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**CABINET**

A meeting of the Cabinet will be held in the Council Chambers, East Renfrewshire Council Headquarters, Eastwood Park, Giffnock on **Thursday, 23 March 2023 at 10.00am.**

The agenda of business is as shown below.

**Louise Pringle**

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DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS OPERATIONS & PARTNERSHIPS

**AGENDA**

1. **Report apologies for absence.**
2. **Declarations of Interest.**
3. **Non-Domestic Rates – Empty Property Policy – Report by Director of Business Operations and Partnerships (copy attached, pages 3 - 14).**
4. **Debt Recovery Policy – Report by Director of Business Operations and Partnerships (copy attached, pages 15 - 36).**
5. **Trading Under Best Value – Report by Head of Accountancy (Chief Financial Officer) (copy attached, pages 37 - 48).**
6. **Proposed Lease, Former Cowan Park Gate Lodge, Darnley Road, Barrhead – Report by Director of Environment (copy attached, pages 49 - 58).**
7. **East Renfrewshire Council City Deal Programme Update – Report by Director of Environment (copy attached, pages 59 - 78).**

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