

# COUNCIL

# 26 July 2018

To: The Mayor and Members of WOKING BOROUGH COUNCIL

#### SUMMONS TO A MEETING

You are hereby summoned to attend an ORDINARY MEETING of the COUNCIL to be held in the Council Chamber, Civic Offices, Gloucester Square, Woking on THURSDAY, the TWENTY SIXTH DAY OF JULY 2018 at 7.00 pm to transact the business specified in the agenda overleaf

RAY MORGAN Chief Executive

Civic Offices, Woking

NOTE: Filming Council Meetings

Please note the meeting will be filmed and will be broadcast live and subsequently as an archive on the Council's website (www.woking.gov.uk). The images and sound recording will also 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.



# 1. MINUTES.

To approve the minutes of the meetings of the Council held on 17 May and 21 May 2018, as published.

# 2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE.

# 3. MAYOR'S COMMUNICATIONS.

# 4. URGENT BUSINESS.

To consider any business which the Chairman rules may be dealt with under Section 100B(4) of the Local Government Act 1972.

# 5. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST.

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

In accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct, the Leader of the Council, Councillor D J Bittleston, Councillor Mrs B A Hunwicks and Councillor C S Kemp will declare a non-pecuniary interest in any items under which the Thameswey Group of Companies is discussed, arising from their positions as Directors of the Thameswey Group of Companies. The interest is such that speaking and voting are permissible.

In accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct, Councillor D J Bittleston will declare a non-pecuniary interest in any items under which the Victoria Square Development is discussed, arising from his position as a Director of Victoria Square Woking Limited. The interest is such that speaking and voting are permissible.

In accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct, Councillor G S Cundy will declare a nonpecuniary interest in any items under which the Brookwood Cemetery is discussed, arising from his position as a Director of Woking Necropolis and Mausoleum Limited, Brookwood Park Limited and Brookwood Cemetery Limited. The interest is such that speaking and voting are permissible.

In accordance with Officer Procedure Rules, the Chief Executive, Ray Morgan, Deputy Chief Executive, Douglas Spinks, Strategic Director, Sue Barham, and Head of Democratic and Legal Services, Peter Bryant, will declare an interest in any items under which the Thameswey Group of Companies is discussed, arising from their positions as Directors of the Thameswey Group of Companies. The interest is such that speaking is permissible.

In accordance with Officer Procedure Rules, the Chief Executive, Ray Morgan, will declare an interest in any items under which the Victoria Square Development is discussed, arising from his position as a Director of Victoria Square Woking Limited. The interest is such that speaking is permissible.

In accordance with Officer Procedure Rules, the Chief Executive, Ray Morgan, and the Deputy Chief Executive, Douglas Spinks, will declare an interest in any items under which Export House is discussed, arising from their positions as Directors of Export House Limited. The interest is such that speaking is permissible.

In accordance with Officer Procedure Rules, the Deputy Chief Executive, Douglas Spinks, and Head of Democratic and Legal Services, Peter Bryant, will declare an interest in any items under which Brookwood Cemetery is discussed, arising from their positions as Directors of Woking Necropolis and Mausoleum Limited, Brookwood Park Limited and Brookwood Cemetery Limited. The interest is such that speaking is permissible.

In accordance with Officer Procedure Rules, the Chief Executive, Ray Morgan, and the Head of Democratic and Legal Services, Peter Bryant, will declare an interest in any items under which Dukes Court is discussed, arising from their positions as Directors of Dukes Court Owner T S a r I. The interest is such that speaking is permissible.

#### 6. QUESTIONS.

To deal with written questions submitted by Members under Standing Order 8.1. Copies of the questions and of the draft replies (which are subject to amendment by the Leader of the Council) will be laid upon the table.

#### 7. **RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE AND COMMITTEES.** (Pages 7 - 8)

To receive and consider recommendations from the Executive and the Standards and Audit Committee.

- 7a. Notice of Motion Cllr A-M Barker Tackling Plastics
- 7b. Land Management Westfield Avenue
- 7c. External Audit Report to those Charged with Governance (ISA 260) 2017/18

#### 8. STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS 2017/18. (Pages 9 - 158)

#### 9. VOTER ID PILOT REVIEW. (Pages 159 - 194)

# 10. MEMBERSHIP OF THE APPEALS COMMITTEE.

The Council is invited to appoint to the vacancy of the Appeals Committee following the decision of Councillor Bittleston to step down from the position.

#### 11. NOTICES OF MOTION.

To deal with any motions received in accordance with Standing Order 5.0. Any motions received before the deadline has passed for the receipt of motions will be published and a copy of the list will be tabled at the meeting.

#### 12. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC.

The Mayor will move, and the Deputy Mayor will second:-

"That the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of items 13 and 14 in view of the nature of the proceedings that, if members of the press and public were present during these items, there would be disclosure to them of exempt information as defined in paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A, to the Local Government Act 1972."

Paragraph 3 – Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).

# PART II – PRESS AND PUBLIC EXCLUDED

### **13. RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE.** (Pages 195 - 196)

13a.Land Management - Westfield Avenue

#### 14. VICTORIA SQUARE. (Pages 197 - 268)

#### AGENDA ENDS

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Note: At the close of the meeting the Worshipful the Mayor, Councillor Forster, would like to invite the following to join him in the parlour:-

The Deputy Mayor, Councillors Addison, Ali, Ashall, Barker, Bittleston, Bond, Cundy, Davis, Harlow, Hughes, Kemp, Lyons, Martin, Raja and Whitehand, Independent Co-opted Member Claire Storey and Independent Person Tim Stokes, together with Officers attending the meeting.