

**REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE****RECOGNITION OF MEMBERS OF GROUPS****Purpose of the Report**

1. To report the details of the revised membership of the political groups.

**Information and Advice**

2. At the annual meeting of the Council in May 2014 Members noted the composition of the political Groups as required by the Committees and Political Groups Regulations made under the Local Government and Housing Act 1989.
3. There are currently four political Groups on the Council, which are:-
  - the Nottinghamshire County Labour Group
  - the Nottinghamshire County Council Conservative Group
  - the Liberal Democrats Group
  - the Independent Group
4. The memberships of the Groups are shown in the Appendix to this report. There has been no change to the Officers elected by the Groups reported at the annual meeting in May 2014. Councillor John Wilmott is no longer a member of the Nottinghamshire County Council Labour Group having resigned from the Group.
5. In addition to the four Groups detailed within this report, there are therefore now three independent County Councillors who are not part of any political group, Councillor Maureen Dobson, Councillor Ian Campbell and Councillor John Wilmott.

**Reason for Recommendations**

6. It is necessary for Council to recognise the political Groups on the Council and their Officers.

**Statutory and Policy Implications**

7. This report has been compiled after consideration of implications in respect of finance, the public sector equality duty, human resources, crime and disorder, human rights, the safeguarding of children, sustainability and the environment and those using the service and where such implications are material they are described below.

Appropriate consultation has been undertaken and advice sought on these issues as required.

## **RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 1) That the membership of the political groups be noted.

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### **Constitutional Comments**

As this report is for noting only, no Constitutional Comments are required.

### **Financial Comments (SEM 23/3/15)**

There are no specific financial implications arising directly from this report.

### **Background Papers**

Except for previously published documents, which will be available elsewhere, the documents listed here will be available for inspection in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972.

### **Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected**

All

**MEMBERS AND OFFICERS OF GROUPS**

**(A) Nottinghamshire County Council Labour Group**

**32 Members**

Pauline Allan  
Roy Allan  
John Allin  
Alan Bell  
Joyce Bosnjak  
Nicki Brooks  
Steve Calvert  
Steve Carroll  
John Clarke  
Jim Creamer  
Sybil Fielding  
Kate Foale  
Glynn Gilfoyle  
Kevin Greaves  
Alice Grice  
Colleen Harwood

David Kirkham  
John Knight  
Darren Langton  
Diana Meale  
Michael Payne  
John Peck JP  
Sheila Place  
Liz Plant  
Mike Pringle  
Darrell Pulk  
Alan Rhodes  
Pamela Skelding  
Parry Tsimbiridis  
Muriel Weisz  
John Wilkinson  
Yvonne Woodhead

**Officers**

<b>Leader:</b>	Councillor Alan Rhodes
<b>Deputy Leader:</b>	Councillor Joyce Bosnjak
<b>Chief Whip:</b>	Councillor Steve Carroll

**(B) Nottinghamshire County Council Conservative Group**

**21 Members**

Reg Adair  
Chris Barnfather  
Andrew Brown  
Richard Butler  
John Cottee  
Mrs Kay Cutts MBE  
Dr John Doddy  
Boyd Elliott  
John Handley  
Richard Jackson  
Roger Jackson

Bruce Laughton  
John Ogle  
Philip Owen  
Tony Roberts MBE  
Mrs Sue Saddington  
Martin Suthers OBE  
Keith Walker  
Stuart Wallace  
Gordon Wheeler  
Liz Yates

## **Officers**

**Leader:**

**Deputy Leader:**

**Business Manager:**

Councillor Mrs Kay Cutts MBE

Councillor Martin Suthers OBE

Councillor Chris Barnfather

## **(C) Liberal Democrats Group**

### **8 Members**

Steve Carr

Stan Heptinstall MBE

Tom Hollis

Keith Longdon

Rachel Madden

Ken Rigby

Jacky Williams

Jason Zadrozny

## **Officers**

**Leader:**

**Deputy Leader and Whip:**

**Business Manager:**

Councillor Jason Zadrozny

Councillor Ken Rigby

Councillor Steve Carr

## **(D) Independent Group**

### **3 Members**

Stephen Garner

Andy Sissons

Gail Turner

## **Officers**

**Leader:**

Councillor Gail Turner

## **(E) Non-aligned Members**

Councillor Ian Campbell

Councillor Maureen Dobson

Councillor John Wilmott