



TRAFFORD COUNCIL

Tuesday, 12 February 2013

Quay West,
Trafford Wharf Road,
Trafford Park, M17 1HH

Dear Councillor,

Your attendance is requested at a meeting of the Council of the Borough of Trafford on **WEDNESDAY, 20 FEBRUARY 2013**, at **7.00 PM** in the **COUNCIL CHAMBER, SALE TOWN HALL, SALE WATERSIDE, SALE, M33 7ZF**, for the transaction of the business set out below:

- | | Pages |
|--|--------------|
| 1. Minutes | |
| To approve as a correct record the Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on 23 January 2013 for signature by the Mayor as Chairman. | 1 - 14 |
| 2. Announcements | |
| To receive any announcements from the Mayor, Leader of the Council, Members of the Executive, Chairmen of Scrutiny Committees and the Head of Paid Service. | |
| 3. Questions By Members | |
| This is an opportunity for Members of Council to ask the Mayor, Members of the Executive or the Chairman of any Committee or Sub-Committee a question on notice under Procedure Rule 10.2. | |
| 4. Proposal to Relocate 6 Licenced Pitch Sites from Sir Matt Busby Way/Wharfside Way, Trafford Park to New Positions Identified on Victoria Place, Trafford Park | |
| To consider a report of the Corporate Director Environment, Transport and Operations. | 15 - 20 |

5. Budget 2013/2014

- (a) To receive and consider the capital and revenue budget estimates presented by the Executive, together with the summaries, statements, schedules of fees and charges and reports of the Executive in relation thereto and to adopt resolutions therein.
- (b) To set and approve the Council Tax Requirement for the District for the year beginning 1st April 2013, in accordance with the Local Government Finance Act 1992, as amended.
- (c) To set and approve, in accordance with the Local Government Finance Act 1992, as amended the amounts as the amounts of the Council Tax for the year 2013/2014 for each of the categories of dwellings included in the respective valuation bands A to H.
- (d) To agree the Treasury Management Strategy 2013/14 – 2015/16.

(Members are requested to refer to the reports circulated in respect of Agenda Items 4-6 for the Executive meeting on 20 February 2013 and also the Fees and Charges Book 2013/14 which will be made available, with the rest of the agenda papers, on the “Council and Democracy” area of the Council’s website at www.trafford.gov.uk > Home > Council and democracy > Committees > Council > 20/02/2013.)*

**Note: a hard copy will be made available to Members upon request.*

6. Motion Submitted by the Labour Group

To consider the following Motion submitted in accordance with Procedure Rule 11:

This Council supports the comments of the Local Government Association Chairman that Local Government has borne the brunt of the cuts to public spending and that further severe cuts will be unsustainable.

The level of cuts in Trafford are savage and have resulted in closures of children centres, day care services, elderly people’s homes, with severe cuts in youth and children services, libraries, elderly peoples services, and services to people with disabilities, and much more, all of which are having a devastating impact for people and our communities.

Economic Experts - the Institute for Fiscal Studies have given dire warnings about the economic direction of the Government and that the Chancellor will have to borrow a further £64 billion more than planned this next year. A sure sign that the Government Austerity plans are just not working.

Cont’d ...

This Council therefore resolves to campaign for a change in economic direction, and a need for Government to understand the increasing difficulty that local authorities face in protecting front line essential services in Trafford and elsewhere. The campaign should be badged as a "Fair Deal for Councils".

Yours sincerely,



Chief Executive

Informal Meeting of Council

Note:

At the conclusion of the meeting it is intended to hold an informal meeting of the Council to consider issuing invitations to Members of Council to be the Mayor and Deputy Mayor of the Borough for 2013/2014.

Membership of the Council

Councillors Mrs. P. Young (Mayor), D. Butt (Deputy Mayor), D. Acton, S. Adshead, S. Anstee, Dr. K.M. Barclay, Mrs. Baugh, J. Bennett, Miss L. Blackburn, R. Bowker, C. Boyes, Mrs. A. Bruer-Morris, J. Brophy, B Brotherton, D. Bunting, C. Candish, R Chilton, M. Colledge, Mrs. L. Cooke, M. Cordingley, M. Cornes, J. Coupe, Mrs. P. Dixon, A. Duffield, Mrs. L. Evans, T. Fishwick, M. Freeman, P. Gratrix, J. Harding, D. Higgins, J. Holden, M. Hyman, C. Hynes, D. Jarman, P. Lally, J. Lamb, J. Lloyd, E.H. Malik, A. Mitchell, P. Myers, D. O'Sullivan, I. Platt, K. Procter, D. Quayle, J.R. Reilly, Mrs. J. Reilly, B. Rigby, T. Ross, B. Sharp, B. Shaw, J. Smith, E.W. Stennett, N. Taylor, S. Taylor, L. Walsh, Mrs. V. Ward, A. Western, D. Western, K. Weston, M. Whetton, Mrs. J. Wilkinson, A. Williams and M. Young

Further Information

For help, advice and information about this meeting please contact:

Ian Cockill, Democratic Services Officer

Tel: 0161 912 1387

Email: ian.cockill@trafford.gov.uk

This Summons was issued on **Tuesday, 12 February 2013** by the Legal and Democratic Services Section, Trafford Council, Quay West, Trafford Wharf Road, Trafford Park, Manchester, M17 1HH.