

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND HOUSING ACT 1989

POLITICAL COMPOSITION

COMMITTEES & SUB-COMMITTEES (APRIL 2017) [OPTION 3 - APPENDIX C]

Total Number of Committee etc. seats for 1989 Act purposes	107			
		Initial calculation	Outcome:	Why so? :-
Conservative Group	27	$27 \div 54 = 0.500$	Entitled to 53 seats	See Calculation below
Holland Residents' Group	3	$3 \div 54 = 0.056$	Entitled to 6 seats	See Calculation below
Independent Group	5	$5 \div 54 = 0.092$	Entitled to 10 seats	See Calculation below
Labour Group	5	$5 \div 54 = 0.092$	Entitled to 10 seats	See Calculation below
UKIP Group	14	$14 \div 54 = 0.259$	Entitled to 28 seats	See Calculation below
Non-Aligned	6			
	60			
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Calculation

Conservative Group = $0.500 \times 107 = 53.50$. Rounded = 53 seats.

Holland-on-Sea Residents' Group = $0.056 \times 107 = 5.99$. Rounded = 6 seats.

Independent Group = $0.092 \times 107 = 9.84$. Rounded = 10 seats

Labour Group = $0.092 \times 107 = 9.84$. Rounded = 10 seats.

UKIP Group = $0.259 \times 107 = 27.71$. Rounded = 28 seats.

NOTE: (1) In this review the UKIP Group has gained 1 Member and the “Non-Aligned/Vacant” has lost 1 Member. This is the result of the By-Election in the St James' Ward.

(2) In addition, and in accordance with the provisions of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 the Non-Aligned Members have been excluded from the calculation of the overall entitlement to Committee etc. seats. That is, the six Non-Aligned Members have been subtracted from the total of 60 Members on the Council and the Groups' entitlements have been calculated on the basis of their proportionality of 54 Members.

COMMITTEES AND SUB-COMMITTEES (APRIL 2017)

Committee/Sub-Committee	Seats	Conservative 0.500	Holland Residents' 0.056	Independent 0.092	Labour 0.092	UKIP Group 0.259
Audit Committee	5	[3] 2.50 3	[0] 0.28 0	[0] 0.46 0	[0] 0.46 0	[1] 1.30 1
Community Leadership & Partnerships Committee	11	[5] 5.50 5	[1] 0.62 1	[1] 1.01 1	[2] 1.01 1	[2] 2.85 3
Corporate Management Committee	8	[4] 4.00 4	[0] 0.45 0	[1] 0.74 1	[1] 0.74 1	[1] 2.07 2
Council Tax Committee	5	[2] 2.50 3	[0] 0.28 0	[0] 0.46 0	[0] 0.46 0	[1] 1.30 1
Human Resources Committee	14	[6] 7.00 7	[1] 0.78 1	[1] 1.29 1	[1] 1.29 1	[3] 3.63 4
Licensing & Registration Committee	15	[7] 7.50 8	[1] 0.84 1	[1] 1.38 1	[1] 1.38 1	[3] 3.89 4
General Purposes Sub-Committee	8	[3] 4.40 4	[1] 0.45 0	[1] 0.74 1	[1] 0.74 1	[2] 2.07 2
Local Plan Committee	15	[7] 7.50 8	[1] 0.84 1	[1] 1.38 1	[1] 1.38 1	[3] 3.89 4
Planning Committee	11	[4] 5.50 5	[0] 0.62 1	[1] 1.01 1	[1] 1.01 1	[4] 2.85 3
Service Development & Delivery Committee	8	[4] 4.40 4	[0] 0.45 0	[1] 0.74 1	[1] 0.74 1	[2] 2.07 2
Standards Committee	7	[3] 3.50 3	[0] 0.39 0	[1] 0.64 1	[0] 0.64 1	[1] 1.81 2
TOTALS	107	[48] (54)	[5] (5)	[9] (9)	[9] (9)	[23] (28)
ENTITLED TO		+5 53	+1 6	+1 10	+1 10	+5 28

NOTES: (a) The figures in the top right hand corner of each box are the number of seats each Group is entitled to on each Committee/Sub-Committee when Section 15 of the LGHA 1989 and the LG (Committees and Political Groups) Regulations 1990 are applied. The figures in the square brackets in the top-left hand corner indicate how many Members from that Group are serving on that individual Committee/Sub-Committee at the present time.

(b) Following the By-Election held in the St James Ward a review has been undertaken in preparation for the Annual Meeting of the Council. The result of the review is that, based on the figures in square brackets in the columns and the overall entitlement to seats:

- (1) The Conservative Group need to gain 5 seats;
- (2) The Holland Residents' Group need to gain 1 seat;
- (3) The Independent Group need to gain 1 seat;
- (4) The Labour Group need to gain 1 seat; and
- (5) The UKIP Group need to gain 5 seats;