

31st March 2015

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, 8th APRIL 2015 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 25th February 2015. (Previously Circulated)

... 6. **ALLOTMENTS REPORT**

To consider the attached report from the Works Manager for the six weeks ended the 29th March 2015.

... 7. **ENVIRONMENT REPORT**

To consider the attached report from the Works Manager and the Environment Officer for the six weeks ended the 29th March 2015.

8. GRANTS OF GRAVE SPACE

To report that the undermentioned grant of grave spaces have been issued:

West Cemetery

Grave No. N 85	Efisio Picciau
Grave No. N107	Susan Buxton
Grave No. K 3	Patricia Walker
Grave No. K 63	Caroline J. Carlyle
Grave No. K 64	Tony Nixon

Stephenson Way Cemetery

Grave No. C135	Phillip Whitfield
Grave No. F132	Rachel A Flood
Grave No. E 86	Angela K. Bourne

9. AYCLIFFE VILLAGE – VEHICLES PARKING ON ACCESS TRACKS

The Town Clerk to give a verbal report.

10. WORKS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES PLAN 2015-2016

To consider the attached report and Service Plan from the Works Manager and Environment Officer.

11. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

(1) 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) Pre-Submission of previously approved application 7/2013/0228/DM (amended roof design) for single storey in-fill extension to dwelling and extension to existing detached garage – 7 Stoneleigh Court, Newton Aycliffe. *No objections.*
- (b) Erection of 3 No. – 4 bedroomed terraced houses on land adjacent to the Iron Horse PH, Simpasture Gate. *- No objections.*
- (c) Amalgamation of 3No. retail units to form 1 No. larger unit including new shop frontage, new windows to rear and single storey extension to rear – 26-30 Beveridge Way. *-No objections.*
- (d) Erection of single storey front, side and rear extensions, and erection of 2.1m wall/fence to the rear – 2 Murton Close, Aycliffe Village. *-No objections.*
- (e) Erection of distribution centre (B8) in 2 phases, existing storage area enclosure, plant room extension, additional sprinkler tank and pump room, changes to HGV route and car park and landscaping – LIDL, Moordale Road, Aycliffe Business Park. *-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.