



PAPER B – STANDING ORDERS

**POLICY AND RESOURCES
COMMITTEE**

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28 APRIL 2025

The purpose of this Report is to recommend Members agree the amendments to the Standing Orders and refer them to Town Council for adoption at the Annual Meeting.

1) Background

- a) It is best practice to review the Standing Orders on an annual basis. Amendments to the Standing Orders have already been made and adopted by Town Council at the meeting held on 14 April 2025.
- b) Updated model Standing Orders have been issued by NALC to incorporate changes arising from The Procurement Act 2023.

2) Proposal

The proposed amended Standing Orders are appended to this paper. The recommended amendments are in Section 20 as recommended by NALC.

3) Recommendation

It is recommended that members approve the proposed amendments to the Standing Orders and recommend the amended version to Town Council for adoption at the May Annual Meeting.