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ALL MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

You are hereby requested to attend a meeting of the **Finance & General Purposes Committee** to be held in the **Council Chamber, Ashington Town Hall, 65 Station Road, Ashington NE63 8RX, on Tuesday, 28 June 2016, at 6:00pm.**

The Agenda for the meeting is set out below.

Mike Slaughter
Clerk of the Town Council

23 June 2016

OPEN SESSION

The Chair to invite members of the public present to put questions to, or draw relevant matters to the attention of the Committee, prior to commencement of business. This is for a period of 15 minutes overall and is limited to 3 minutes per person.

OPEN AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

Unless already entered in the Council's Register of Members' interests, members are required to disclose any personal interest, (which includes any disclosable pecuniary interest), they may have in any of the items included on the agenda for the meeting in accordance with the Code of Conduct adopted by the Council on the 3 July 2012.

Members are reminded that if they have any personal interests of a prejudicial nature they must not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must leave the room. Any member needing clarification must contact the Town Clerk.

3. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

To sign, as a correct record, the minutes of the meeting held on 24 May 2016.

4. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

To consider any matters arising from the minutes not covered elsewhere on the agenda.

5. APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT (Appendix 1)

To consider a request for financial support from Ashington Community Cinema and Coast Radio.

6. SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS (Appendix 2)

To receive a full Schedule of all payments and income receipts for the financial period 21 May – 23 June 2016.

7. BUDGET REPORT 2016/17 (Appendix 3)

To consider and discuss the quarterly budget report for the period 1 April – 23 June 2016.

8. ASHINGTON 150TH CELEBRATION EVENTS (Appendix 4)

To consider and discuss early arrangements and options for recognising and celebrating the town's 150th Anniversary in 2017 (Item deferred from Full Council on 7 June 2016)

9. ANY OTHER URGENT BUSINESS.

10. DATE, TIME AND VENUE FOR THE NEXT MEETING.

Tuesday, 26 July 2016, at 6:00pm, in the Council Chamber at the Town Hall, 65 Station Road, Ashington NE63 8RX.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

Vicky Brown (Chair), Kris Lavery (Vice-Chair), Les Alderson, Victor Bridges, Louis Brown, Keith Chambers, Marjorie Chambers, Avril Chisholm, Glyn Davies, Stephen Fenwick, Lawrence Henderson, Maggie Lang, Liam Lavery, Mark Purvis, Wyn Stewart, Pauline Thompson, Ely Turnbull, Bob Walkinshaw.