

Council Forum

4th November 2010

AGENDA

PART 1: ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION IN PUBLIC

- 1 **Chief Executive to read the notice convening the meeting**
- 2 **Prayers by the Mayor's Chaplain**
- 3 **Apologies for Absence**
- 4 **Minutes**
To receive and confirm the minutes of the Council Forum meeting on 30th September 2010. (Attached pages 1-6).
- 5 **Declarations of Interest**
A form is attached. (Attached page 7)
- 6 **Mayoral Communications**
- 7 **Council Forum**
To consider questions from members of the public received under Procedure Rule 10.
- 8 **To consider motions submitted under Procedure Rule 12**
The following Notice of Motion has been submitted:

This Council deplores the methods and actions employed by the ConDem Government in its Comprehensive Spending Review.

We do not believe that "We are all in this together" is an acceptable "strapline", excuse, nor description of policies which promote a wholesale victimisation of the most vulnerable residents of our borough and their families. Nor is it a fair description of the implementation of doctrines being used under the guise of "efficiency" and "necessity" to decimate education, care and other essential services provided by both the public sector and the voluntary sector.

We call on the Conservative and Liberal Democrat members of this Council to join with the Labour Group and Independents in condemning the resulting problems being forced on our residents in areas of welfare benefits of all descriptions and of the decimation of employment opportunities for our present employees and our future generations through the mechanism of vindictive grant cuts.

Proposed by Councillor Andy Kay

Seconded by Councillor Dave Harling

9 Joint Lancashire Minerals and Waste Local Development Framework: Regulation 27 consultation for site Allowance and development management plan documents.

To approve the recommendations in the report (Attached pages 8-15).
Copies of the "Site Allocation and Development management Policies DPD – Part One" and "Site Allocation and Development management Policies DPD – Part Two Site Plans" have been placed on deposit in each political group room.

10 Licensing of Sexual Entertainment Venues

To approve the recommendations in the report (Attached pages 16-34).

11 Youth MP – Engagement with Executive Board

To approve the recommendations in the report (Attached pages 35-36).

12 Draft Year Planner 2011- 2012

The Council Forum is asked to approve the first draft of the Year Planner 2011 – 2012 and that the Year Planner for 2011 – 2012 be confirmed at Policy Council in December. (Attached pages 37-40)

13 Attendance of the Mayor

To approve the recommendations in the report (Attached pages 41-42)

14 Charitable Funds Committee

To approve the recommendations in the report (*To follow*)

15 Policy and Review Committee

Report of the Chair and Vice Chair of the Policy and Review Committee (Attached pages 43-47)

16 Reports of Executive Members with Portfolios

16.1 Leader (pages 48-49)

16.2 Housing (pages 50-52)

16.3 Environmental Improvement and Sustainability (pages 53-54)

16.4 Neighbourhoods and Customer Services (pages 55-57)

16.5 Adult Social Care (pages 58-59)

16.6 Children's Services (pages 60-64)

16.7 Regeneration (pages 65- 68)

16.8 Leisure and Culture (pages 69-70)

16.9 Resources (pages 71-74)

17 Standards Committee

Members are asked to note the report of the Chair of the Standards Committee. (Attached page 75)

- 18 To consider any questions received from Members under Procedure Rule 11**
- 19 a) To receive any questions submitted regarding the functions of the Police Authority**

Any questions will be answered by Councillor M Doherty as this Council's representative on the Police Authority.

b) To note the report from the Chair of the Police Authority (Attached pages 76-78)

PART 2: ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION IN PRIVATE

There are no items to be considered under Part 2

Graham Burgess
Chief Executive
27th October 2010