MEETING OF THE COUNCIL



Thursday, 22nd February, 2024

7.00 pm

Council Chamber Thanet District Council Margate

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You are hereby summoned to attend the meeting of the Thanet District Council to be held in the Council Chamber, Council Offices, Cecil Street, Margate, Kent on Thursday, 22 February 2024 at 7.00 pm for the purpose of transacting the business mentioned below.

Head of Legal and Democracy & Monitoring Officer To: The Members of Thanet District Council

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<u>A G E N D A</u>

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1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

To approve the Minutes of the meeting of Council held on 8 February 2024, copy attached.

3. ANNOUNCEMENTS

To receive any announcements from the Chair, Leader, Members of the Cabinet or Chief Executive in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 2.2 (iv).

4. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** (Pages 5 - 6)

To receive any declarations of interest. Members are advised to consider the advice contained within the Declaration of Interest advice attached to this Agenda. If a Member declares an interest, they should complete the <u>Declaration of Interest Form</u>

5. **PETITIONS**

To receive petitions from the public in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 12.

<u>Item</u> <u>No</u>

6. **QUESTIONS FROM THE PRESS AND PUBLIC** (Pages 7 - 10)

To receive questions received from the press or public in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 13.

7. **QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL** (Pages 11 - 14)

To receive questions from Members of the Council in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 14.

8. NOTICE OF MOTION

To receive any Notices of Motion from Members of Council in accordance with the Council Procedure Rule 3.

8a ABUSE OF COUNCILLORS AND OFFICERS MOTION (Pages 15 - 18)

8b FAIR TAX DECLARATION MOTION (Pages 19 - 22)

8c CEASEFIRE MOTION

9. **LEADERS REPORT** (Pages 23 - 26)

To receive a report from the Leader of the Council in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 2.4.

- 10. **<u>REPORT OF THE CHAIR OF THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PANEL</u>** (Pages 27 40)
- 11. TREASURY MANAGEMENT STRATEGY & ANNUAL INVESTMENT STRATEGY 2024/25 (Pages 41 - 88)
- 12. 2024-28 MEDIUM TERM FINANCIAL STRATEGY
- 13. COUNCIL TAX RESOLUTION REPORT

Report to follow.

- 14. MEMBERS ALLOWANCES SCHEME 2024/25 (Pages 89 102)
- 15. COMMITTEES, PANELS AND BOARDS
- 16. **REPRESENTATION ON RAMSGATE CHARITIES**
- 17. **CALENDAR OF MEETINGS** (Pages 103 114)

<u>ltem</u> <u>No</u> <u>Subject</u>