

15 April 2021

**COUNCIL MEETING  
THURSDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> APRIL 2021 At 7.15 P.M.**

Dear Sir/Madam,

You are summoned to a Meeting of the Council which will be held on Thursday, 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2021 at 7.15 p.m. by virtual means via. 'Zoom' (Access Code No. 951 2938 8819) or in attendance at the Council Offices, School Aycliffe Lane, Newton Aycliffe, DL5 6QF.

Yours faithfully,

**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. MINUTES**

... To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the Ordinary Meeting of the Council held on the 10<sup>th</sup> March 2021.

**7. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

To receive any announcements by the Mayor and the Town Clerk.

## **8. COMMITTEE MINUTES**

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

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| (a) | Environment Committee          | 7 April 2021  |
| (b) | Recreation Committee           | 7 April 2021  |
| (c) | Policy and Resources Committee | 14 April 2021 |

## **9. ANNUAL UPDATE OF THE COUNCIL'S FINANCIAL REGULATIONS**

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

## **10. ANNUAL UPDATE OF THE COUNCIL'S STANDING ORDERS FOR CONTRACTS AND PROCUREMENT**

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

## **11. LUMIERE 2021 BUSINESS CLUB**

... To consider the attached correspondence from CDALC / Artichoke Ltd

## **12. NOTICE OF MOTION**

... To consider the following Notice of Motion from Councillor J. Clare:

“That Great Aycliffe Town Council should propose Councillor Mrs. Mary Dalton for the Durham County Council Chairman’s Medal in recognition of and with thanks for her services to this Council as Mayor and Chair of the Council, lately at the age of 95”.

## **13. EXEMPT BUSINESS**

That under the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960 (as extended by s.100 of the Local Government Act 1972), the public and accredited representatives of newspapers be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 by virtue of the paragraph specified against the item.

## **14. DEPOT MAST LEASE RENEWAL**

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

## **15. RE-ADMISSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

To re-admit the Press and Public to the meeting.

## **16. 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 M. Stead and P. Symons.
- (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.