Appointment of Councillor Bell as Depute Leader of the Council approved.

13 Councillor Aitken, seconded by Councillor Campbell, moved that Councillor Richard Bell be appointed Depute Leader of the Council.

Councillor McAveety, seconded by Councillor Pidgeon, moved that Councillor Soryia Siddique be appointed Depute Leader of the Council.

On a vote being taken by calling the roll, 35 members voted for the amendment and 46 for the motion with 2 abstentions.

The motion was accordingly declared to be carried.