

Agenda and Reports

for the meeting of

THE COUNTY COUNCIL

to be held on

12 JUNE 2012

County Hall Kingston upon Thames Surrey

31 May 2012

TO THE MEMBERS OF SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL

SUMMONS TO MEETING

You are hereby summoned to attend the meeting of the County Council to be held in the Council Chamber at County Hall, Kingston upon Thames, on Tuesday 12 June 2012, beginning at 10.30am, for the purpose of transacting the business specified in the Agenda set out overleaf.

DAVID McNULTY Chief Executive

Note 1: Prayers will be said at 10.25am. The Revd Jonathan Andrew, St Peter's Church, Hersham has kindly consented to officiate.

There will be a very short interval between the conclusion of Prayers and the start of the meeting to enable those Members and Officers who do not wish to take part in Prayers to enter the Council Chamber and join the meeting.

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This meeting will be held in public. If you would like to attend and you have any special requirements, please contact Anne Gowing on 020 8541 9938

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

The Chairman to report apologies for absence.

2. MINUTES

To confirm the minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 8 May 2012.

(Note: the Minutes, including the appendices, will be laid on the table half an hour before the start of the meeting).

3. CHAIRMAN'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Chairman to report.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of personal and prejudicial interests from Members in respect of any item to be considered at the meeting.

(Note: It would be helpful if Members could complete the declarations of interest form before the start of the meeting - forms available on the central table in the Council Chamber.)

5. LEADER'S STATEMENT

The Leader to make a statement.

There will be an opportunity for Members to ask questions.

6. SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL PROGRESS REPORT FOR JANUARY 2012 - JUNE 2012

To consider the report.

7. MEMBERS' QUESTION TIME

The Leader of the Council or the appropriate Member of the Cabinet or the Chairman of a Committee to answer any questions on any matter relating to the powers and duties of the County Council, or which affects the county.

8. SURREY POLICE AUTHORITY

The Police Authority's nominated spokesman to answer any questions on the discharge of functions of the Surrey Police Authority.

(Note: Notice of questions in respect of items 7 and 8 on the agenda must be given in writing, preferably by e-mail, to Anne Gowing in Democratic Services by 12 noon on <u>Wednesday 6 June 2012</u>).

9. REPORT OF THE SURREY POLICE AUTHORITY

To receive a report from the Surrey Police Authority.

10. STATEMENTS BY MEMBERS

Any Member may make a statement at the meeting on a local issue of current or future concern.

(Note: Notice of statements must be given in writing, preferably by email, to Anne Gowing in Democratic Services by 12 noon on Monday 11 June 2012).

11. ORIGINAL MOTIONS

(1) Mr Stephen Cooksey (Dorking and the Holmwoods) to move under Standing Order 11 as follows:

'This Council notes that there have been delays in meeting the timescales set by the County Council in:

- i) permanently repairing highway defects
- ii) repairing highway safety defects
- iii) replacing items such as man hole covers and signs.

This Council further notes that there has been a lack of communication to residents and Members advising them when a defect is to be and has been repaired.

Council calls upon the Cabinet Member for Transport and Environment together with the Leader to take urgent action to ensure that Surrey's highways network is brought up to a standard that Surrey's Council Taxpayers would rightly expect to ensure the safety of highway users, the protection of their vehicles and a reduction in the cost of highways insurance claims against the County Council.'

(2) Mrs Helyn Clack (Dorking Rural) to move under Standing Order 11 as follows:

'This Council warmly congratulates her majesty the Queen on the occasion of her Diamond Jubilee in 2012.

Her Majesty, as our Sovereign, is much loved throughout Surrey.

Members resolve here today to send some of their memories of the celebratory events in their divisions of this Diamond Jubilee through letters, emails, photos and video for the Cabinet Member for Communities and the 2012 Games to collate and preserve at the Surrey History Centre as a legacy for future generations.'

12. ELECTION OF COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN AND VICE-CHAIRMEN 2012/13

(a) To appoint the Vice-Chairman for the Woking Local Committee.

13. AMENDMENTS TO THE SCHEME OF DELEGATION – THE EXERCISE OF EXECUTIVE FUNCTIONS

The Leader has agreed changes to the Council's Scheme of Delegation. In accordance with Articles 5.02 and 6.04(d)(ii) of the Council's Constitution, the changes made by the Leader are being reported to Council.

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