

Council

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Written Questions from Councillors (Agenda Item No 8)

The following written questions have been submitted by Councillor Robertson which he wishes to ask of the Cabinet Member for Housing, Councillor Maskell (question 1) and the Cabinet Member for Environmental Impact, Councillor Linington (questions 2, 3 and 4).

Question 1:

It has come to my attention that the Housing Advice Surgery is no longer held in Peacehaven on a Monday morning?

After reading the citizens advice report, most of the people who attended the drop in session come to get advice on Housing, because this service has now been cancelled it means that residents will now have to travel out of the town to Newhaven.

This may well cause further hardship to people who are already struggling and congestion and pollution to already overused roads. Please advise further.

Question 2:

Should charities be charged for use of the cliffs at Friars Bay in Peacehaven for abseiling?

Can the Chairman of the Environment waive the fee?

Question 3:

In light of the recent cliff falls, when was the last inspection done in this area and should we be allowing residents down the cliff face?

Question 4:

In Meridian Park, repair work has been done on the paving slab area, is this a temporary repair as the ground is uneven, looks unsightly and is not in keeping with what was originally there? Can I please also have a breakdown of costs so far?