Full Council 19 February 2020



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Quorum: 7

To the Members of the Borough Council

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You are summoned to attend an ordinary meeting of Eastbourne Borough Council to be held at the Court Room at Eastbourne Town Hall, Grove Road, BN21 4UG on 19 February 2020 at 6.00 pm to transact the following business.

Agenda

- 1 Minutes of the meeting held on 10 July 2019. (Pages 5 10)
- 2 Declarations of disclosable pecuniary interests (DPIs) by members as required under Section 31 of the Localism Act and of other interests as required by the Code of Conduct (please see note at end of agenda).
- 3 Mayor's announcements. (Pages 11 16)

A list of the Mayor's announcements in respect of his activities since the last meeting is attached for information.

4 Notification of apologies for absence.

5 Public right of address.

The Mayor to report any requests received from a member of the public under Council Procedure Rule 11 in respect of any referred item or motion listed below.

6 Order of Business.

The Council may vary the order of business if, in the opinion of the Mayor, a matter should be given precedence by reason of special urgency.

7 General Fund Budget, Capital Programme and Housing Review Account 2020/21. (Pages 17 - 34)

Report of Councillor Holt on behalf of the Cabinet. Referred from Cabinet on 5 February 2020.

Please note that the Local Authorities (Standing Orders) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2014 require named votes to be taken and recorded when setting the annual budget and council tax, this to include substantive motions and any amendment.

8 Matters referred from Cabinet or other Council Bodies.

The following matters are submitted to the Council for decision (Council Procedure Rule 12 refers):-

(a) Treasury Management and Prudential Indicators 2020/21, Capital Strategy & Investment Strategy. (Pages 35 - 36)

Report of Councillor Holt on behalf of Cabinet. Referred from Cabinet on 5 February 2020.

(b) Corporate Plan 2020-24 (Pages 37 - 56)

Report of Councillor Tutt on behalf of Cabinet. Referred from Cabinet on 5 February 2020.

(c) Local Council Tax Reduction Scheme (Pages 57 - 58)

Report of Councillor Shuttleworth on behalf of the Cabinet. Referred from Cabinet on 23 October 2019.

(d) Financial Procedure Rules (Pages 59 - 106)

Report of the Chief Finance Officer. Referred from Cabinet on 9 July 2019 and Audit and Governance Committee on 24 July 2019.

(e) Amended Code of Conduct for Members (Pages 107 - 132)

Report of the Monitoring Officer. Referred from Audit and Governance Committee on 24 July 2019.

9 Calendar of Meetings 2020/21 (Pages 133 - 134)

To agree the proposed draft calendar of meetings for 2020/21, including an amendment to the date of Annual Council to be 13 May 2020.

Please note: The calendar will be subject to final approval at the annual meeting of the Council.

10 Urgent decisions taken by the Cabinet or Cabinet members

In accordance with Scrutiny Procedure Rule 20, to receive details of any urgent decisions taken by the Cabinet or Cabinet members since the previous meeting.

(a) IT Provisions Decision Notice - Executive decision taken by Leader (16 December 2019) (Pages 135 - 136)

11 Motions.

No motions have been submitted by Members under Council Procedure Rule 13.

12 Discussion on minutes of Council Bodies.

Members of the Council who wish to raise items for discussion (council procedure rule 14) on any of the minutes of the meetings of formal council bodies listed below must submit their request to the Head of Democratic Services no later than 10.00 am on the day of the meeting. A list of such items (if any) will be circulated prior to the start of the meeting.

The following are appended to this agenda:-

- (a) Minutes of Conservation Area Advisory Group 2 July 2019 (Pages 137 140)
- (b) Minutes of Cabinet 9 July 2019 (Pages 141 146)
- (c) Minutes of Planning Committee 23 July 2019 (Pages 147 152)
- (d) Minutes of Audit and Governance Committee 24 July 2019 (Pages 153 158)
- (e) Minutes of Conservation Area Advisory Group 20 August 2019 (Pages 159 - 162)
- (f) Minutes of Planning Committee 27 August 2019 (Pages 163 166)
- (g) Minutes of Licensing Committee 29 August 2019 (Pages 167 170)
- (h) Minutes of Scrutiny Committee 2 September 2019 (Pages 171 180)
- (i) Minutes of Planning Committee 24 September 2019 (Pages 181 184)
- (j) Minutes of Licensing Committee 30 September 2019 (Pages 185 190)
- (k) Minutes of Conservation Area Advisory Group 1 October 2019 (Pages 191 - 194)
- (I) Minutes of Planning Committee 22 October 2019 (Pages 195 198)
- (m) Minutes of Conservation Area Advisory Group 26 November 2019 (Pages 199 - 200)
- (n) Minutes of Planning Committee 10 December 2019 (Pages 201 208)
- (o) Minutes of Planning Committee 21 January 2020 (Pages 209 212)

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Robert Cottrill Chief Executive

Information for the public

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Information for Councillors

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Disclosure of interests: Members should declare their interest in a matter at the beginning of the meeting.

In the case of a disclosable pecuniary interest (DPI), if the interest is not registered (nor the subject of a pending notification) details of the nature of the interest must be reported to the meeting by the member and subsequently notified in writing to the Monitoring Officer within 28 days.

If a member has a DPI or other prejudicial interest he/she must leave the room when the matter is being considered (unless he/she has obtained a dispensation).

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