

Member Information Service

Cabinet Decisions – 14 October 2019

The following decision has been made by Cabinet at their meeting held on 14 October 2019 and will come into effect at 10:00a.m. on Thursday 24 October 2019, unless the call-in procedure is activated. If you wish to request that a proposed decision, not on the Council agenda, is called in please contact Member Services on 01444 477062 or email (committees@midsussex.gov.uk) in addition to making a written request to the Monitoring Officer, Tom Clark.

Land at Hurst Farm, Hurstwood Lane, Haywards Heath – **Recommendation Agreed.**

Decisions made by Cabinet Members

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Formal Transfer of Open Space at the Limes, Lindfield

The Cabinet Member for Environment and Service Delivery agreed to:

- i. authorise the adoption by the Council of the freehold interest in the land on the North Side of Newton Road at Nil consideration using its powers under section 120 of The Local Government Act 1972 to acquire the land for the benefit, improvement or development of the area, and;
- ii. authorise any further terms and conditions that the Council's solicitor may recommend in order to protect the Council's position, and such other matters necessary to bring the matter to completion.

Enhanced Recycling Collection Service for Textiles and Small Waste Electrical And Electronic Equipment (WEEE)

Following consideration by the Scrutiny Committee for Community, Customer Service and Service Delivery on the 18th September 2019, the Cabinet Member for Environment and Service Delivery authorised:

- i. the progression of a kerbside collection service provided through the Council's existing waste and recycling collection contractor, for recycling;

- ii. the introduction of a collection of textiles and small WEEE, for resale in partnership with a charity.

Review Request against the Re-Listing of the Royal Oak, Crawley Down as an Asset Of Community Value (ACV)

The Leader agreed that the registration of the Royal Oak, Crawley Down, as an Asset of Community Value remains.

Copies of the reports are attached to this email. In due course, the reports will be Executive Decisions which can be found [here](#).

Committee Meetings

Please note that all meetings start at 7.00 pm in the Council Chamber, unless otherwise stated.

OCTOBER 2019

17 October – Planning Committee
23 October – Scrutiny Committee for Housing, Planning and Economic Growth
~~24 October – District Planning Committee @ 2pm~~ – **postponed to 31/10/19**
25 October – Liquor Licencing Panel @ 10am
29 October – Cabinet Grants Panel @ 4:30pm
31 October – District Planning Committee @ 2pm – **this will be held at Clair Hall, Haywards Heath**

NOVEMBER 2019

6 November – Council
7 November – Planning Committee
12 November – Audit Committee
13 November – Scrutiny Committee for Community, Customer Services and Service Delivery
18 November – Cabinet @ 4pm
20 November – Scrutiny Committee for Leader, Finance and Performance
21 November – District Planning Committee @ 2pm
28 November – Planning Committee

Agendas – Items to be Considered

Planning Committee – 17 October 2019

DM/18/4541 | Land East Of Haywards Heath Road, Balcombe, West Sussex - Erection of 16 no. dwellings and associated development (amended plans and documents received 28th March 2019, further amended plans received 29th April 2019) - <https://pa.midsussex.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=externalDocuments&keyVal=PHVOCAKT0DA00>

DM/19/3353 | Glencree, Copthorne Bank, Copthorne, Crawley, West Sussex, RH10 3JQ - Construction of the garage foundations of plot 2 in order to establish a lawful commencement of work in respect of 13/03222/OUT and DM/16/4792 - <https://pa.midsussex.gov.uk/online-applications/applicationDetails.do?activeTab=externalDocuments&keyVal=PWMU5FKT0CP00>

Scrutiny Committee for Housing, Planning and Economic Growth – 23 October 2019




Parking Services Annual Review 2018/19

East Grinstead Conservation Area Appraisal and Boundary Review - Outcome of Public Consultation

Scrutiny Committee for Housing, Planning and Economic Growth - Work Programme 2019/20.

Member Development Learning

All Member Development Learning Sessions are held in the Council Chamber unless otherwise stated.

Date & Time	Training Event	Indicator
<u>28 October 2019*</u> @ <u>6:00pm</u>	Introduction to Local Government Finance and Funding <i>(All Members welcome)</i>	
19 November 2019 @ 6:30pm	Introduction to Housing Services <i>(All Members welcome)</i>	
21 January 2020 @ 6:30pm	A Revenues and Benefits update covering Council Tax, Council Tax Support, Housing Benefit, Welfare Reform and Business Rates <i>(All Members welcome)</i>	

Member Development Learning Sessions – Change of Date & Time

*Please note that the 'Introduction to Local Government Finance and Funding' Member Development Learning Session will now take place on 28 October 2019 at 6pm.

Please confirm your attendance to the session by contacting Democratic Services via 01444 477 062 or committees@midsussex.gov.uk.

Introduction to Local Government Finance and Funding – Learning Objectives

This overall objective of this seminar is to demystify council funding and, therefore, enable councillors to more effectively engage with the council finances. The seminar will consider how the council receives its funding and how it plans and controls its spending plans. Plenty of time will be provided for participants to ask questions.

By the end of the seminar, participants will be able to:

- **Understand how local government finance works and how it impacts on wider council decision making.**
- **Understand the various sources of funding available to the council, and the constraints, pitfalls and controls on each.**
- **Understand how the council plans and manages its financial strategy and budget.**
- **Confront and overcome the barriers of jargon that make finance difficult.**

Learning Pool – New Module Available

Please note that a new Learning Pool module has been published. The new module is 'Planning Application Decision Making for Members' which provides an overview of the decision making process. We encourage everyone to access the module.



To complete your online learning pool training modules please visit:

<https://stc.learningpool.com/login/index.php>

Information and News

Electoral Commission Report: May 2019 European Parliamentary elections

The Electoral Commission yesterday published a report on the European Parliamentary elections held in May 2019. Please find the report [here](#).

South Downs National Park Authority – Town and Parish Council workshops

Please find attached the Agenda for the forthcoming South Downs National Park Authority annual parish workshop.

South Downs National Park Authority – South Downs News

Please find the October edition of the South Downs News [here](#).

News Releases

For further information or copies of the press releases listed below, please contact the Press Office on 01444 477 387 or use the following link: <http://www.midsussex.gov.uk/my-council/council-magazine-and-press-releases/press-releases/>

16 October 2019 - [Land sale marks the next step towards community infrastructure improvements](#)

15 October 2019 - [Mid Sussex Applauds winners](#)