

**NOTICE:-**

Please note that immediately following this Council Meeting the Mayor will be presenting the Prizes to the winners of the Garden Community Enhancement Awards.

Refreshments will be served at the conclusion of the presentation.

24 October 2019

**COUNCIL MEETING**  
**WEDNESDAY, 30<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2019 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, 30<sup>th</sup> October 2019 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. MAN HEALTH AWARENESS PRESENTATION**

Mr. Paul Bannister will be in attendance to give a presentation and answer any questions on Man Health Awareness.

**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 18<sup>th</sup> September 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	16 October 2019
(b)	Recreation Committee	16 October 2019
(c)	Policy and Resources Committee	23 October 2019

## **10. NALC – LARGER COUNCILS COMMITTEE - VOTING**

... To consider the attached information with a view to voting for up to 4 Councillors and 2 Clerks to serve on the Larger Councils Committee.

## **11. EXTERNAL AUDIT REPORT ON THE COUNCIL'S 2018/19 ANNUAL GOVERNANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY RETURN**

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

## **12. CODE OF CONDUCT COMPLAINT**

... To receive the attached report from the Town Clerk.

## **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.
- (i) **Friends of Stockton and Darlington Railway**  
Councillor Dave Hardaker.
- (j) **GAMP – Community Safety Task Group**  
Councillor B. Hall.