



## **PERSONNEL COMMITTEE – TERMS OF REFERENCE**

- 1. The Council will review Personnel Committee appointments and Terms of Reference at the Annual Meeting.
- 2. The Personnel Committee will elect a Chair from its members at the first meeting it holds after the Council's Annual Meeting.
- 3. There shall be at least five members, with insofar as possible equal representation from each Ward.
- 4. The quorum shall be three members.
- 5. The Council's Standing Orders will apply to all Personnel Committee meetings.
- 6. Councillors who are not members of the Personnel Committee may attend all meetings and will be allowed to speak on agenda items at the discretion of the Chair.
- 7. The Personnel Committee will act in an advisory capacity, making recommendations to Council for final decision, with the exception of any delegated authority granted.
- 8. Notice of meetings will be publicised in accordance with the Council's Standing Order.

## THE PERSONNEL COMMITTEE WILL:

- 1. Comply fully with the Council's Policies.
- 2. Review and maintain all policies and procedures related to employee matters.
- 3. Review and implement the Council's disciplinary procedures.
- 4. Review and agree the job descriptions for each post.
- 5. Appoint staff.

## **DELEGATED AUTHORITY:**

The Council has delegated authority and responsibility for the following matters to the Finance Committee:

- Maintain the Council's employee policies and procedures,
  - o Including working jointly with Finance & Policy Committees.
- Review and maintain employee policies.
- Write job descriptions and post job adverts.
- Appoint staff.
- Implement disciplinary procedures.