

Eastwood Town Council

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28th March 2024

To the Mayor & Members of Eastwood Town Council

Eastwood Town Council Meeting
Monday 8th April 2024 commencing at 7.00 p.m.
at the Town Council Chamber, Nottingham Road, Eastwood NG16 3NP under the provisions of the Local Government Act 1972

Dear Mayor & Town Councillors

You are hereby summoned to attend the Meeting of Eastwood Town Council to be held on Monday 8th April 2024 commencing at 7.00 pm in the Council Chamber, 120 Nottingham Road, Eastwood, NG16 3NP.

An agenda is set out overleaf.

Please submit apologies to the Town Clerk before 12.00 noon on the day of the meeting.

Yours sincerely

Sheena Trower

Sheena Trower CiLCA Town Clerk Eastwood Town Council

EASTWOOD TOWN COUNCIL Meeting to be held on Monday 8TH April 2024 at the Town Council Chamber, 120 Nottingham Road, Eastwood NG16 3NP commencing Non-confidential business at 7.00 p.m.

AGENDA

Members are asked to sign the following documents: -

- Attendance record for the meeting
- Complete the Declarations of Interest sheet (if appropriate).
- These will be available in the Council Chamber on the reception desk.

Opening prayer by Reverend David Stevenson

- 1. To receive apologies for absence
- 2. Variation of Order of Business if required

3. Declaration of Members Interests

- (a) Members must ensure that they complete the Declarations of Interest sheet prior to the start of the meeting in respect of items other than Disclosable Pecuniary Interests and must indicate the action to be taken (i.e. to stay in the meeting, to leave the meeting or to stay in the meeting to must ensure that they complete the Declarations of Interest sheet prior to the start of the meeting and must indicate the action to be taken (i.e. to stay in the meeting, to leave the meeting or to stay in the meeting to make representations and then leave the meeting prior to any consideration or determination of the item)
- **(b)** Where a Member indicates that they have a Disclosable Pecuniary interest but wish to make representations regarding the item before leaving the meeting, those representations must be made under Public Speaking.
- **(c)** The Declarations of Interests for matters other than Disclosable Pecuniary Interests, Members will be asked to confirm that the record is correct.
- (d) Members are reminded that it is their own responsibility to update their Registrations of Interest as soon as anything changes. This is a legal requirement and if not completed, in certain circumstances, may be subject to prosecution.

4. Minutes

a) To confirm the Non-Confidential Minutes of Eastwood Town Council Meeting held 11th March 2024

b) To confirm Confidential Minutes of Eastwood Town Council Meeting held 11th March 2024 under Exclusion of Public Order.

Non-confidential business:-

- 5. Suspension of Standing Orders to allow Public Speaking (30 minutes)
 - a) **Representative(s)** from Nottinghamshire Police (i) P.C.S.O. Peter Keeley regarding Community Speed Watch Initiative as attached report (ii) Officer reports for Eastwood.
 - b) Address by Linda Pattison representing Nottinghamshire County Council Local Co-ordinator Representative (report as attached).
 - c) **Broxtowe Borough Council** representative reports (Cllrs D. Bagshaw, Mrs. S. Bagshaw, R. Bullock, M. Radulovic M.B.E. & K. Woodhead)
 - d) Nottinghamshire County Council representative report (Cllr K. Oliver)
 - e) Members of the public address to Council
 - f) Town Councillors with a pecuniary interest in agenda items an opportunity to address, answer questions or provide evidence relating to the matter under discussion for that interest.

6. Re-instatement of Standing Orders

7. To determine which additional items on any part of the agenda should be taken with the public excluded. If the Council decides to exclude the public it will be necessary to pass a resolution in the following terms: - "In view of the confidential nature of items () to consider a resolution to exclude the press and public from the meeting in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, s1, in order to discuss the item."

8. To receive Reports

- i. Mayor's Report Councillor Mrs. K. Boam
- ii. **Update on Eastwood Junior Council** update (Cllr Woodhead).
- iii. Arts & Events Committee (Chairman Cllr N. Levett) Report from meeting held 2nd April 2024
- iv. Assets, Finance & Policy Committee (Chairman Cllr D. Bagshaw) next meeting date 22nd April 2024
- v. Community Governance Review update submitted to Broxtowe Borough Council 14th March 2023 as attached (Cllr M. Bullock).
- vi. Allotments Representative Report Cllr R. Bullock & Assistant to the Clerk Mrs. E. Henshaw
- vii. Reports from Outside Bodies (i) Eastwood Volunteer Bureau (Cllr K. Oliver)
- viii. Application for dispensation Cllr Mrs. S. Bagshaw (report attached)

9. Financial Report

- (a) To receive income, expenditure and reconciliation at 31st March 2024 as circulated.
- (b) Draft end of financial year report 1st April 2023 to 31st March 2024 for submission to Internal Auditor as attached.
- (c) Annual insurance renewed for 2024 2025 confirmation of payment.
- 10. Clerk Report as attached.

11. Planning Matters

(i) Borough Council attached.

- 12. Date of next meetings at the Council Chamber: -
 - (a) Annual Town Meeting Monday 13th May 2024 commencing at 6.30 p.m.
 - (b) Annual Town Council Meeting Monday 13th May 2024 commencing at 7.00 p.m.

Public Participation

- Notice is given that at a time agreed by the meeting, 30 minutes may be set aside for members of the public to make representation on the business of the agenda for the meeting
- Any member of the public shall not speak for more than five minutes.
- A question asked by a Member of the Public during Public Participation shall not require a response or debate during the meeting though the Town Mayor may direct that a written response will be provided subsequent to the meeting.

Public Bodies Act (Admission to Meetings Act) 1960

Meetings shall be open to the public unless their presence is prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted or for other special reasons. The public's exclusion from part or all of a meeting shall be by a resolution which shall give reasons for the public's exclusion in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings Act) 1960.

Please switch off or to silence mobile phones during the Council meetings.

The meeting may be recorded only as an aide memoire for staff with deletion of the recording on approval of Town Council Minutes.