

Allocation of Seats on Committees, Sub-Committees, Boards and Working Groups Between Political Groups

Note:

Seats in relation to the meetings below have been allocated between groups by agreement and in accordance with the rules on political balance contained within the Local Government and Housing Act 1989. Under the Local Government Act 2000, a single party Cabinet is not subject to proportionality requirements.

	Total	Lib Dem	Labour	Green	Con	Ind	Lab Ind
Cabinet Function							
Cabinet	8						
Staffing Matters & Urgency Committee	5	1	2	0	1	1	0
Chair – Leader of Council							
Quasi – Judicial/Regulatory Function							
	Total	Lib Dem	Labour	Green	Con	Ind	Lab Ind
Planning Committee	17	3	8	1	3	1	1
Area Planning Sub-Committee	11	2	5	0	3	0	1
Audit & Governance Committee	7	1	3	1	1	0	1
Gambling, Licensing and Regulatory Committee	15	3	7	0	3	1	1
Corporate Appeals Panel	3	1	1	0	1	0	0
Housing Appeals Panel	3	0	2	0	1	0	0
Education Appeals Panel	3	1	1	0	1	0	0
Environment Appeals Panel	3	1	1	0	1	0	0

Scrutiny Function

	Total	Lib Dem	Labour	Green	Con	Ind	Lab Ind
Corporate and Scrutiny Management Committee	11	2	5	1	2	0	1
Economic and City Development Overview & Scrutiny Committee	7	1	4	1	1	0	0
Community Safety Overview & Scrutiny Committee	7	2	3	0	1	1	0
Health Overview & Scrutiny Committee	7	1	3	0	2	1	0
Learning and Culture Overview & Scrutiny Committee	7	1	3	1	1	1	0
North Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Authority	4	1	2	0	1	0	0
Total seats to which proportionality must be applied	110						
Seat entitlement per Group		21	49	5	23	7	5

Note: In view of the nature of the work of the Joint Standards Committee, Council has previously agreed not to apply proportionality strictly to the Committee to which appointments are to be made on the following basis:

	Total	Lib Dem	Labour	Green	Con	Ind	Lab Ind
Joint Standards Committee	4	1	1	1	1	0	0

Proportionality on Working Groups does not strictly apply. However, Council has traditionally decided to apply proportionality on these wherever possible, represented as follows for 2014/15:

Member Support Steering Group

Local Plan Working Group