

THE VALE OF GLAMORGAN COUNCIL

ANNUAL MEETING: 20<sup>TH</sup> MAY, 2019

REPORT OF THE MANAGING DIRECTOR

**ELECTION OF LEADER**

1. Part 4 of the Constitution - "Council Procedure Rules" provides that the Annual Meeting will elect the Leader.
2. Section 5 of the Constitution - "The Leader" provides as follows:

**"5.3.1 Election**

In accordance with Standing Orders, the Leader of the Council will be a Councillor elected to the position of Leader of the Council. The Leader will hold office until:

- (a) he/she resigns from the office; or
- (b) he/she is suspended from being a Councillor under Part III of the Local Government Act 2000 (although he/she may resume office at the end of the period of suspension); or
- (c) he/she is no longer a Councillor;
- (d) the next local government election, save that the Council may remove the Leader from office at an earlier date, but only in the event of a vote of no confidence in the Leader or a change in political control of the Council."

RECOMMENDED - T H A T the Leader of the Council be appointed.

**Background papers**

Part 4(A) and Section 6 of the Constitution.