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Council

To the Members of Thurrock Council

The next meeting of the Council will be held at **7.00 pm** on **24 February 2016**

Council Chamber, Civic Offices, New Road, Grays, Essex RM17 6SL

Membership of the Council:

Sue Gray (Mayor)
Cathy Kent (Deputy Mayor)

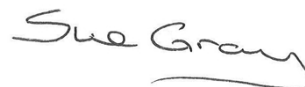
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Jan Baker
Clare Baldwin
Russell Cherry
Colin Churchman
Mark Coxshall
Leslie Gamester
Oliver Gerrish
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Yash Gupta (MBE)
Graham Hamilton
Garry Hague
James Halden
Shane Hebb

Terence Hipsey
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Tom Kelly
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Deborah Stewart
Michael Stone
Pauline Tolson
Kevin Wheeler
Lynn Worrall



Lyn Carpenter
Chief Executive



Councillor Sue Gray
Mayor of Thurrock

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	To receive additional items that the Mayor is of the opinion should be considered as a matter of urgency, in accordance with Section 100B (4) (b) of the Local Government Act 1972.	
4	Declaration of Interests	
	To receive any declaration of interests from Members.	
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Name of Committee	Date
Children's Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee	10 November 2015
Planning Transport and Regeneration Overview and Scrutiny Committee	4 November 2015
Cleaner Greener and Safer Overview and Scrutiny Committee	12 November 2015
Corporate Overview and Scrutiny Committee	7 January 2016
Children's Services Overview and Scrutiny Committee	19 January 2016
Planning Committee	14 January 2016

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In accordance with Chapter 2, Part 2 (Rule 15) of the Council's Constitution.

Queries regarding this Agenda or notification of apologies:

Please contact Jenny Shade, Senior Democratic Services Officer by sending an email to Direct.Democracy@thurrock.gov.uk

Future Dates of Council:

23 March 2016, 25 May 2016 (Annual Council)