

## Political Proportionality

## Political Composition of the Council 9 May 2012

	Number	Proportion
Conservative Group	22	53.66%
Liberal Democrat Group	18	43.90%
Councillor O'Keeffe *	1	2.44%
	<u>41</u>	<u>100.00%</u>

Part 1 - Committees	Membership	Con	LD	Clr O
Planning Applications Committee	11	6 (5.9)	5 (4.8)	0
Licensing Committee	10	6 (5.4)	4 (4.4)	0
Scrutiny Committee	11	6 (5.9)	5 (4.8)	0
Audit and Standards Committee	7	4 (3.8)	3 (3.1)	0
Devolution Committee	7	4 (3.8)	3 (3.1)	0
Employment Committee	5	3 (2.7)	2 (2.2)	0
Total number of seats	51			
Result of applying proportionality per Committee [principle (c)]		29	22	0
Seats allocated on whole Council proportionality [principle (d)]	#	27 (27.366)	23 (22.39)	1 (1.244)
Adjustment to be made to Committee memberships	*	-2	+1	+1
Part 2 - Other Bodies	Membership	Con	LD	Clr O
Housing Consultative Panel	4	3 (2.1)	1 (1.8)	0
Landport Bottom Management Committee	4	3 (2.1)	1 (1.8)	0
Planning User Group	3	2 (1.6)	1 (1.3)	0
Housing Working Party	7	4 (3.8)	3 (3.1)	0
Travellers Working Group	6	4 (3.2)	2 (2.6)	0
Constitution Working Party	3	2 (1.6)	1 (1.3)	0
Total number of seats	27			
Result of applying proportionality per Committee [principle (c)]		18	9	0
Seats allocated on whole Council proportionality [principle (d)]	^	14 (14.488)	12 (11.854)	1 (0.659)
Potential adjustment to be made to Other Bodies memberships	∩	-4	+3	+1

Complaints Panel meets as and when required

# Liberal Democrat Group total rounded up (as their decimal largest) to complete the total 51 committee places

\* Councillor O'Keeffe, as a single Independent councillor, does not comprise a political group so is not entitled to seats according to principle (c) but is entitled to receive 1 seat from the Conservative Group under principle (d)

^ Liberal Democrat Group total rounded up (as their decimal largest) to complete the total 27 other bodies places

∩ On other bodies, under principle (d) the Liberal Democrat Group would receive 3 seats from the Conservative Group and Councillor O'Keeffe 1 seat from the Conservative Group but principle (b) – that the group with the majority of councillors is entitled to a majority on each body – takes precedence and therefore, on this occasion, no redistribution can take place and the proportionality calculated by applying principle (c) stands.