter of urgency.

To Follow

### 4 Questions from Members of the Council Under Standing Order No. 8.

A plan of seating in the Guildhall is attached as an annexe.

Date: 6 January 2025

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## **SEATING IN THE GUILDHALL**

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### Portfolio Holders

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LD:	<b>Liberal Democrat</b>	4*
C:	Conservative:	3
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Deputy Leader and Corporate Services & City Centre Climate and Ecological Crisis and Communities Wright Vizard City Management Williams, R.T.:

Housing, Homelessness Prevention & Customer Services Leisure Services and Healthy Living Asvachin

Wood:

Leader

Foale: Arts, Culture & Tourism Allcock City Development

<sup>\*</sup> Known as the **Progressive Group**