
COUNCIL MEETING

To All Members of the Council on Friday 14 June 2019

Date of meeting: Monday 24 June 2019

Time: 6.30pm

**Venue: Council Chamber, The Symington Building,
Adam and Eve St, Market Harborough
LE16 7AG**

Dear Councillor

A Meeting of the Harborough District Council, which you are invited to attend, is to be held as detailed above.

The business to be transacted is set out in the Agenda below.

Yours faithfully

Beverley Jolly
Joint Chief Executive and Head of Paid Service

Agenda

- 1) Chairman's Announcements
 - 2) To receive Declarations of Members' Interests
 - 3) To receive the Minutes of the meeting of Council held on 18th March 2019 and the extraordinary meeting of Council held on 30th April 2019.
 - 4) To receive the report of the Leader and receive questions and answers on it (to follow)
 - 5) To answer written questions or receive petitions submitted by the public
 - 6) To answer written questions submitted by Members
 - 7a) To receive any recommendations from the Executive:
 1. Communications Strategy (page1)
 2. Housing Strategy (page 16)
 - 7b) To receive a report from the Executive and receive questions and answers on it (page 52)
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- 8) To receive a recommendation from the meeting of the Employment Committee held on 27th March 2019 (page 59)
- 9) To receive reports about and receive questions and answers on the business of joint arrangements and external organisations
- 10) To receive the report of the Chairman of the Scrutiny Commission (page 71)
- 11) To consider a Notice of Motion

The following Notice of Motion has been submitted by Councillor Knowles and seconded by Councillor Dunton in accordance with Procedure rule 11.1 of Part 4(1) of the Council's Constitution:

"The Concerns over Climate Change are mounting. What is placed into recycling here in Harborough District today finds its way to many and varied places and facilities across the world.

We are concerned to ensure that what is recycled here in good faith is recycled and that none, though marked as recycling, eventually is simply put into landfill.

We have heard the concerns of the community. We have heard the worries and suggestions of the recent student protest march, the voices of tomorrow must be heard today.

Time is running out and we readily agree that we as a council have a responsibility to the environment and must explore each and every option that will enable us to make a positive change to improve now and protect the planet for generations to come.

HDC must therefore declare an immediate Climate Emergency and in addition set up a cross party working group to explore positive opportunities to make the improvements needed for now and for generations to come. The findings of the working group to be presented to The Cabinet for consideration and implementation"

- 12) To consider an officer's report on Declaration of a Climate Emergency (page 72)
- 13) To consider any urgent items (to be decided by the Chairman)

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