

Agenda

Cannock Community Forum

Time and Date

7.00pm on Wednesday, 17 March 2010

Venue

Council Chamber, Civic Centre, Cannock

You are invited to this meeting to consider the matters listed below.

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S.G. Brown

Chief Executive

AGENDA

1. Apologies

2. Declarations of Interests of Members in Contracts and Other Matters and Restriction on Voting by Members

To declare any personal or prejudicial interests in accordance with the Code of Conduct and any possible contraventions under Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992.

3. Notes

To receive the Notes of the meeting held on 23 November 2009 (Enclosed)

4. Questions for Staffordshire Police

Members of the public are invited to ask questions of the representative from Staffordshire Police in relation to local policing matters.



5. The following Highway questions have been submitted by Councillor G. Alcott:

- The surface dressing in various parts of the District are now disintegrating at an alarming rate causing loose chippings on the carriageway and ruts in the highway – what are the County's intentions for putting this right?
- Pot holes in the roads especially Hamelin Street
- Gritting of roads

Wayne Mortiboys from Staffordshire County Council Highways will provide a response.

- 6. The following questions have been submitted by Hazel Heath:
 - The Audit Commission awarded the Council a score of two in the new organisational assessment can someone give an explanation as to what this means?

Robert Lamond, Policy and Performance Manager will provide a response

Why have concessionary travel tokens stopped being issued?

Karen Webb, Customer and Admin Services Manager will provide a response

• Why do Council tax payers have to foot the bill for the lavish Charity Ball?

Les Trigg, Deputy Chief Executive will provide a response.

7. Respect Agenda – Spray Art Project at Cannock Park

A DVD will be played showing the Spray Art Project at Cannock Park

Tom Walsh, Parks and Open Spaces Manager will be present for this item.

8. Forward Agenda for Future Meetings

To consider a forward agenda of issues to be discussed at future meetings. Forms for this purpose will be available for completion at the meeting. Appropriate representatives will be invited to attend future meetings to debate the issues and answer any questions.

9. Dates of Future Meetings

The dates of future meetings of the Cannock Community Forum are yet to be agreed at full Council.

To: Councillors

Freeman, M. P. (Chairman) Bennett, Mrs. D. J. (Vice-Chairman) Cannock Chase Council

Alcott, G. Kraujalis, J.T.
Allen, F.W.C. Mitchell, C.
Davis, Mrs. M.A. Morgan, C.W.J.
Dixon, D.I. Sutton, Mrs. H.M.
Green, M.R. Thomas, D.

Mrs. J. Arm - Clerk to Bridgtown Parish Council

County Councillor J. Rowley – Cannock Villages Division

County Councillor P. Corfield – Cannock Town Centre Division

County Councillor D. J. Davis - Chadsmoor Division

Chief Executive - Chase Council for Voluntary Services

Inspector Pat Shannaghan, Cannock Police

Chief Superintendent of Chase Division, Staffordshire Police

Michelle Lucas - Cannock Chase Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Representative / Chief Executive, Staffordshire County Council

Mr. J. Bletcher – Partnership Manager, South Staffs Primary Care Trust

Geraint Griffiths - South Staffs Primary Care Trust

Mrs. H. Heath – Secretary, Longford and Avon Residents Association

Mr. A. Thomas – Chairman, Avenue Tenants and Residents Association

Mr. M. Walters – Vice Chairman, Moss Road Residents Action Group

Mr. D. Stagg – Chairman, Area Tenants and Residents Collective

Ms. A. Ames – Chairperson of Rumer Hill Residents Association and Secretary of CTRF

Theresa Atherton – Secretary of Sumer Hill Residents Association

Mrs. A. Higgs – Chairperson, Bevan Lee Estate Residents Association

Rhona Gudgin - Cannock Street Wardens

Dr. A.W. Wright - Member of Parliament (Cannock Chase Constituency)

Mr. G. Hunt - Partnership District Manager, PDU Office, Cannock Chase Council

Representative of Staffordshire Ambulance Service

Representative - Chief Fire Officer & Chief Executive, Staffordshire Fire and Rescue Service

Note: The person to contact about the agenda and documents for this meeting is Wendy Rowe, Civic Centre, Beecroft Road, Cannock Tel. 01543 462621or e-mail wendyrowe@cannockchasedc.gov.uk

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