

# GREAT AYCLIFFE TOWN COUNCIL



## AGENDA

### ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY  
1<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2010

7.15 P.M.

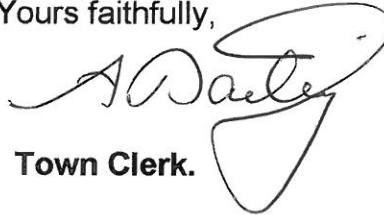


25<sup>th</sup> November 2010

Dear Sir / Madam,

I am to inform you that a meeting of the **ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE** will be held in the Council Chamber, Council Offices, School Aycliffe Lane, Newton Aycliffe, on **WEDNESDAY, 1<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER 2010 at 7.15 p.m.**

Yours faithfully,



**Town Clerk.**

### **AGENDA**

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

To receive apologies for absence.

2. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

To notify the Chairman of any items that appear in the agenda in which you may have an interest.

3. **PUBLIC QUESTIONS**

Members of the public are permitted to make representations, answer questions and give evidence in respect of any item of business included in the agenda. Questions will not be received by the Council which are in furtherance of a person's individual circumstances or which are about a matter where there is a right of appeal to the courts, a tribunal or government minister. A question will not be received by the Council where the issue it concerns has been the subject of a decision of the Council in the last six months.

4. **WARM HOMES CAMPAIGN**

Mr. J. Martin the Energy Efficiency Officer for Durham County Council will be in attendance to give a short presentation and answer questions on 'energy in the homes'.

5. **MINUTES**

To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Environment Committee held on 20<sup>th</sup> October 2010.

... 6. **ALLOTMENT ANNUAL MEETING**

To consider the attached notes from the Annual Meeting of Allotment Tenants held on the 18<sup>th</sup> November 2010.

... 7. **ALLOTMENTS REPORT**

To consider the attached report from the Works Manager for the six weeks ended the 21<sup>st</sup> November 2010.

... 8. **ENVIRONMENT REPORT**

To consider the attached report from the Works Manager and the Environment Officer for the six weeks ended the 21<sup>st</sup> November 2010.

... 9. **WITHDRAWAL OF DURHAM COUNTY FUNDED DOG WASTE BAGS**

To consider the attached report from the Environment Officer.

10. **GRANTS OF GRAVE SPACE**

To report that the undermentioned grants of grave spaces have been issued:

West Cemetery

Grave No. R 86	Anthony Savage
Grave No. R 88	John Cousins
Grave No. R 118	Nicola Clough
Grave No. J 152	Susan Bulman

... 11. **ENVIRONMENT AGENCY**

To receive the attached information from the Environment Agency following the fire at Aycliffe Business Park.

... 12. **GREAT AYCLIFFE AND MIDDRIDGE PARTNERSHIP**

To receive a copy of the notes of the meeting of the Environmental and Street Cleansing Task and Finish Group held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2010 and to consider any matters arising.

13. **PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

**(1) To consider the undermentioned planning applications:**

- (a) Erection of single storey side extension to form annex, two storey rear extension and first floor extension to front – 25 The Bridle, Newton Aycliffe.
- (b) Erection of single storey sun room to rear – 32 Hurworth Hunt, Newton Aycliffe.
- (c) Change of use from retail use (Class A1) to estate agents office use (Class 2) – 80 Beveridge Way, Newton Aycliffe.
- (d) Change of use from waste land to domestic garden land to the rear of – 1 Bickford Terrace, Aycliffe Village.

- (e) Substitution of house type for plots 81/83 and 84 of previously approved planning application – Wakenshaw Drive, Site J, Cobblers Hall, Newton Aycliffe.
- (2) To receive for information the undermentioned planning applications, prior notice of which has been circulated to Chairman, Vice-Chairman and appropriate Ward Members. Durham County Council have been notified that the Council has no adverse comments:-**
  - (a) Change of use from open space to allotment site with the creation of 43 additional plots and erection of boundary fence – St. Oswald's Allotments.
  - (b) Change of use from pre-school building to residential – 1 & 2 Village Close, Newton Aycliffe.
  - (c) Erection of shed (retrospective) – 3 Village Close, Newton Aycliffe.
  - (d) Erection of single storey extension – St. Josephs RC Junior and Infant School – Garburn Place, Newton Aycliffe.
  - (e) Erection of 2 conservatories and 2 car ports for display purposes – Bermingham House, Bluebridge Centre – Newton Aycliffe.
  - (f) Erection of additional wood pole with existing section of high voltage overhead line – Land at Aycliffe Quarry, Aycliffe Village.

#### **MEMBERSHIP OF THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE**

Councillors S. Bambridge, W. Blenkinsopp, Mrs. D. Bowman, T.R. Bowman, Mrs. B.A. Clare, J.D. Clare, V. Crosby, W. Curtis, Mrs. M. Dalton, P. Ducker, R.S. Fleming, G.C. Gray, I. Gray, Mrs. J. Gray, B. Haigh, Mrs. S. Haigh, B. Hall, K. Henderson, T. Hogan, M. Iveson, Mrs. S.J. Iveson, W. Iveson, Mrs. A. Palmer, Mrs. E.M. Paylor, Mrs. V.M. Raw and A. Warburton.