

## Weston-super-Mare Town Councillors Committee Membership & External Liaison Bodies 2023/2024 (APPROVED @ TC on 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023)

(NB Political group column indicative only (based on method of calculation for principal councils) but can be changed by agreement of Town Council/Groups)

No of Members	Political Group	Town Councillor	Responsible for/to	Meeting Frequency	Chairman / Vice Chairman
<b>Policy &amp; Finance Committee (Quorum 5)</b>			Main policy making Committee of the Council, considers the broad social and economic needs of the Parish	Bi-monthly	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	Alan Peak			Chairman
2	LAB	Tim Taylor			
3	LAB	Helen Thornton			
4	LAB	Hugh Malyan			
5	CON	Gill Bute			
6	CON	Lisa Pilgrim			
7	CON	Martin Williams			
8	LIB DEM	Mark Canniford			Vice Chairman
9	LIB DEM	John Crockford-Hawley			
10	LIB DEM	Robert Payne			
<b>Community Services Committee (Quorum 5)</b>			Community Events, Milton Road Cemetery, Grants, Dog Bins, Allotments, Street Naming, WIB, CCTV, Public Toilets, Youth Café (YMCA)	Bi-monthly	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	James Clayton			Chairman
2	LAB	Robert Skeen			
3	LAB	Owen James			
4	LAB	John Carson			
5	CON	Roger Bailey			
6	CON	Justyna Pecak-Michalowicz			
7	CON	John Standfield			
8	LIB DEM	Ray Armstrong			
9	LIB DEM	Joe Bambridge			Vice Chairman
10	LIB DEM	Caroline Reynolds			

<b>Tourism and Leisure Committee (Quorum 5)</b>			Tourism Promotion and Marketing, Play Areas, Parks, Water Park and Leisure Facilities	Bi-monthly	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	Richard Tucker			
2	LAB	Catherine Gibbons			
3	LAB	Simon Harrison-Morse			Vice Chairman
4	LAB	Annabelle Chard			
5	CON	Peter Crew			Chairman
6	CON	Roger Bailey			
7	CON	John Standfield			
8	LIB DEM	Joe Bambridge			
9	LIB DEM	Mike Bell			
10	LIB DEM	Caroline Reynolds			
<b>Personnel Committee (Quorum 4)</b>			Staffing structure and establishment HR policies, Regrading's, Pensions, Training and Appeals Sub cttee	Quarterly	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	Tim Taylor			Chairman
2	LAB	Catherine Gibbons			
3	LAB	Charles Williams			
4	LAB	Annabelle Chard			
5	CON	Gill Bute			
6	CON	Martin Williams			Vice Chairman
7	CON	Justyna Pecak-Michalowicz			
8	LIB DEM	Mark Canniford			
9	LIB DEM	Jemma Coles			
<b>Planning Committee (Quorum 4)</b>			Statutory Consultee for Planning Applications, Development Plans, Transport, Public Paths, Highways, Traffic Management, Vehicle Parking and Disabled Parking Bays	Every 4 weeks	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	Alan Peak			Chairman
2	LAB	Tim Taylor			
3	LAB	Richard Tucker			
4	LAB	Simon Harrison-Morse			
5	CON	Justyna Pecak-Michalowicz			
6	CON	John Standfield			
7	LIB DEM	Ray Armstrong			Vice Chairman
8	LIB DEM	Caroline Reynolds			

<b>Heritage Arts &amp; Culture Committee (Quorum 3)</b>			All heritage, arts and culture related issues, Weston Museum and Blakehay Theatre	Bi Monthly (excluding peak season)	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	Helen Thornton			
2	LAB	Catherine Gibbons			
3	LAB	Charlie Williams			
4	CON	Mark Aplin			
5	CON	Peter Crew			Vice Chairman
6	LIB DEM	John Crockford-Hawley			Chairman
7	LIB DEM	Jemma Coles			
<b>&amp; co-opted members</b>					
<b>Expenditure &amp; Governance Working Party (Quorum 4)</b>			To review the efficiency, effectiveness and social value of all town council services, functions and policies and to make recommendations to the Policy & Finance Committee or other appropriate decision makers under the Council's Committee Terms of Reference and Scheme of Delegation	Bi-monthly	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	Catherine Gibbons			
2	LAB	Alan Peak			
3	LAB	Richard Tucker			
4	LAB	Hugh Malyan			
5	CON	Peter Crew			Vice Chairman
6	CON	Marcia Pepperall			
7	CON	Roger Bailey			
8	LIB DEM	Robert Payne			Chairman
9	LIB DEM	Jemma Coles			
<b>Civic Consultation Group</b>			Reporting to Policy & Finance Committee	As required	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	TBA	MAYOR			Chairman
2	TBA	DEPUTY MAYOR			Vice Chairman
4	LAB	GROUP LEADER OR DEPUTY			
3	CON	GROUP LEADER OR DEPUTY			
5	LIB DEM	GROUP LEADER OR DEPUTY			

<b>Youth Council</b>			Reporting to Policy and Finance Committee	Monthly	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	Charles Williams			
2	LAB	James Clayton			
3	CON	Justyna Pecak-Michalowicz			
4	LIB DEM	Joe Bambridge			
<b>&amp; Youth Cllrs</b>					
<b>Weston In Bloom Working Party (Quorum 3)</b>			Reporting to Community Services Committee	July–Jan every 2 months, Feb–June monthly	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	Helen Thornton			
2	LAB	VACANCY			
3	LAB	VACANCY			
4	CON	Roger Bailey			
5	CON	Justyna Pecak-Michalowicz			
6	LIB DEM	Ray Armstrong			
<b>&amp; co-opted members</b>					
<b>Climate Change Working Party (Quorum 2)</b>			To oversee and action the Council's Climate Change Commitment to become net carbon neutral by 2030 and the Road Map to Zero making recommendations to the Town Council	Bi-Monthly	<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	Catherine Gibbons			
2	LAB	Helen Thornton			
3	CON	Lisa Pilgrim			
4	CON	VACANCY			
5	LIB DEM	Robert Payne			
<b>&amp; co-opted members</b>					
<b>HQ Working Party (Quorum 3)</b>			To give direction for the redevelopment of the new HQ building, reporting to the Policy and Finance Committee		<b>Chairman / Vice Chairman</b>
1	LAB	Catherine Gibbons			
2	LAB	Charles Williams			Vice Chairman
3	LAB	Alan Peak			
4	CON	Gill Bute			
5	CON	Martin Williams			
6	LIB DEM	Robert Payne			
7	LIB DEM	John Crockford-Hawley			Chairman

<b>&amp; co-opted members</b>			
<b>Representatives on External Organisations</b>			<b>Meetings arranged by the organisation</b>
<b>Organisation</b>	<b>Representative(s)</b>		<b>Comments</b>
Armed Forces Champions	Alan Peak		
Allotments Champion	Roger Bailey		
Birnbeck Regeneration Trust	John Crockford-Hawley Charles Williams		
Bristol Airport Consultative Committee	Catherine Gibbons		
Citizens Advice Bureau	Robert Payne		
Fair trade Weston Steering Group			
North Somerset Council standards sub committee	Tim Taylor		
Single and Street Homelessness Partnership	James Clayton		
Town Centre Partnership (3 representatives)	Robert Payne Martin Williams		
Weston Placemaking	Jemma Coles		
Winter Gardens Community Board	VACANCY		
Wyndham Lecture Trust	Catherine Gibbons		
YMCA	VACANCY		

<b>Political Group 2023/24</b>	<b>Political Group Leader 2023/24</b>	<b>Dep Political Group Leader 2023/24</b>
Labour	Alan Peak	James Clayton
Conservative	Gill Bute	Martin Williams
Liberal Democrat	John Crockford-Hawley	Robert Payne

**Signed:**

**Leader of the Town Council:** .....Alan Peak.....

**Deputy Leader of the Town Council:** .....John Crockford Hawley.....  
(As resolved at Town Council on the 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023)