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Monday, 8 December 2025

Chair: Councillor L Tift
Vice-Chair: Councillor R Jackson

To all Members of the Council:

MEETING: Full Council

DATE: Tuesday, 16 December 2025 at 6.00 pm

**VENUE: Civic Suite, Castle House, Great North Road,
Newark, NG24 1BY**

**You are hereby requested to attend the above Meeting to be held at the time/place
and on the date mentioned above for the purpose of transacting the
business on the Agenda as overleaf.**

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AGENDA

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1. Notification to those present that the meeting will be recorded and streamed online	
2. Apologies for absence	
3. Declarations of Interest by Members and Officers	
4. Minutes from the meeting held on 21 October 2025	4 - 13
5. Communications which the Chair, Leader, Chief Executive or Portfolio Holders may wish to lay before the Council	
6. In accordance with Rule No. 3.1 to receive the presentation or the debating of any Petitions from Members of the Council (if any)	
7. Questions from Members of the Public and Council	
In accordance with Rule No. 3.3.3 the following question has been submitted to the Council from Councillor Peter Harris:	
“The Leader is our representative to the East Midlands Combined Authority Mayor. What influence does the East Midlands Mayor have at the Government for improving rail services in our area?”	
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In accordance with Rule No. 3.4.3, the following motions are to be considered:	
Motion 1 - Code of Conduct	
Motion 2 - Union Flag to be flown permanently at Castle House	
13. Minutes for Noting	
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14. Exclusion of the Press and Public

To consider resolving that, under section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

None.

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