

## **BROMSGROVE DISTRICT COUNCIL**

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to attend a MEETING of BROMSGROVE DISTRICT COUNCIL to be held in the Council Chamber at The Council House, Burcot Lane, Bromsgrove at 6.00 p.m. on Wednesday 18th January 2012, when the business referred to below will be brought under consideration:-

The meeting will be opened with a prayer.

- 1. To receive apologies for absence
- 2. Declarations of Interest

(Members are reminded that they need to keep their register of interest forms up to date)

- 3. To confirm the accuracy of the minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 16th November 2011 (Pages 1 8)
- 4. To receive any announcements from the Chairman, the Civic Head or the Head of Paid Service
- 5. To receive any announcements from the Leader
- 6. **Recommendations from the Cabinet** (Pages 9 10)

To consider the recommendations from the meetings of the Cabinet held on 7th December 2011 and 4th January 2012 on the following items (the full Cabinet reports are enclosed for information at the back of the Council agenda book)

- Corporate Delegations in relation to Consultations (change to the Constitution)
- Treasury Management
- Homes Insulation Funding
- Anti-Bribery Policy and Officers' Code of Conduct

# 7. To receive the minutes of the meetings of the Cabinet held on 7th December 2011 and 4th January 2012 (Pages 11 - 20)

# 8. Report of the Independent Remuneration Panel for Worcestershire District Councils on Members' Allowances for 2012/13 (Pages 21 - 38)

#### 9. Questions on Notice

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

### 10. Motion - CCTV

To consider the following motion submitted by Councillor P. M. McDonald:

"That this Council no longer monitors CCTV coverage outside of Bromsgrove and Redditch and gives due notice of this to those it may concern."

### 11. Motion - Freedom of Information Requests

To consider the following motion submitted by Councillor E. J. Murray:

"In light of this Council having not given the correct response(s) to a request(s) under the Freedom of Information Act: that this Council has no confidence in the manner such requests are processed."

## 12. Motion - Free Parking for Blue Badge Holders

To consider the following motion submitted by Councillor L. C. R. Mallett:

"Noting the increasing pressure being placed upon disabled people as a result of cuts to benefits and services as well as the forthcoming rise in charges for blue badges, Council resolves to reintroduce free parking in Bromsgrove District Council car parks for blue badge holders with effect from April 2012".

- Background Information on recommendation from the Cabinet Treasury Management (Pages 39 - 52)
- Background information on recommendation from the Cabinet Home Insulation Funding (Pages 53 58)
- Background Information on Recommendation from the Cabinet Anti Bribery Policy and Officers' Code of Conduct (Pages 59 82)

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TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE BROMSGROVE DISTRICT COUNCIL