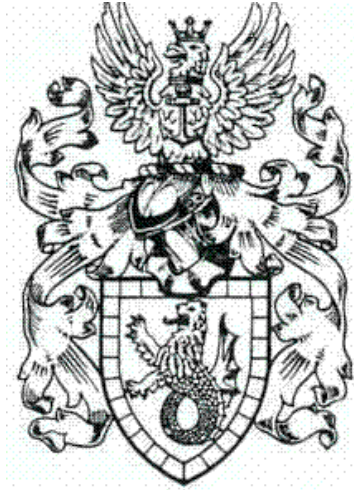


Lewes District Council



Council Agenda

26 September 2007

The venue for this meeting is wheelchair accessible and has an induction loop to help people who are hearing impaired.

Lewes House, Lewes
11 September 2007

John Crawford
Chief Executive

Lewes District Council



Council Meeting

Councillors are kindly requested to switch off their mobile phones prior to the commencement of the meeting.

Note: At the commencement of the meeting the Chair will ask for a period of silence to enable councillors to focus their thoughts on the meeting or to pray silently.

To: The Members of the Council

You are hereby summoned to attend the meeting of **the Council** on **Wednesday 26 September 2007** at **2.30pm** in **the Chamber, Pelham House, St Andrew's Lane, Lewes** when it is proposed to transact the following business:

Please note the date, time and venue.

Presentation

Prior to the commencement of the meeting there will be a presentation by John Magness, Director of Finance and Community Services on matters relating to Shared Services.

1 Minutes

To confirm and sign the Minutes of the Meeting of the Council dated 25 July 2007 (copy previously circulated).

2 Disclosure by councillors of personal interests in matters on the Agenda, the nature of any interest and whether the councillor regards the interest as prejudicial under the terms of the Code of Conduct

3 Announcements

To receive any announcements from the Chair of the Council, Leader of the Council, Members of the Cabinet or the Chief Executive.

A list of the Chair of the Council's engagements since the Meeting of the Council on 25 July 2007 is enclosed.

Attached Documents:

[Chair of the Council's engagements](#)

4 Questions from Members of the Public

To deal with questions which members of the public may wish to put to members of the Cabinet in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10 (if any).

5 Petitions

To receive petitions from councillors or members of the public in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 12.

6 Written Questions from Councillors

To deal with written questions which councillors may wish to put to the Chair of the Council, a Lead Councillor on the Cabinet or the Chair of any committee or sub committee in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 11.

7 Ward Issues

To deal with ward issues which councillors wish to raise. A councillor wishing to raise a ward issue must notify the Chair of the Council prior to the commencement of the meeting in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 11.8.

8 Urgent Decisions taken by the Cabinet

In accordance with Scrutiny Procedure Rule 17, to receive details of urgent decisions taken by the Cabinet at its meeting on 11 September 2007 (if any).

9 Recommendations from Cabinet

To consider the Recommendations from the meeting of the Cabinet held on 11 September 2007 (if any) (and to receive questions and answers on those Recommendations) and to make resolutions thereon.

Attached Documents:

[Recommendations from Cabinet](#)

10 Notice of Motion

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 13, Councillor S B Davy has submitted the following Notice of Motion:

“That the Council contributes £1,000 to the Save the Princess Royal Campaign, confirming our commitment to the residents of Lewes District.

That the Council is utterly opposed to anything that sets hospital against hospital and that a county-wide campaign is needed if we are to succeed in our efforts to change future downgrading proposals. The geographic nature of East and

West Sussex is such as to justify full and adequate **accessible** hospital provision throughout the county”.

11 Scrutiny Committee Annual Report 2006/07 and Work Programme 2007/08

To consider the Report of the Chair of the Scrutiny Committee (Report No 180/07 herewith).

Attached Documents:

[Scrutiny Committee Annual Report 2006/07 and Work Programme 2007/08](#)

12 Change in Composition of the Liberal Democrat Group

To consider the Report of the Head of Democratic Services (Report No 181/07 herewith).

Attached Documents:

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