CITY COUNCIL

10 June 2013



APPOINTMENTS TO COMMITTEES, OUTSIDE BODIES ETC

Report of the Director for Corporate Services.

The City Council is asked to consider the following appointments (items (a) and (b) were deferred at the City Council's Annual Meeting) –

	Committees and Other Bodies	Membership	Appointments 2013/14
(a)	Plymouth Arts Centre	up to two observers	Cllr Jarvis Cllr Jordan
(b)	Plymouth Community Homes Board	Two vacancies arising from resignations of former Councillor Browne and Councillor Williams Current representatives are Sue Dann and Jack Thompson	The proposal is to defer appointments at the present time
(c)	Local Government Association General Assembly	up to four representatives Current representative is Cllr Evans (five votes)	One vacancy for the Conservative Group Leader The Labour Group does not wish to submit any further nominations

Final 30.05.13 Not protectively marked

(a) Plymouth Arts Centre

The council's representative will attend the Council of Management meetings as an observer (determined by service level agreement). As an observer, members can be invited to participate on particular issues and have no voting rights.

In previous years, the council has appointed one representative. Following the nomination of two representatives, the Arts Council has indicated that it would be willing to have two representatives (one from each political group), if the council wished.

(b) Plymouth Community Homes Board

The council's representation is proportional with two representatives nominated by the Labour Group and two from the Conservative Group. In addition to the representatives, the Assistant Director for Homes and Communities is authorised to vote on behalf of the council at the AGM.

(c) Local Government Association: General Assembly

As a Unitary Authority with a population of between 200,001 - 300,000 the council is entitled to five votes and four representatives. The association encourages authorities entitled to three or four representatives to allocate one of those positions to the Minority Group Leaders on the authorities.