

MEMORANDUM: LORD MAYOR

DEPUTY LORD MAYOR ELECTED MEMBERS

## CITY PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Meeting: City Planning Committee Meeting date: 24 January

2022

Raised by: Alderman Briscoe

## Question:

Can the Acting Director request via the appropriate channels if the City Planning Committee is able to meet in person?

## Response:

A recommendation has been made by the Chief Executive Officer in line with the Council's COVID Safe Plan for meetings, for all Council meetings and Committee meetings to occur online. Avoiding face-to-face meetings mitigates the ongoing risk posed by COVID to Elected Members and members of the public. This was communicated to all Elected Members by the CEO on 25 December 2021. The CEO will monitor these arrangements regularly as the COVID-19 situation changes.

As signatory to this report, I certify that, pursuant to Section 55(1) of the Local Government Act 1993, I hold no interest, as referred to in Section 49 of the Local Government Act 1993, in matters contained in this report.

Neil Noye

**DIRECTOR CITY PLANNING** 

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