

23 January 2020

COUNCIL MEETING
WEDNESDAY, 29th JANUARY 2020 At 7.15 P.M.

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, 29th January 2020 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. NEW CHILDREN'S HOME – AYCLIFFE NORTH AND MIDDRIDGE AREA

Representatives from Durham County Council Adult and Health Services will be in attendance to give a presentation and answer questions on the proposed development of a new children's home for 3 children to be sited in the Aycliffe North and Middridge Area.

6. PUBLIC QUESTIONS

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

7. MINUTES

... To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on the 11th December 2019.

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:-

(a)	Environment Committee	15 January 2020
(b)	Recreation Committee	15 January 2020
(c)	Special Recreation Committee	22 January 2020
(d)	Policy and Resources Committee	22 January 2020

10. ADHERENCE OF STANDING ORDERS

Councillor Arun M. Chandran wishes Members to consider the following:-

Is it the intention of the Mayor and Leader of the Labour Group to ignore/defy the Law, Standing Orders and the advice of the Town Clerk? and just make up their own rules as they go along.

11. NEWTON AYCLIFFE 2020 TRAFFIC REGULATIONS ORDER

... To give consideration and comments on the attached proposals as part of the 2020 Newton Aycliffe Traffic Regulations Order.

12. NALC – SPRING CONFERENCE 2020

... To consider the attached information in connection with the attendance at the NALC Spring Conference to be held in London on the 17th March 2020.

13. APPROVAL OF 2020/21 COUNCIL PRECEPT

... To consider the attached report from the Finance Manager.

14. 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 Currently 1 Vacancy.

To consider a replacement representative on the Woodham Village Community Association following the resignation of Councillor Keith 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.

- (i) **Friends of Stockton and Darlington Railway**
Councillor Dave Hardaker.

- (j) **GAMP – Community Safety Task Group**
Councillor B. Hall.