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BROMSGROVE DISTRICT COUNCIL

MEETING OF THE COUNCIL

WEDNESDAY 21ST JANUARY 2026, AT 6.00 P.M.

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SUPPLEMENTARY PAPERS 1

The attached papers were specified as "to follow" on the Agenda previously distributed relating to the above mentioned meeting.

6. **To receive comments, questions or petitions from members of the public**
(Pages 3 - 4)

A period of up to 15 minutes is allowed for members of the public to make a comment, ask questions or present petitions. Each member of the public has up to 3 minutes to do this. A councillor may also present a petition on behalf of a member of the public.

15. **Questions on Notice** (Pages 5 - 6)

To deal with any questions on notice from Members of the Council, in the order in which they have been received.

A period of up to 15 minutes is allocated for the asking and answering of questions. This may be extended at the discretion of the Chairman with the agreement of the majority of those present.

16. **Motions on Notice** (Pages 7 - 8)

A period of up to one hour is allocated to consider the motions on notice. This may only be extended with the agreement of the Council.

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15th January 2026

Bromsgrove District Council – 21st January 2026 Public Questions

**1. From Ms Nichola Trigg
Question for the Chairman:**

"What plans do you have to deal with the immediate Speculative Planning Applications already received outside of the Local Plan Consultation process and those that will likely be received over the coming weeks to ensure that the public is not vulnerable to unsustainable development outside the Local Plan consultation option that has only just closed and for which this council hasn't published any response to it yet?"

**2. From Ms Kate Van der Plank
Question for the Chairman:**

"Could the Council please outline any measures that are being implemented to ensure all public venues and licensed premises within the District comply with Health and Safety Regulations"

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Bromsgrove District Council – 21st January 2026

Member Questions

1. From Councillor S Colella

Question for the Leader of the Council

“Could the Leader please confirm that she will ask the Monitoring Officer to seek external legal advice from specialist Counsel on the validity and methodology of the setting of the housing targets by the government and report back to Group Leaders.”

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NOTICE OF MOTION

The following Notice of Motion has been submitted in accordance with Procedure Rule 10 by Councillor J. Elledge:

“This Council invested a great amount of time and effort into ensuring our decision on the local government reorganisation was fully researched, considered, discussed and took note of our residents wishes. With 5 of the 6 Worcestershire District or Borough Councils backing the 2 unitary authorities, along with the majority of the residents who responded to the consultation, I am disgusted that our MP has chosen to support a single unitary authority.

I call upon the Cabinet Member for Local Government Reorganisation and Climate Change to urgently write to our MP, on behalf of the Council, vigorously opposing his position, laid out in Westminster last week supporting a single unitary authority, in direct conflict with the wishes of his constituents, and urging him to reconsider.”

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