

Bromsgrove District Council – 3rd December 2025
Member Questions

1. From Councillor C. Hotham

Question for the Cabinet Member for Strategic Partnerships, Economic Development and Enabling

“The Market Hall (Nailers Yard) development appears to be turning into Bromsgrove’s HS2. A vanity project with a huge overspend. Originally, the cost was expected to be £10,399,000. In March 2025 this had risen to £13,474,000. In August 2025 we are told it will now cost around £15,742,000. This is a £5,343,000 funded by the council taxpayers of Bromsgrove. What actions is the Cabinet Member responsible taking to control this 51% cost increase?”

2. From Councillor J. Clarke

Question to the to the Leader of Bromsgrove District Council

“The national advocacy charity Disabled Motoring UK has highlighted the serious impact that misuse of disabled bays is having on disabled people who face additional daily challenges in accessing local amenities. What action is this Council taking to enforce Blue Badge parking and prevent the misuse of disabled bays?”

3. From Councillor S. Robinson

Question to the to the Leader of Bromsgrove District Council

“As part of local efforts to tackle climate change, we welcome this Council’s ongoing commitment to delivering a Bromsgrove Zero Carbon District Heat Network, working in partnership with other organisations in the community. In light of imminent local government reorganisation, what are the next steps this Council needs to take to ensure this project is seen through to fruition?”

4. From Councillor D. Nicholl

Question to the to the Leader of Bromsgrove District Council

“We note with concern the reduction in membership numbers at Bromsgrove Sport and Leisure Centre. What actions is this Council taking to support the ongoing success of this vital community facility and to protect much needed future income streams for the Council?”

5. From Councillor J. Robinson

Question to the to the Leader of Bromsgrove District Council

In October this Council passed a motion to ensure all new and refurbished playgrounds are inclusive by design. What actions are being taken to make this vision a reality?