



**Notice of a public  
Decision Session - Executive Member for Environment and Climate  
Emergency**

**To:** Councillor Kent (Executive Member)

**Date:** Tuesday, 18 March 2025

**Time:** 10.00 am

**Venue:** West Offices - Station Rise, York YO1 6GA

**AGENDA**

**Notice to Members – Post Decision Calling In:**

Members are reminded that, should they wish to call in any item\* on this agenda, notice must be given to Democratic Services by **4:00pm on 25 March 2025**.

\*With the exception of matters that have been the subject of a previous call in, require Full Council approval or are urgent, which are not subject to the call-in provisions. Any called in items will be considered by the Corporate Services, Climate Change and Scrutiny Management Committee.

Written representations in respect of items on this agenda should be submitted to Democratic Services by **5.00 pm on Friday, 14 March 2025**.

**1. Apologies for Absence**

To receive and note apologies for absence.

**2. Declarations of Interest** (Pages 7 - 8)

At this point in the meeting, the Executive Member is asked to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest, or other registerable interest, they might have in respect of business on this agenda, if they have not already done so in advance on the Register of

Interests. The disclosure must include the nature of the interest.

An interest must also be disclosed in the meeting when it becomes apparent to the member during the meeting.

*[Please see attached sheet for further guidance for Members].*

**3. Minutes** (Pages 9 - 12)

To approve and sign the minutes of the Decision Session held on 19 November 2024.

**4. Public Participation**

At this point in the meeting members of the public who have registered to speak can do so. Members of the public may speak on agenda items or on matters within the remit of the Committee.

**Please note that our registration deadlines are set as 2 working days before the meeting, in order to facilitate the management of public participation at our meetings.** The deadline for registering at this meeting is **5:00pm on Friday 14 March 2025.**

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**5. Consultation on a York wide Smoke Control (Pages 13 - 60)  
Area**

This report outlines proposals to manage the burning of the most polluting solid fuels and the appliances they are burnt in across City of York Council's (CYC) administrative area, and outlines a proposed public consultation on a York wide Smoke Control Area to cover the whole of the CYC's administrative area.

**6. Urgent Business**

Any other business which the Executive Member considers urgent under the Local Government Act 1972.

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