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<b>Report To:</b>	<b>Inverclyde Council</b>	<b>Date:</b>	<b>19 May 2022</b>
<b>Report By:</b>	<b>Head of Legal &amp; Democratic Services</b>	<b>Report No:</b>	<b>LS/042/22</b>
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<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Appointments to Committees, Sub-Committees and Boards, Appointments of Conveners and Vice-Conveners, Appointments to Licensing Board and Appointment of Member Champions</b>		

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## **1.0 PURPOSE**

- 1.1 This report requests the Council to appoint Members to Committees, Sub Committees and Boards together with Conveners and Vice-Conveners and to appoint Members to the Inverclyde Licensing Board. The Council is also requested to appoint Member Champions.

## **2.0 SUMMARY**

- 2.1 The Council currently operates a political decision-making structure based around thematic committees. In order for the Council to become established quickly following the recent local government elections, it is recommended that the existing committee arrangements are continued, at least until the Summer recess, and that members are appointed to that structure. In accordance with the Council's Standing Orders and Scheme of Administration, such appointments should reflect, as far as practicable, the balance of political representation on the Council. Appendices 1 to 3 to this report sets out the political representation on the Council and the practical effect of the numerical entitlement, which will be updated verbally at the meeting if there are any changes proposed as a result of any political discussions.
- 2.2 The Council's key governance documents, including the Standing Orders and Scheme of Administration, were last reviewed and adopted by the Council on 17 February 2022. It is, however, recommended that Council receives a report at its June meeting with officer recommendations on proposals to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the Council's decision-making arrangements and reflect the various decisions taken at this meeting of the Council.

## **3.0 RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 3.1 That the Council notes the adoption on 17 February 2022 of those key governance documents referred to at paragraph 4.2 of this report, and approves the continued adoption of the thematic committee structure that was in place prior to the local government elections, but subject to the Head of Legal & Democratic Services bringing forward a report to the next meeting of the Council to suggest any proposed alterations that might be made to the said governance documents and structure to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the Council's decision-making arrangements and taking into account the decisions taken in respect of other reports on the agenda for this meeting.
- 3.2 That the Council appoints Members to its Committees, Sub-Committees and Boards together with Conveners and Vice-Conveners, the positions in question being as shown outlined in Appendix 4 to this report.

- 3.3 That the Council appoints the various Member Champions, the positions in question being as detailed in paragraph 5.7 of this report, noting that officers will undertake a review of the current arrangements, with any proposed changes being the subject of a future report to the Council.
- 3.4 That the Council agrees to continue the use of the Strategic Leadership Forum and Members Budget Working Group, with the membership of those being as set out in paragraph 5.8 of this report, noting that officers will undertake a review of the current arrangements, with any proposed changes being the subject of a future report to the Council.
- 3.5 That the Council appoints 8 Members to the Inverclyde Licensing Board, noting the requirements at paragraphs 5.9 to 5.12 of this report.
- 3.6 That the Council notes that those members of the Education & Communities Committee that are not Elected Members will continue to be appointed by that Committee, as referred to in paragraph 5.13 of this report.
- 3.7 That the Council notes that those members of the Education Appeals Committee that are not Elected Members will continue to be appointed by Education & Communities Committee, as referred to in paragraph 5.14 of this report.
- 3.8 That the Council appoints all Members, other than those Members appointed to the Education & Communities Committee, to a panel from which attendance at the Education Appeals Committee will be drawn as referred to in paragraph 5.15 of this report.

**Iain Strachan**  
**Head of Legal & Democratic Services**

## **4.0 BACKGROUND AND CONSIDERATIONS**

- 4.1 The Council's powers all lie with the full Council and without arrangements to delegate those powers, all decisions would have to be taken at full Council meetings. To enable more efficient decision making to occur, legislation empowers the Council to arrange for the discharge of its functions by delegation to Committee, Sub-Committees and officers.
- 4.2 The Council has certain key governance documents that regulate the manner in which it operates, in order for it to meet its legal duties and operate in an efficient and effective manner. These are the Standing Orders and Scheme of Administration, the Scheme of Delegation (Officers), the Standing Orders relating to Contracts and the Financial Regulations. These documents were most recently reviewed and adopted by Inverclyde Council on 17 February 2022, and as such no changes are proposed at this time.
- 4.3 The Council currently operates a political decision-making structure based around thematic committees. In order for the Council to become established quickly following the recent local government elections, it is recommended that the existing committee arrangements are continued, at least until the Summer recess, and that members are appointed to that structure.
- 4.4 Standing Order 54 of the Council's Standing Orders and Scheme of Administration requires the Council to ensure, as far as practicable, that in making appointments to Committees, Sub-Committees and outside bodies (but only where more than two representatives of the Council to an outside body are required) the balance of political representation on the Council is reflected.

## **5.0 MEMBER APPOINTMENTS**

- 5.1 Following the local government elections on 5 May 2022, the political balance of the Council is as follows:-

Labour	9 Members
SNP	8 Members
Scottish Conservative and Unionist	2 Members
Independent Internal Coalition	3 Members
- 5.2 Appendices 1 to 3 set out the political representation on the Council and the practical effect of the numerical entitlement, together with a suggested representation in terms of the above-mentioned Standing Order 54 and appointment to the Council's main thematic Committees and other Boards that also have 11 members.
- 5.3 By way of explanation, those members who were not elected as a representative for a particular political party have been treated as a distinct partnership, with their collective numerical entitlement being calculated accordingly. This is based upon officer discussion with those said elected members and the expectation that a formalised coalition arrangement is entered into between them, and is also consistent with arrangements during the previous term of the Council. The Appendices will be updated verbally at the meeting if there are any changes proposed as a result of any political discussions. Appendices 2 and 3 set out the same information in respect of the Council's other Committees, Sub-Committees and Boards.
- 5.4 It is also to be noted that groups are not obliged to take up the full allocation they might otherwise be entitled to. Members will also want to consider which appointments they might be better suited to, including by considering the nature of the role and the number of potential meetings.
- 5.5 The Council is free to alter its decision-making structure at any time. It is, however, recommended that Council receives a report at its June meeting with officer recommendations on proposed alterations that might be made to the said governance documents and structure

to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the Council's decision-making arrangements and reflect the various decisions taken at this meeting of the Council.

- 5.6 Pending such a report being brought forward, the Council is recommended to appoint Members to its Committees, Sub-Committees and Boards together with Conveners and Vice-Conveners, the positions in question being as shown outlined in Appendix 4 to this report. The remits of the Committees, Sub-Committees and Boards are outlined in the Standing Orders and Scheme of Administration. More detail on the role of Conveners is given in the Members' Handbook.
- 5.7 The Council has traditionally appointed a number of Member Champions, on a cross-party basis for agreed, key policy areas with approved remits for the roles. The main purpose of the role of Champion is to be the Council's ambassador for the identified policy area. The Champion roles and remits were last reviewed by Council on 26 September 2019. The Council is recommended to appoint the various Member Champions, the positions in question being as undernoted, but noting that officers will undertake a review of the current arrangements, with any proposed changes being the subject of a future report to the Council:
- Older People's Champions:
  - Community Council Champion:
  - Young People's Champion:
  - Carers' Champion:
  - Armed Forces' Champion:
  - Healthy Lifestyles Champion:
  - Welfare and Financial Inclusion Champion:
  - Sports Champion:
  - Women's Champion
- 5.8 The Council has a number of established informal working groups involving Members. These include the Strategic Leadership Forum (SLF) and the Members Budget Working Group (MBWG). The SLF is a forum for the Chief Executive and senior officers to share matters of particular importance or sensitivity with the leaders of those political groups represented on the Council, together with the Depute Leader, including to seek their input on such matters. During the term of the previous Council those Members not representing a particular political party also had the ability to nominate a representative to be part of the SLF. The MBWG is a forum for cross-party scrutiny, consideration and development of the Council's budget proposals. It is recommended that the Council agrees to the continued establishment of both the SLF and the MBWG, both groups comprising (i) the leaders of those political groups represented on the Council, (ii) the Depute Leader of the Council and (iii) a representative of those Members not representing a particular political party, but again noting that officers will undertake a review of the current arrangements, with any proposed changes being the subject of a future report to the Council.
- 5.9 Inverclyde Licensing Board is a separate legal entity from the Council. Under the Licensing (Scotland) Act 2005 (the 2005 Act), Section 5 and Schedule 1, licensing boards are appointed by the local authority to deal with the administration of liquor licensing. There is a single licensing board for the entire Inverclyde local authority area. The Inverclyde Licensing Board is not a Board of the Local authority, but is a *quasi judicial* body that acts independently. The next meeting of the Inverclyde Licensing Board is due to take place on 23 June 2022 when the Chair and Vice-Chair of the Inverclyde Licensing board will be appointed.
- 5.10 Statutory disqualifications from membership of the Board are:-
- A Premises Licence Holder;
  - An employee of a Premises Licence Holder and who works as such in the licensed premises;
  - A person whether alone or in partnership with another person engaged in the business

of producing or selling alcohol;

- A director or other officer of the company so engaged; and
- An employee of any person so engaged and who works as such in that business.

- 5.11 Where the above does not apply and Board members are appointed there may be other instances where members should be excluded from the business of the Board, for example where a member has an interest in an application made to the Board.
- 5.12 It is a requirement of the 2005 Act that a Member of a Licensing Board must not take part in proceedings of the Board until the necessary training has been undertaken and this training must be undertaken within three months of the Board Member's appointment to the Board. The statutory training for Board Members has been arranged for 27 May 2022. The training requirements are prescribed by the Scottish Ministers.
- 5.13 Section 124 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (as amended) requires that any Committee appointed by the Council to deal with matters relating to the discharge of the Council's functions as education authority must include amongst its membership, 3 statutory religious representatives. These appointments are dealt with by the Education & Communities Committee, being the Committee that has responsibility for such education matters. The Committee also includes 2 other representatives, being a parent representative and a teacher representative. As reported to the said Committee on 8 March 2022, the elections for those 2 positions are held following the local government elections, this being in terms of separate Schemes of Arrangements which have been approved by the Council, with the results of those elections being reported to the first available meeting of the Committee. It is recommended that the Council notes these arrangements.
- 5.14 The Education Appeals Committee hears appeals against refused placing requests or exclusions from schools. This Committee consists of one Elected Member, who does not sit on the Education & Communities Committee, and who chairs the meeting, and two volunteer lay persons. The Council currently has a pool of 5 such lay persons, being Eleanor Di Murro, Margaret Dyer, Christine Hall, Michelle McKnight and Glen Miller. It is recommended that the Council notes the continued appointment of those current lay persons, with the appointment of any replacements again being dealt with by the Education & Communities Committee.
- 5.15 In line with previous practice, it is recommended that Member representation on the Education Appeals Committee will be drawn from those Members who are not appointed to the Education & Communities Committee. It is recommended that the Council agrees to this approach.

## 6.0 IMPLICATIONS

### Finance

- 6.1 This report has no direct financial implications.

#### One off Costs

Cost Centre	Budget Heading	Budget Years	Proposed Spend this Report	Virement From	Other Comments
N/A					

#### Annually Recurring Costs/ (Savings)

Cost Centre	Budget Heading	With Effect from	Annual Net Impact	Virement From (If Applicable)	Other Comments
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N/A					
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## Legal

- 6.2 The legal considerations are contained within this report.

## Human Resources

- 6.3 There are no HR implications arising as a result of this report.

## Equalities

- 6.4 Equalities

Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out?

	YES
X	NO – This report does not introduce a new policy, function or strategy or recommend a substantive change to an existing policy, function or strategy. Therefore, no Equality Impact Assessment is required

## Fairer Scotland Duty

- 6.5 If this report affects or proposes any major strategic decision:-

Has there been active consideration of how this report's recommendations reduce inequalities of outcome?

	YES – A written statement showing how this report's recommendations reduce inequalities of outcome caused by socio-economic disadvantage has been completed.
X	NO

## Data Protection

- 6.6 Has a Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA) been carried out?

	YES – This report involves data processing which may result in a high risk to the rights and freedoms of individuals.
X	NO – This report does not involve data processing such that would necessitate a DPIA.

## Repopulation

- 6.7 There are no repopulation implications arising from this report.

## 7.0 CONSULTATIONS

- 7.1 None.

## **8.0 LIST OF BACK GROUND PAPERS**

### **8.1 Standing Orders and Scheme of Administration:**

<https://www.inverclyde.gov.uk/assets/attach/14850/Standing-Orders-and-Scheme-of-Administration-March-2022.pdf>

### **8.2 Scheme of Delegation (Officers):**

<https://www.inverclyde.gov.uk/assets/attach/14851/Scheme-of-Delegation-Officers-March-2022.pdf>

### **8.3 Standing Orders relating to Contracts:**

<https://www.inverclyde.gov.uk/assets/attach/14852/Standing-Orders-Relating-to-Contracts-March-2022.pdf>

### **8.4 Financial Regulations:**

<https://www.inverclyde.gov.uk/assets/attach/14856/Financial-Regulations-March-2022.pdf>

**POLITICAL BALANCE (STANDING COMMITTEES, GENERAL PURPOSES BOARD, PLANNING BOARD and LOCAL POLICE & FIRE SCRUTINY)**

PARTY	NO. OF ELECTED MEMBERS	% OF TOTAL	NUMERICAL ENTITLEMENT	NUMERICAL ENTITLEMENT ROUNDED TO NEAREST 0.5*	SUGGESTED REPRESENTATION
Scottish Labour Party	9	40.90	4.5	4.5	4 or 5**
Scottish National Party	8	36.36	4	4	4
Internal Independent Coalition	3	13.64	1.5	1.5	1 or 2**
Scottish Conservative & Unionist	2	9.09	1	1	1
	<b>22</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>11</b>	-	<b>11</b>

- \* In order to apply a consistent approach to the suggested representation based upon the Council's political balance, the numerical entitlement has been rounded (whether that be higher or lower) to the nearest 0.5.
- \*\* In the absence of agreement between the Scottish Labour Party (Labour) and the Internal Independent Coalition (IIC) on the specific arrangements to effect the solution for the **4.5 Labour** and **1.5 IIC** numerical entitlement, the Council's Standing Orders requirement to seek to achieve a balance of political representation would be met by alternate **4 Labour/2 IIC** and **5 Labour/1 IIC** representation on the 4 thematic committees (Policy & Resources, Environment & Regeneration, Education & Communities and Health & Social Care) and a similar arrangement for the Audit Committee, General Purposes Board, Planning Board and Local Police & Fire Scrutiny.



**POLITICAL BALANCE (OTHER COUNCIL COMMITTEES ETC)****5 REPRESENTATIVES (2 - Human Resources Appeals Board and Housing (Landlord Registration) Sub-Committee)**

<b>PARTY</b>	<b>NO. OF ELECTED MEMBERS</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>	<b>NUMERICAL ENTITLEMENT</b>	<b>NUMERICAL ENTITLEMENT ROUNDED TO NEAREST 0.5*</b>	<b>SUGGESTED REPRESENTATION PARTY-BY-PARTY**</b>
Labour	9	40.90	2.05	2	2
SNP	8	36.36	1.82	2	2
Conservative	2	9.09	0.45	0.5	0 or 1
Internal Independent Coalition	3	13.64	0.68	0.5	0 or 1

**6 REPRESENTATIVES (3, P&R Exec Sub-Committee, Grants Sub-Committee and Petitions Committee)**

<b>PARTY</b>	<b>NO. OF ELECTED MEMBERS</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>	<b>NUMERICAL ENTITLEMENT</b>	<b>NUMERICAL ENTITLEMENT ROUNDED TO NEAREST 0.5*</b>	<b>SUGGESTED REPRESENTATION PARTY-BY-PARTY**</b>
Labour	9	40.90	2.45	2.5	2 or 3
SNP	8	36.36	2.18	2	2
Conservative	2	9.09	0.55	0.5	0 or 1
Internal Independent Coalition	3	13.64	0.82	1	1

**7 REPRESENTATIVES (1, Local Review Body)**

<b>PARTY</b>	<b>NO. OF ELECTED MEMBERS</b>	<b>% OF TOTAL</b>	<b>NUMERICAL ENTITLEMENT</b>	<b>NUMERICAL ENTITLEMENT ROUNDED TO NEAREST 0.5*</b>	<b>SUGGESTED REPRESENTATION PARTY-BY-PARTY**</b>
Labour	9	40.90	2.86	3	3
SNP	8	36.36	2.55	2.5	2 or 3
Conservative	2	9.09	0.64	0.5	0 or 1
Internal Independent Coalition	3	13.64	0.95	1	1

- \*In order to apply a consistent approach to the suggested representation based upon the Council's political balance, the numerical entitlement has been rounded (whether that be higher or lower) to the nearest 0.5.
- \*\* Where alternatives are given (e.g. "0 or 1" or "2 or 3"), then it would be for the groups in question to seek to agree the specific arrangements to effect the solution for their respective numerical entitlement, with the requirement in the Council's Standing Orders to seek to achieve a balance of political representation being capable of being met by those groups agreeing to alternate representation where the same applies to more than 1 appointment.

**SUGGESTED MEMBERSHIP OF COMMITTEES, SUB-COMMITTEES AND BOARDS**

COMMITTEE	NO. MEMBERS ON COMMITTEE	LABOUR	SNP	CONS	INDEPENDENT
Policy & Resources	11	4 or 5*	4	1	1 or 2*
Environment & Regeneration	11	4 or 5*	4	1	1 or 2*
Education & Communities	11	4 or 5*	4	1	1 or 2*
Health & Social Care	11	4 or 5*	4	1	1 or 2*
Audit	11	4 or 5*	4	1	1 or 2*
General Purposes Board	11	4 or 5*	4	1	1 or 2*
Planning Board	11	4 or 5*	4	1	1 or 2*
Local Review Body***	7	3	2 or 3	0 or 1	1
Policy & Resources Executive Sub-Committee***	6	2 or 3	2	0 or 1	1
Human Resources Appeals Board***	5	2	2	0 or 1	0 or 1
Housing (Landlord Registration) Sub-Committee***	5	2	2	0 or 1	0 or 1
Grants Sub-Committee***	6	2 or 3	2	0 or 1	1
Local Police & Fire Scrutiny	11	4 or 5*	4	1	1 or 2*
Inverclyde Licensing Board	8	3 or 4**	3**	0 or 1**	1**
Petitions Committee***	6	2 or 3	2	0 or 1	1

- \*In the absence of agreement between the Scottish Labour Party (Labour) and the Scottish National Party (SNP) on the specific arrangements to effect the solution for the **4.5 Labour** and **1.5 IIC** numerical entitlement, the Council's Standing Orders requirement to seek to achieve a balance of political representation would be met by alternate **4 Labour/2 IIC** and **5 Labour/1 IIC** representation on the 4 thematic committees (Policy & Resources, Environment & Regeneration, Education & Communities and Health & Social Care) and a similar arrangement for the Audit Committee, General Purposes Board, Planning Board and Local Police & Fire Scrutiny.

- \*\*The proposed appointments to the Inverclyde Licensing Board are based upon the following numerical entitlements, namely 3.27 (rounded to 3.5) (Labour), 2.9 (rounded to 3) (SNP), 0.73 (rounded to 0.5) (Scottish Conservative & Unionist) and 1.09 (rounded to 1) (IIC). Again, where alternatives are given (e.g. "0 or 1" or "2 or 3"), then it would be for the groups in question to seek to agree the specific arrangements to effect the solution for their respective numerical entitlement, with the requirement in the Council's Standing Orders to seek to achieve a balance of political representation being capable of being met by those groups agreeing to alternate representation where the same applies to more than 1 appointment.
- \*\*\* Suggested on the basis of the representations calculated in Appendix 2. Again, where alternatives are given (e.g. "0 or 1" or "2 or 3"), then it would be for the groups in question to seek to agree the specific arrangements to effect the solution for their respective numerical entitlement, with the requirement in the Council's Standing Orders to seek to achieve a balance of political representation being capable of being met by those groups agreeing to alternate representation where the same applies to more than 1 appointment.

## THE INVERCLYDE COUNCIL

MEMBERSHIP OF COMMITTEES, SUB-COMMITTEES AND BOARDS  
WITH CONVENERS AND VICE-CONVENERS

## POLICY &amp; RESOURCES COMMITTEE

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|---------------|----------------|
| 1. Councillor | 7. Councillor  |
| 2. Councillor | 8. Councillor  |
| 3. Councillor | 9. Councillor  |
| 4. Councillor | 10. Councillor |
| 5. Councillor | 11. Councillor |
| 6. Councillor |                |

**Convener:** Councillor**Vice-Convener:** Councillor

## ENVIRONMENT &amp; REGENERATION COMMITTEE

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| 1. Councillor | 7. Councillor  |
| 2. Councillor | 8. Councillor  |
| 3. Councillor | 9. Councillor  |
| 4. Councillor | 10. Councillor |
| 5. Councillor | 11. Councillor |
| 6. Councillor |                |

**Convener:** Councillor

<b>Vice-Conveners:</b> Councillor	(Environment)
Councillor	(Regeneration)

## EDUCATION &amp; COMMUNITIES COMMITTEE

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|---------------|----------------|
| 1. Councillor | 7. Councillor  |
| 2. Councillor | 8. Councillor  |
| 3. Councillor | 9. Councillor  |
| 4. Councillor | 10. Councillor |
| 5. Councillor | 11. Councillor |
| 6. Councillor |                |

**Church Representatives:****Parent Representative:****Teacher Representative:****Convener:** Councillor

<b>Vice-Convener:</b> Councillor	(Education)
Councillor	(Communities)

## HEALTH &amp; SOCIAL CARE COMMITTEE

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| 1. Councillor | 7. Councillor  |
| 2. Councillor | 8. Councillor  |
| 3. Councillor | 9. Councillor  |
| 4. Councillor | 10. Councillor |
| 5. Councillor | 11. Councillor |
| 6. Councillor |                |

**Convener:** Councillor**Vice-Convener:** Councillor

### AUDIT COMMITTEE

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| 1. Councillor | 7. Councillor  |
| 2. Councillor | 8. Councillor  |
| 3. Councillor | 9. Councillor  |
| 4. Councillor | 10. Councillor |
| 5. Councillor | 11. Councillor |
| 6. Councillor |                |

**Convener:** Councillor  
**Vice-Convener:** Councillor

### GENERAL PURPOSES BOARD

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|---------------|----------------|
| 1. Councillor | 7. Councillor  |
| 2. Councillor | 8. Councillor  |
| 3. Councillor | 9. Councillor  |
| 4. Councillor | 10. Councillor |
| 5. Councillor | 11. Councillor |
| 6. Councillor |                |

**Chair:** Councillor  
**Vice-Chair:** Councillor

### PLANNING BOARD

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|---------------|----------------|
| 1. Councillor | 7. Councillor  |
| 2. Councillor | 8. Councillor  |
| 3. Councillor | 9. Councillor  |
| 4. Councillor | 10. Councillor |
| 5. Councillor | 11. Councillor |
| 6. Councillor |                |

**Chair:** Councillor  
**Vice-Chair:** Councillor

### HUMAN RESOURCES APPEALS BOARD

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| 1. Councillor | 4. Councillor |
| 2. Councillor | 5. Councillor |
| 3. Councillor |               |

**Chair:** Councillor  
**Vice-Chair:** Councillor

### POLICY & RESOURCES EXECUTIVE SUB-COMMITTEE

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| 1. Councillor | 4. Councillor |
| 2. Councillor | 5. Councillor |
| 3. Councillor | 6. Councillor |

**Convener:** Councillor  
**Vice-Convener:** Councillor

### HOUSING (LANDLORD REGISTRATION) SUB-COMMITTEE

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| 1. Councillor | 4. Councillor |
| 2. Councillor | 5. Councillor |
| 3. Councillor |               |

**Chair:** Councillor

## GRANTS SUB-COMMITTEE

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| 1. Councillor | 4. Councillor |
| 2. Councillor | 5. Councillor |
| 3. Councillor | 6. Councillor |
- Chair:** Councillor

## INVERCLYDE LICENSING BOARD

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| 1. Councillor | 5. Councillor |
| 2. Councillor | 6. Councillor |
| 3. Councillor | 7. Councillor |
| 4. Councillor | 8. Councillor |
- Chair:** Councillor  
**Vice-Chair:** Councillor

## LOCAL REVIEW BODY

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| 1. Councillor | 5. Councillor |
| 2. Councillor | 6. Councillor |
| 3. Councillor | 7. Councillor |
| 4. Councillor |               |
- Chair:** Councillor  
**Vice-Chair:** Councillor

## LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

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|---------------|----------------|
| 1. Councillor | 7. Councillor  |
| 2. Councillor | 8. Councillor  |
| 3. Councillor | 9. Councillor  |
| 4. Councillor | 10. Councillor |
| 5. Councillor | 11. Councillor |
| 6. Councillor |                |
- Chair:** Councillor  
**Vice-Chair:** Councillor

## PETITIONS COMMITTEE

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| 1. Councillor | 4. Councillor |
| 2. Councillor | 5. Councillor |
| 3. Councillor | 6. Councillor |
- Convener:** Councillor  
**Vice-Convener:** Councillor

## EDUCATION APPEALS COMMITTEE (PLACING REQUESTS AND EXCLUSIONS)

1 Councillor (**not** on Education and Communities Committee) to serve on a rota basis and 2 lay persons.

## MEMBER CHAMPIONS

**Older People's Champions:** Councillor  
**Community Council Champion:** Councillor  
**Young People's Champion:** Councillor  
**Carers' Champion:** Councillor  
**Armed Forces Champion:** Councillor  
**Healthy Lifestyles Champion:** Councillor  
**Welfare and Financial Inclusion Champion:** Councillor  
**Sports Champion:** Councillor  
**Women's Champion:** Councillor