

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, 3rd JULY 2013 at 7.15 p.m.**

Yours faithfully,

Town Clerk.

AGENDA

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

To receive apologies for absence.

2. **MEMBERS' DISPENSATIONS**

To consider written requests for dispensations from members who have declared interests under Disclosable or Non-Disclosable pecuniary interests – Section 33 of the 2011 Localism Act.

3. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

To notify of any items that appear in the agenda in which you may have an interest that has not been recorded in the Members Register of Interests.

4. **PUBLIC QUESTIONS**

Members of the public are permitted to make representations, ask 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.

5. **MINUTES**

To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Environment Committee held on the 29th May 2013.

... 6. **ALLOTMENTS REPORT**

To consider the attached report from the Works Manager for the five weeks ended the 23rd June 2013.

... 7. **ENVIRONMENT REPORT**

To consider the attached report from the Works Manager and the Environment Officer for the five weeks ended the 23rd June 2013

8. **GRANTS OF GRAVE SPACE**

To report that the undermentioned grant of grave space has been issued:

West Cemetery

Grave No. J 127 Anthony Ferguson
Grave No. N 110 Annie Carr
Grave No. J 97 Sushila Chaudhary

9. **SCHOOLS ROAD SAFETY INITIATIVE**

To receive information in regard to an initiative from the Police and Crime Commissioner, Mr Ron Hogg.

10. **PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

(1) To consider the undermentioned planning applications:-

- (a) Two storey pitched roof extension to side – 28 Durham Road, Aycliffe Village.
- (b) Erection and display of 1 non-illuminated freestanding V sign board – Cemetery Chapel, Stephenson Way, Newton Aycliffe.

(2) To receive for information the undermentioned planning applications, prior notice of which has been circulated to all Members of the Council. Durham County Council have been notified of the listed comments on each application:-

- (a) Erection of part two storey, part first floor rear extension and extension to detached garage – 7 Burghley Mews, Newton Aycliffe.

No objections.

- (b) Continuation of deemed consent under planning (Hazardous substances) Regulations 1992 for the storage of vinyl chloride monomer at Ineos, School Aycliffe Lane, Newton Aycliffe.

No objections.

- (c) Installation of louvre banks to plant room and installation of two storage silos at 3M(UK) Plc, Heighington Lane, Newton Aycliffe.

No objections.

- (d) Erection of display of internally illuminated 2No. fascia signs, 1No. projecting sign and ATM collar signage – Halifax, Beveridge Way, Newton Aycliffe.

- (e) Installation of pitched roof over existing flat roof – 10 Wycliffe Close, Newton Aycliffe.

- (f) Conservatory to the rear – 2 Cheltenham Way, Newton Aycliffe.

- (g) Submission of reserved matters relating to appearance, layout and landscape pursuant to phase 2 of hybrid planning permission for a mixed use development incorporating an anaerobic digester (phase 1) and 10,738m² of industrial floor space (phase 2) – land at Preston Way, Newton Aycliffe.

The Council fully supports the proposal and has no objections to the application.

- (h) Single storey in-fill extension and extension to detached garage – 7 Stoneleigh Court, Newton Aycliffe.
- (i) Installation of air conditioning units to the North East, South East and South West elevations – Bewick Crescent Surgery, Newton Aycliffe.

No objections.

MEMBERSHIP OF THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

Councillors E. Adam, J. Atkinson, B. Blenkinsopp, R. Bowman, A.M. Chandran, Mrs. B.A. Clare, J.D. Clare, J. Clark, N. Collinson, Mrs. M. Dalton, M.A. Dalton, R.S. Fleming, I. Gray, G.C. Gray, Mrs. S. Haigh, B. Hall, K. Henderson, Mrs. I. Hewitson, J.P. Hillary, Mrs. W.P. Hillary, M. Iveson, Mrs. S.J. Iveson, W. Iveson, P. Kjenstad, Mrs. V.M. Raw, D. Summers, T. Twissell and C. Wheeler.