BRIGHTON & HOVE CITY COUNCIL MEETING

4.30PM 26 JANUARY 2012

COUNCIL CHAMBER, HOVE TOWN HALL

AGENDA



| Title: | Council |
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| Date: | 26 January 2012 |
| Time: | 4.30pm |
| Venue | Council Chamber, Hove Town Hall |
| Members: | All Councillors You are summoned to attend a meeting of the BRIGHTON & HOVE CITY COUNCIL to transact the under-mentioned business. |
| | Prayers will be conducted in the Council Chamber at 4.20pm by Father James Wesson |
| Contact: | Mark Wall Head of Democratic Services 01273 291006 mark.wall@brighton-hove.gov.uk |

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53. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Declarations of Interest by all Members present of any personal interests in matters on the agenda, the nature of any interest and whether the Members regard the interest as personal and/or prejudicial under the terms of the Code of Conduct.

54. MINUTES 1 - 38

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the last Council meeting held on the 15th December 2011 (copy attached).

55. MAYOR'S COMMUNICATIONS.

56. TO RECEIVE PETITIONS AND E-PETITIONS.

Petitions will be presented to the Mayor at the meeting.

57. WRITTEN QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC.

A list of public questions received by the due date of the 19th January 2012 will be circulated separately as part of an addendum at the meeting.

58. DEPUTATIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC.

A list of deputations received by the due date of the 19th January 2012 will be circulated separately as part of an addendum at the meeting.

59. PETITIONS FOR COUNCIL DEBATE

a) Music & Arts Services Cuts

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Report of the Monitoring Officer (copy attached).

Contact Officer: Mark Wall Tel:- Tel: 29-1006

Ward Affected: All Wards

60. WRITTEN QUESTIONS FROM COUNCILLORS.

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A list of the written questions submitted by Members will be included in the agenda papers. This will be repeated along with the written answers received and will be taken as read as part of an addendum circulated separately at the meeting.

61. ORAL QUESTIONS FROM COUNCILLORS

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A list of Councillors who have indicated their desire to ask an oral question at the meeting along with the subject matters has been listed in the agenda papers.

6.30 - 7.00PM REFRESHMENT BREAK

Note: A refreshment break is scheduled for 6.30pm although this may alter slightly depending on how the meeting is proceeding and the view of the Mayor.

62. REPORTS OF THE CABINET, CABINET MEMBER MEETINGS AND COMMITTEES.

- (a) Call over (items 63 and 64) will be read out at the meeting and Members invited to reserve the items for consideration.
- (b) To receive or approve the reports and agree with their recommendations, with the exception of those which have been reserved for discussion.
- (c) Oral questions from Councillors on the Cabinet, Cabinet Member and Committee reports, which have not been reserved for discussion.

63. EAST SUSSEX, SOUTH DOWNS AND BRIGHTON & HOVE WASTE 49 - 136 AND MINERALS LOCAL PLAN

Report of the Strategic Director: Place (copy attached together with an extract from the Cabinet meeting held on the 19th January 2012, to be circulated separately).

Contact Officer: Mike Holford Tel: 29-2501

Ward Affected: All Wards

64. HEALTH & WELLBEING BOARD DEVELOPMENT (SHADOW YEAR) 137 - 150

Extract from the Governance Committee meeting held on the 10th January 2012, together with a joint report of the Strategic Director People and the Director of Public Health and Adult Social Care (copies attached,) and an extract from the Cabinet meeting held on the 19th January 2012 (to be circulated separately).

Contact Officer: Terry Parkin Tel: 29-0446

Ward Affected: All Wards

65. NOTICES OF MOTION.

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The following Notices of Motion have been submitted by Members for consideration (copies attached).

- (a) Council Tax. Proposed by Councillor A. Norman (copy attached).
- **(b) Rail Fare Rises.** Proposed by Councillor Turton (copy attached).

- (c) Protect BBC Local Radio Services. Proposed by Councillor G. Theobald (copy attached).
- (d) Fair Deal for Pubs. Proposed by Councillor Randall (copy attached).
- (e) Ultra-Fast Broadband for Our City. Proposed by Councillor J. Kitcat

66. CLOSE OF MEETING

The Mayor will move a closure motion under Procedure Rule 17 to terminate the meeting 4 hours after the beginning of the meeting (excluding any breaks/adjournments).

Note:

- 1. The Mayor will put the motion to the vote and if it is carried will then:-
 - (a) Call on the Member who had moved the item under discussion to give their right of reply, before then putting the matter to the vote, taking into account the need to put any amendments that have been moved to the vote first:
 - (b) Each remaining item on the agenda that has not been dealt with will then be taken in the order they appear on the agenda and put to the vote without debate.

The Member responsible for moving each item will be given the opportunity by the Mayor to withdraw the item or to have it voted on. If there are any amendments that have been submitted, these will be taken and voted on first in the order that they were received.

- (c) Following completion of the outstanding items, the Mayor will then close the meeting.
- 2. If the motion moved by the Mayor is **not carried** the meeting will continue in the normal way, with each item being moved and debated and voted on.
- 3. Any Member will still have the opportunity to move a closure motion should they so wish. If such a motion is moved and seconded, then the same procedure as outlined above will be followed.

Once all the remaining items have been dealt with the Mayor will close the meeting.

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For further details and general enquiries about this meeting contact Mark Wall, (01273 291006, email mark.wall@brighton-hove.gov.uk) or email democratic.services@brighton-hove.gov.uk.

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