

# Cabinet

**Wednesday 13 January 2010 at 6.00 p.m.**

in Conference Room 2 at the Council House, Walsall

## Portfolios

Councillor Bird  
Leader of the Council



Councillor Flower  
Portfolio: Environment



Councillor Andrew  
Deputy Leader  
Portfolio: Regeneration



Councillor Towe  
Portfolio: Finance and  
personnel



Councillor Arif  
Portfolio: Business  
support services



Councillor Sanders  
Portfolio: Leisure and  
Culture



Councillor Walker  
Portfolio: Children's  
Services



Councillor McCracken  
Portfolio: Social care,  
health and housing



Councillor Perry  
Portfolio: Communities  
and partnerships



Councillor Ansell  
Portfolio: Transport



# Agenda

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4. **Local Government (Access to Information) Act, 1985 (as amended):**  
To agree that the public be excluded from the private session during consideration of the agenda items indicated for the reasons shown on the agenda.

## Leader of the Council: Councillor Bird

### Non key decisions

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## Finance and personnel: Councillor Towe

### Key decisions

6. Medium term financial strategy 2009/10 – 2013/14 24 - 59

### Non key decisions

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## **Social care, health and housing: Councillor McCracken**

### **Non key decisions**

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## **Deputy Leader and Regeneration: Councillor Andrew**

### **Key decisions**

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| 12. | Darlaston Academy outline business case | To follow |
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### **Non key decisions**

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| 13. | Hatherton and Lichfield Canals Restoration Trust | 125 - 132 |
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## **Business support services: Councillor Arif**

### **Key decisions**

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| 14. | Meat and meat products contract | To follow |
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## **Communities and partnerships: Councillor Perry**

### **Key decisions**

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### **Non key decisions**

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## **Children's services: Councillor Walker**

### **Key decisions**

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**Environment: Councillor Flower**

**Key decisions**

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[Exempt information under paragraph 3 of Part I of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act, 1972 (as amended)]

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