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North Yorkshire Council

Chief Officers Appointments and Disciplinary Committee

Minutes of the meeting held at Oak Room, County Hall, Northallerton commencing on Tuesday, 11 November 2025 at 9.15 am.

Councillors: Liz Colling, Mark Crane, Gareth Dadd, Kevin Foster, Michael Harrison, Peter Lacey, Carl Les OBE, Janet Sanderson and Tom Seston.

Officers present: Richard Flinton, Trudy Forster, Sarah Louise France-Gorton, Daniel Harry.

Apologies: Councillors John Weighell OBE and Steve Shaw-Wright.

Copies of all documents considered are in the Minute Book

43 Election of a Chair

Nominations were invited and the vote taken.

Resolved –

That Councillor Carl Les OBE be appointed.

44 Apologies for absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor John Weighell and Councillor Steve Shaw-Wright. Councillor Liz Colling substituted for Councillor Steve Shaw-Wright.

45 Exclusion of the Public

It was unanimously agreed to exclude the public from the meeting during consideration of items 4 and 7 on the grounds that it involves the disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006.

46 Minutes of the previous meeting

That the public and private minutes of the meeting held on 7 May 2025 having been printed and circulated, were taken as read, confirmed and signed by the Chair as a correct record.

47 Declarations of Interest

There were none.

48 Public questions/statements

There were none.

49 Proposed recruitment and selection process for the post of Corporate Director Health and Adult Services

The minute of this section of the meeting is private, as the public were excluded.

50 Any other items

There were none.

The meeting concluded at 9.30 am.

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