

Agenda and Reports

for the meeting of

THE COUNTY COUNCIL

to be held on

12 FEBRUARY 2013

County Hall Kingston upon Thames Surrey

1 February 2013

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, County Hall, Kingston upon Thames, Surrey KT1 2DN, on Tuesday, 12 February 2013, beginning at 10.30 am, for the purpose of transacting the business specified in the Agenda set out overleaf.

DAVID McNULTY Chief Executive

Note 1:

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.

Note 2: This meeting may be filmed for live or subsequent broadcast via the Council's internet site - at the start of the meeting the Chairman will confirm if all or part of the meeting is being filmed. The images and sound recording may be used for training purposes within the Council.

Generally the public seating areas are not filmed. However by entering the meeting room and using the public seating area, you are consenting to being filmed and to the possible use of those images and sound recordings for webcasting and/or training purposes.

If you have any queries regarding this, please contact the representative of Legal and Democratic Services at 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 (Pages 1 - 18)

To confirm the minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 11 December 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

(Pages 19 - 20)

The Chairman to report.

A list of Her Majesty's the Queen's New Year's Honours List 2013 is included within the agenda papers.

4 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive any declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests from Members in respect of any item to be considered at the meeting.

NOTES:

- Each Member must declare any interest that is disclosable under the Relevant Authorities (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012, unless it is already listed for that Member in the Council's Register of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests.
- As well as an interest of the Member, this includes any interest, of which the Member is aware, that relates to the Member's spouse or civil partner (or any person with whom the Member is living as a spouse or civil partner).
- If the interest has not yet been disclosed in that Register, the Member must, as well as disclosing it at the meeting, notify the Monitoring Officer of it within 28 days.
- If a Member has a disclosable interest, the Member must not vote or speak on the agenda item in which it arises, or do anything to influence other Members in regard to that item.

5 REVENUE AND CAPITAL BUDGET 2013/14 TO 2017/18 / COUNCIL TAX REQUIREMENT / TREASURY MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

(Pages 21 - 150)

To approve:

- the level of the council tax precept for 2013/14; and
- the revised treasury management strategy, including the borrowing and operation limits (prudential indicators) for 2013-18, the policy for the provision of the repayment of debt (minimum revenue provision (MRP)), and the treasury management policy.

The report of the meeting of the Cabinet to be held on 5 February 2013 will be circulated separately after that meeting.

6 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.

(Note: Notice of questions in respect of the above item 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</u> February 2013).

7 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 e-mail, to Anne Gowing in Democratic Services by 12 noon on Monday 11 February 2013).

8 REPORT OF THE CABINET

(Pages 151 -

To receive the report of the meeting of the Cabinet held on 18 December 2012 and 5 February 2013 and to agree one recommendation in respect of the Surrey Minerals and Waste Plans – Adoption of the Aggregates Recycling Joint Development Plan Document.

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9 SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL AND EAST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL PARTNERSHIP - SHARED SERVICES

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To consider and agree whether to accept the delegation of a function from East Sussex County Council, under which Surrey County Council will provide transactional support and IT hosting services to East Sussex County Council under a partnership agreement between the two Councils.

10 ELECTION OF COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN AND VICE-CHAIRMEN

To appoint the Vice-Chairman of Reigate and Banstead Local Committee.

11 CRIMINAL RECORDS CHECKS FOR MEMBERS

(Pages 165 -

Following changes to the legislative framework, to agree a policy in relation to criminal records checks for Members.

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12 MEMBER CONDUCT REPORT

(Pages 169 -

To note the decisions of the Member Conduct Panel.

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13 MINUTES OF THE MEETINGS OF CABINET

(Pages 173 -

Any matters within the minutes of the Cabinet's meetings, and not otherwise brought to the Council's attention in the Cabinet's report, may be the subject of questions and statements by Members upon notice being given to the Democratic Services Lead Manager by 12 noon on Monday 11 February 2013.

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QUESTIONS, PETITIONS AND PROCEDURAL MATTERS

The Cabinet will consider questions submitted by Members of the Council, members of the public who are electors of the Surrey County Council area and petitions containing 100 or more signatures relating to a matter within the Cabinet's terms of reference, in line with the procedures set out in the Council's Constitution.

Please note:

- 1. The number of public questions which can be asked at a meeting may not exceed six. Questions which are received after the first six will be held over to the following meeting or dealt with in writing at the Chairman's discretion.
- 2. Questions will be taken in the order in which they are received.
- 3. Questions will be asked and answered without discussion. The Leader, Deputy Leader or Cabinet Member may decline to answer a question, provide a written reply or nominate another Member to answer the question.
- 4. Following the initial reply, one supplementary question may be asked by the questioner. The Leader, Deputy Leader or Cabinet Member may decline to answer a supplementary question.