

# LUDLOW TOWN COUNCIL

## AGENDA

To: All Members of the Council, Unitary Councillors, Press Contact: Gina Wilding Ludlow Town Council, The Guildhall, Mill Street, Ludlow, SY8 1AZ 01584 871970 townclerk@ludlow.gov.uk Despatch date: 11<sup>th</sup> March 2014

## COUNCIL

You are summoned to attend a meeting of Ludlow Town Council to be held at The Guildhall, Mill Street, Ludlow, on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2014 at 7.00pm

> Gina Wilding Town Clerk

### Key Agenda Items:

- Annual Core Grant Funding
- Anti-Social Behaviour
- The Buttercross Heritage Interpretation Centre
- Spaces for Sports Funding

The public may speak at this meeting

**Public Open Session (15 minutes)** – Members of the public are invited to make representations to the Council on any matters relating to the work of the Council or to raise any issues of concern.



#### 1. To welcome the newly elected Councillor for Whitcliffe Ward

- 2. Health and Safety Councillors and members of the public are to note that the fire exits can be found to the rear of the building, left outside the Council Chamber and via the front door. The fire assembly point is on the pavement opposite the Guildhall. For fire safety purposes all Councillors should sign the attendance book and members of the public should sign the attendance sheet.
- 3. Apologies

#### 4. Declarations of Interests

- a) Disclosable Pecuniary Interest
- b) Declaration of conflicts of Interest
- c) Declarations of personal interest
- 5. Public Open Session (15 minutes) Members of the public are invited to make representations to the Council on any matters relating to the work of the Council or to raise any issues of concern.
- 6. **Response to Questions Raised by the Public at the Previous Meeting** Oral report from the Town Clerk as required.
- 7. Ludlow's Unitary Councillors Question and Answer Session Ludlow's Unitary Councillors are invited to address any questions to the Committee.
- Minutes To approve as a correct record and sign the minutes of the COUNCIL MEETINGS held on 19<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2014

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9.	<b>WHEELER ROAD SKATE PARK</b> To note the Spaces for Sports funding and receive a request from South Shropshire Youth Forum to permit a professional graffiti artist to undertake a project on the skate park	9	11
10.	<b>ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOR</b> To receive an update from Inspector Thomas followed by a question and answer session.	No papers	
11.	CRIME REDUCTION, COMMUNITY SAFETY DRUG & ALCOHOL STRATEGY 2014/17 To consider the strategy and make comments	11	15
12.	<b>ANNUAL CORE GRANT FUNDING</b> To consider an amended application from the Ludlow Festival of Small Gardens	12	39
13.	BUTTERCROSS HERITAGE INTERPRETATION CENTRE To receive a report from the Town Clerk on funding	13	49



<b>14.</b> a)	<b>POLICY AND FINANCE COMMITTEE</b> To receive the minutes of the Policy and Finance Committee meeting held on the 3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2014	14a	59
b)	To consider the recommendations from the Policy and Finance Committee meeting held on the 3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2014	14b	69
15.	<b>REPRESENTATIONAL COMMITTEE</b> To receive the minutes of the Representational Committee meeting held on the 12 <sup>th</sup> February 2014	15	71
16.	<b>SERVICES COMMITTEE</b> To receive the minutes of the Services Committee meeting held on the 24 <sup>th</sup> February 2014	16	77
17.	<b>STAFFING AND APPEALS COMMITTEE</b> To receive the minutes of Staffing & Appeals Committee held on 26 <sup>th</sup> February 2014	17	85
18.	<b>COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP</b> To suspend Standing Orders to receive nominations for Committee membership of new Member of Council	18	91
19.	<b>REPRESENTATIVES ON OUTSIDE BODIES</b> To suspend Standing Orders to received nominations	19	93
20.	<b>TWINNING SUB-COMMITTEE</b> To consider changing the Sub-Committee to a Working Group	20	95
21.	SAMDEV To note a letter from Philip Dunne MP	21	97
<b>22.</b> a) b)	<b>LUDLOW HOSPITAL</b> To receive a report from the Mayor To note the previous minutes of the Ludlow Task Force	22a 22b	99 101
23.	WWI MEMORIAL BOARDS To note the funding from the LJC	23	109
24.	LUDLOWMASCALLCENTRESERVICELEVELAGREEMENTTo consider the future of the Agreement	24	111
25.	<b>EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC: PUBLIC BODIES</b> (ADMISSION TO MEETINGS) ACT 1960 The Chairman will move that the public be excluded from the meeting for the following item(s) of business pursuant to section 1 of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.	No papers	



26.	<b>CLOSED SESSION RECOMMENDATIONS FROM SERVICES</b> <b>COMMITTEE</b> To consider the Closed Session recommendations from the Services Committee meeting held on the 24 <sup>th</sup> February 2014	26	117
27.	<b>STAFFING MATTERS</b> To receive a report on the Living Wage	27	119

### Membership

Councillors Smithers (Town Mayor); Draper (Deputy Mayor); Cobley; Ginger; Holcombe; Jones; Kemp; Lyle; Mold; J. Newbold; S. Newbold; Parry; Perks; Sheward

### The next Council meeting will be held on the 14<sup>th</sup> May 2014