Staffing and Recruitment Committee 14 March 2024

IRVINE, 14 March 2024 - At a Meeting of Staffing and Recruitment of North Ayrshire Council at 9.00am

Present

John Bell, Marie Burns, Joe Cullinane, Cameron Inglis, Shaun Macaulay and Tom Marshall.

In Attendance

C. Hatton, Chief Executive and F. Walker, Head of Service (People and ICT).

Apologies

Tony Gurney.

Chair

Councillor Burns in the Chair.

1. Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest by Members in terms of Standing Order 11 and Section 5 of the Code of Conduct for Councillors.

2. Minutes

The accuracy of the Minutes of the meeting of the Staffing and Recruitment Committee held on 29 February 2024 was confirmed and the Minute and signed in accordance with Paragraph 7 (1) of Schedule 7 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973.

3. Exclusion of the Public and Press

The Committee resolved, in terms of Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, to exclude from the Meeting, the press and the public for the following item of business on the grounds that it involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 7A of the Act.

4. Recruitment: Head of Service (Economic Development, Growth & Regeneration)

Four candidates were shortleeted for the position of Head of Service (Economic Development, Growth & Regeneration); however, one candidate withdrew. Three candidates were therefore interviewed.

The Committee agreed to appoint Louise Kirk to the post.