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To: **ALL MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL**

You are hereby summoned to attend the Full Council Meeting, at **THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, 65 STATION ROAD, NE63 8RX, on Tuesday 29th NOVEMBER 2022, commencing at the earlier time of 5:30pm.**

The agenda for the meeting is set out below, along with supporting documents. If you have any questions about any of the items on the agenda, please contact the office.

The meeting is open to the press and public. Our Risk Assessment requires that anyone wishing to attend the meeting, reads the risk assessment and meeting guidelines in advance. These are available on request, or via the Town Council website.

Regards

Sarah Eden
Clerk to the Town Council

22nd November 2022

AGENDA

1. WELCOME BY THE CHAIR

Welcome by Cllr Mark Purvis.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive any apologies for absence.

3. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

To receive any declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests and other interests in items on the agenda as required by the Code of Conduct for Members and by the Localism Act 2011.

Members are also reminded that they need to regularly review their declarations of interest forms and ensure they remain up to date.

4. DISPENSATIONS

To receive and consider any dispensations.

5. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The Chair to receive any items put forward by members of the public and to put questions to or draw relevant matters to the attention of the Council. This is for a period of 15 minutes overall and is limited to 3 minutes per person.

Please email/telephone the Clerk with questions on items on the agenda no later than 5.00pm on Monday 28th November 2022.

6. REPORT FROM THE NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING TEAM

To receive a report from Inspector Wayne Daniels (enc)ⁱ

7. ECONOMIC GROWTH AND REGENERATION IN ASHINGTON

To receive an update and address any questions to Neil Quinn, Partnership Manager in the Economic and Growth Regeneration Team at Northumberland County Council (enc)ⁱⁱ

8. MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE FULL COUNCIL, 27TH SEPTEMBER 2022

To receive and sign as a true record, the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 27th September 2022 (enc)ⁱⁱⁱ

9. REPORT FROM THE CIVIC HEAD OF ASHINGTON (CLLR BOB WALKINSHAW)

To receive a verbal report from the Civic Head of Ashington.

10. REPORT FROM THE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL (CLLR MATTHEW CUTHBERT)

To receive a verbal report from the Leader of the Town Council.

11. CLIMATE CHANGE AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

To receive the Draft Minutes of the meeting held on 18th October 2022 – for information only (enc)^{iv} *These minutes will be presented for agreement as a true record at the next meeting of the Climate Change and Environment Committee*

12. SELECTIVE LICENSING OF PRIVATE LANDLORDS

To note the letter/questions sent to Northumberland County Council in March, and to receive the response and to agree any further action to be taken (enc)^v

13. LONG-TERM EMPTY HOMES

To note the letter/questions sent to Northumberland County Council in March, and to receive the response and to agree any further action to be taken (enc)^{vi}

14. NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL CONSULTATION – PUBLIC SPACES PROTECTION ORDER (PSPO) FOR THE CONTROL OF DOGS, ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOUR, CRIME AND POLICING ACT 201, Part 4

To receive the PSPO, and agree any representations, or comments to be submitted by 9th December 2022 (enc)^{vii}

15. NEXT MEETING

The next Full Council meeting will be held on **Tuesday 31st January 2022**. This meeting will agree the 2022/23 budget and the precept demand.

ENCLOSURES

ⁱ Report from Northumbria Police

ⁱⁱ Report from Neil Quinn – Economic Growth and Regeneration

ⁱⁱⁱ Draft Minutes of the Full Council Meeting held on Tuesday 27th September 2022

^{iv} Draft Minutes of the Climate Change and Environment Committee, 18th October 2022

^v Letter sent from the Council to Northumberland County Council Head of Housing and Local Protection, along with response received

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^{vii} Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) for the Control of Dogs, Antisocial Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 201, Part 4