



Bishop Auckland Town Council

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Town Clerk: David Anderson

TO: ALL MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

13th January 2015

Dear Councillor,

I hereby give you notice that the next meeting of **Bishop Auckland Town Council** will be held in the **Wesley Room** at **The Four Clocks Centre** on **Tuesday, 19th January 2016 at 6.00 p.m.**

Yours sincerely

David Anderson
Clerk to the Council

AGENDA

1. Apologies for Absence

2. Public Participation

(Subject to Public Participation Policy)

3. Declarations of Interest

To invite members to declare any interest they may have. A flowchart is attached to help Councillors determine whether they have an interest in a matter being discussed.

4. Velo 29

Mike Richardson, Durham County Council Events Team, will be in attendance to update members on arrangements for 2016 Velo event..

5. Minutes of Council Meeting

To approve the Minutes of the Council Meeting held on 2nd December 2015.

6. Matters Arising

To receive any matters arising from the above Minutes which are not included elsewhere on the agenda (for information only).

7. Minutes of Committees

To read or take as read, approve and adopt or otherwise deal with the minutes of the proceedings of the following Committees:-

- a. Planning, 2nd December 2015
- b. Finance Committee, 12th January 2016

8. Matters Arising

To receive any matters arising from the above Minutes which are not included elsewhere on the agenda (for information only).

9. Report of Town Mayor

To receive a report from the Mayor detailing his activities representing the Council since the last meeting.

10. Representatives on Outside Bodies and Training Events

To receive any reports including:-

1. Town Team (Clive Auld)
2. Big Local - Gaunless Gateway
3. River Gaunless for People and Wildlife Project. Feedback from meeting held on 10th January 2016 (Cllr Fleming)

11. Report of Town Clerk

1. Food Festival Working Group
2. Royal Garden Party
3. Social Media Policy

Consultations

4. Nomination to Register The Aclet Hotel as an Asset of Community Value
5. Permit Parking and Waiting Restrictions Order re Eleven Arches Night Shows.
6. Durham Tourist Management Plan 2016-2020
7. County Durham Poverty Action Plan

12. Topics for Future Discussion

To consider topics for future presentations and discussions which are of relevance to the town.

Exclusion of Press and Public

In accordance with the provisions of Section 1 of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, as amended by Section 100 of the Local Government Act 1972, the Council do now exclude the press and public for the remaining item on the agenda by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted since publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest.

13. Report of Town Clerk (continued)

8. Proposed Sale of Land by Durham County Council
9. South Church Allotment Association, Renewal of Lease
10. Town Council Accommodation.
An update will be given at the meeting