

## **2. Role of Members of the Council**

### **2.1 Key Role**

The Council's role profiles for all councillors and roles is set out in Section 8(a).

### **2.2 Rights and Duties**

Councillors will have such rights of access to such documents, information, land and buildings and resources of the Council as are necessary for the proper discharge of their functions as is permissible by the law and in accordance with the Constitution.

### **2.3 Specific Roles**

Councillors also have different roles as Members of the different committees. These are referred to in the following sections of the Constitution. The Leader, Chair of the Council and Chair of Committees also have additional duties and responsibilities. These are set out in Section 8(a).

### **2.4 Conduct**

Councillors are required at all times to observe the Members' Code of Conduct, the Protocol on Officer and Member Protocol and Guidance for Planning set out in Sections 8(e) and 10 (a) and (b).

### **2.5 Allowances**

Councillors are entitled to receive allowances in accordance with the Members' Allowances Scheme set out in Section 8(f).