

Dear Sir/Madam,

You are summoned to an Ordinary Meeting of the **COUNCIL** which will be held in the Council Chamber, Council Offices, School Aycliffe Lane, Newton Aycliffe, on **WEDNESDAY, 12<sup>th</sup> DECEMBER 2018 at 7.15 p.m.**

Yours faithfully,

Andrew Bailey,

**Town Clerk.**

### **AGENDA**

1. **NOTICE OF MEETING**

Public Notice of the Meeting has been given in accordance with Schedule 12, paragraph 10(2) of the Local Government Act 1972.

2. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

To receive apologies for absence.

3. **MEMBERS' DISPENSATION**

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.

4. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

To notify of any items that appear in the agenda in which you may have an interest, including those that have previously been recorded in the Members Register of Interests.

5. **PUBLIC QUESTIONS**

To take questions from the public, notice of which has been given in accordance with the appropriate Standing Order.

... 6. **INTEGRATED RISK MANAGEMENT PLAN CONSULTATION**

To consider the attached consultation plan for 2018 – 2019 in respect of the County Durham and Darlington Fire and Rescue Authority.  
(Please note that Mr. Dominic Brown, Assistant Chief Fire Officer, will be in attendance to give a presentation and answer any questions)

... 7. **MINUTES**

To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the Council meeting held on the 31<sup>st</sup> October 2018.

... 8. **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

To receive announcements to be made by the Mayor and the Town Clerk.

9. **COMMITTEE MINUTES**

To confirm for approval and adoption the reports and recommendations of the undermentioned Committees:-

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| (a) | Environment Committee          | 28 <sup>th</sup> November 2018 |
| (b) | Recreation Committee           | 28 <sup>th</sup> November 2018 |
| (c) | Policy and Resources Committee | 5 <sup>th</sup> December 2018  |

... 10. **DURHAM LOCAL COUNCIL'S CHARTER**

To consider the proposed Charter with a view to submit any comments this Council may have by the end of January 2019. (Local Councils Working Group Report attached for information).

... 11. **ROYAL GARDEN PARTY**

To consider a nomination from the Council for possible attendance at a Royal Garden Party which will be held in 2019.

... 12. **FLAG FLYING PROTOCOL**

To consider the adoption of the attached Flag Flying Protocol.

13. **OUTSIDE BODIES**

To receive reports from representatives on the following Outside Bodies:

- (a) Youth Council  
Councillors Derek G. Atkinson and Jim Atkinson + Corporate and Policy Officer.
- (b) County Durham Association of Local Councils  
Town Clerk + Councillors R.S. Fleming and M. Iveson (AGM)
- (c) Aycliffe Village Community Association  
Councillor Bill Blenkinsopp.
- (d) Woodham Village Community Association  
Councillors B.A. Clare and K. Henderson.
- (e) Great Aycliffe and Middridge Local Councils' Committee  
Councillors B. Hall and R.S. Fleming + Town Clerk.
- (f) Larger Local Councils' Forum  
Councillors R.S. Fleming, M. Iveson and Town Clerk.
- (g) Aycliffe and District Bus Preservation Society  
Councillors I. Gray
- (h) Friends of Byerley Park Local Nature Reserve  
Councillor I. Gray.
- (j) Friends of Stockton and Darlington Railway  
Councillor Dave Hardaker.

**(N.B. - Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of this Christmas Meeting).**

