## Committee structure 2023/24

**Table 1: Committee structure** 

Body	Number of seats	In political balance calculation?	Notes
Council	48	No	Formed by election.
Cabinet	10	No	Appointed by the Leader of the Council.  Must have 3-10 members including the Leader and Deputy Leader(s).
Licensing and	15	Yes	For appointment by Council
Gambling Acts Committee			Political groups are invited to nominate the same members to the Licensing and Gambling Acts Committee and the General Purposes Licensing Committee.
General Purposes	15	Yes	For appointment by Council
Licensing Committee			Political groups are invited to nominate the same members to the Licensing and Gambling Acts Committee and the General Purposes Licensing Committee.
Appointments Committee	5	Yes	For appointment by Council
			Must include a member of Cabinet.
Audit and	7	Yes	For appointment by Council
Governance Committee			Chair must not be a member of Cabinet.
Investigation and	4	Yes	For appointment by Council
Disciplinary Committee			Must include a member of Cabinet.
Planning Committee	11	Yes	For appointment by Council
			Council may not appoint a member to more than one planning Committee.
Planning Review Committee	9	Yes	For appointment by Council
			Council may not appoint a member to more than one planning Committee.
Scrutiny Committee	12	Yes	For appointment by Council
			Cabinet members cannot be members of the Scrutiny Committee.
Standards Committee	7	Yes	For appointment by Council

## 85 seats included in political balance calculation

