

ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY, 23RD FEBRUARY 2022 at 7.15 p.m.

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am to inform you that a meeting of the Environment Committee will be held on Wednesday, 23rd February 2022 at 7.15pm in attendance at the Council Offices, School Aycliffe Lane, Newton Aycliffe DL5 6QF.

Yours faithfully,

Town Clerk.

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence.

2. 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.

3. 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.

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 receive the minutes of the Environment Committee meeting held on 12th January 2022. (previously circulated)

6. PLANNING SUB COMMITTEE MINUTES

... To receive the minutes of the Planning Sub Committee meeting held on 10th January 2022.

7. PARKING ISSUES WORKING GROUP NOTES

... To receive the notes of the Parking Issues Working Group meeting held on 15th February 2022.

8. ALLOTMENTS REPORT

. . . To consider the attached report from the Grounds Maintenance Services Co-ordinator for the six weeks ended the 13th February 2022.

9. ENVIRONMENT REPORT

. . . To consider the attached report from the Works and Environment Manager for the seven weeks six weeks ended the 13th February 2022.

10. CEMETERIES REPORT

. . . To consider the attached report from the Grounds Maintenance Services Co-ordinator for the six weeks ended the 13th February 2022.

11. WOODHAM BURN DOG WALKING ROUTE

. . . To consider the attached report from the Works and Environment Manager.

12. FESTIVE LIGHTING PROJECT

. . . To consider the attached report from the Works and Environment Manager.

13. UNAUTHORISED ACCESS GATES ONTO COUNCIL LAND

. . . To consider the attached report from the Works and Environment Manager.

14. AYCLIFFE VILLAGE FOOTPATH ENCROACHMENT

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

15. WOODLAND BURIALS SITE UPDATE

. . . To consider the attached report from the Grounds Maintenance Services Co-ordinator.

Any questions or queries on agenda items or reports should be raised with officers before meetings by telephone or email.

Please note that this does not preclude members from asking the question at the meeting if this is important to the debate or decision.

MEMBERSHIP OF THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE

Councillors Eddy Adam, Tony Armstrong, Martin Ashcroft, Jim Atkinson, Peter Bergg, Dorothy Bowman, Arun M. Chandran, John Clark, Neil Collinson, Bob Fleming, George Gray, Ian Gray, Brian Haigh, Mrs. Sandra Haigh, Phillip Hawkins, Andy Hill, Jed Hillary, Wendy Hillary, Kate Hopper, Joanne Jones, Neville Jones, John Moore, Carl Robinson, Ken Robson, Maureen Shelton, Michael Stead and John Woodward.