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TENDRING DISTRICT COUNCIL

AGENDA

For the Extra Ordinary meeting to be held on Monday, 15 July 2019

Prayers

1 Summons to Council (Pages 1 - 2)

2 Apologies for Absence

The Council is asked to note any apologies for absence received from Members.

3 Declarations of Interest

Councillors are invited to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests or Personal Interest, and the nature of it, in relation to any item on the agenda.

4 Motions to Council - Future of Essex Libraries Services within the District of Tendring (Pages 3 - 4)

Pursuant to the provisions of Council Procedure Rule 12, Council will consider a Motion to Council which has been submitted by Councillors I J Henderson and M E Stephenson.

Date of the Next Scheduled Meeting of the Council

Tuesday, 6 August 2019 at 7.30 pm - Town Hall, Station Road, Clacton-on-Sea, CO15 1SE

INFORMATION FOR VISITORS

PRINCES THEATRE FIRE EVACUATION PROCEDURE

There is no alarm test scheduled for this meeting. In the event of an alarm sounding, please calmly make your way out of any of the four fire exits in the auditorium and follow the exit signs out of the building.

Please follow the instructions given by any member of staff and they will assist in leaving the building.

Please do not re-enter the building until you are advised it is safe to do so by the relevant member of staff.

The assembly point for the Princes Theatre is in the car park to the left of the front of the building as you are facing it. Your calmness and assistance is greatly appreciated.

PUBLIC ATTENDANCE AT TENDRING DISTRICT COUNCIL MEETINGS

Welcome to this evening's meeting of Tendring District Council.

This is an open meeting which members of the public can attend to see Councillors debating

and transacting the business of the Council. However, please be aware that, unless you are included on the agenda to ask a public question, members of the public are not entitled to make any comment or take part in the meeting. You are also asked to behave in a respectful manner at all times during these meetings.

Members of the public do have the right to film or record council meetings subject to the provisions set out below:-

Rights of members of the public to film and record meetings

Under The Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014, which came into effect on 6 August 2014, any person is permitted to film or record any meeting of the Council, a Committee, Sub-Committee or the Cabinet, unless the public have been excluded from the meeting for the consideration of exempt or confidential business.

Members of the public also have the right to report meetings using social media (including blogging or tweeting).

The Council will provide reasonable facilities to facilitate reporting.

Public Behaviour

Any person exercising the rights set out above must not disrupt proceedings. Examples of what will be regarded as disruptive, include, but are not limited to:

- (1) Moving outside the area designated for the public;
- (2) Making excessive noise;
- (3) Intrusive lighting/flash; or
- (4) Asking a Councillor to repeat a statement.

In addition, members of the public or the public gallery should **not** be filmed as this could infringe on an individual's right to privacy, if their prior permission had not been obtained.

Any person considered being disruptive or filming the public will be requested to cease doing so by the Chairman of the meeting and may be asked to leave the meeting. A refusal by the member of the public concerned will lead to the Police being called to intervene.

Agenda Item 1

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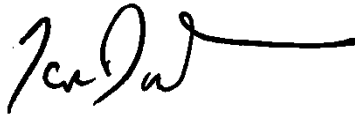
Committee Services
Town Hall
Station Road
Clacton-on-Sea
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CO15 1SE

5 July 2019

Dear Councillor

I HEREBY SUMMON YOU to attend the Extra Ordinary Meeting of the Tendring District Council to be held in the Princes Theatre, Town Hall, Station Road, Clacton-on-Sea at 7.30 p.m. on Monday 15 July 2019 when the business specified in the accompanying Agenda is proposed to be transacted.

Yours faithfully



Ian Davidson
Chief Executive

To: All members of the
Tendring District Council

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COUNCILLOR IVAN HENDERSON'S MOTION TO COUNCIL PURSUANT TO COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 12 – “FUTURE OF ESSEX LIBRARIES SERVICES WITHIN THE DISTRICT OF TENDRING”

“That Council resolves that –

This Council is aware of the overwhelming public and political opposition, including that of MPs, to the closure or reduction in opening hours of any public library within the Tendring District.

This Council therefore calls on the Cabinet of Essex County Council as part of its decision on the future of Essex Libraries to rule out any closures or any reduction in opening hours of any public library within the Tendring District and to instead commit to concentrating on making better use of them as community hubs and to maximising the use of the buildings and sites in order to generate income for the library service.”

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