

Cambridge City Council

Notice of Council

Date: Thursday, 22 February 2018

Time: 6.05 pm

Venue: Council Chamber, The Guildhall, Market Square, Cambridge, CB2 3QJ

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Dear Councillor,

A meeting of Cambridge City Council will be held in the Council Chamber, The Guildhall, Market Square, Cambridge, CB2 3QJ on Thursday, 22 February 2018 at 6.05 pm and I hereby summon you to attend.

Dated 14 February 2018

Yours faithfully



Chief Executive

Agenda

- 1 To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 19 October 2017 (Pages 5 - 30)
- 2 Mayor's Announcements
- 3 Public Questions Time
See the foot of the agenda for details of the scheme
- 4 To consider the recommendations of the Executive for Adoption
- 4a Executive Councillor for Strategy & Transformation :
2018/19 Housing Revenue Account (HRA) Budget
Setting Report 2018/19 (Pages 31 - 134)

- 4b Executive Councillor for Finance and Resources: Treasury Management Strategy Statement Report 2018/19 to 2020/21 (Pages 135 - 172)
- 5 To consider Budget Recommendations of the Executive for Adoption
- 5a Proposed Revenue and Capital Budgets - 2017/18 (Revised), 2018/19 (Budget & Council Tax) and 2019/20(Forecast) (Pages 173 - 302)
- 5b Liberal Democrat Group Amendment to the Executive Budget Recommendations (Pages 303 - 328)
- 6 To consider the recommendations of Committees for Adoption
- 6a Civic Affairs: Pay Policy Statement 2018/19
Minute to follow
- 6b Civic Affairs: Special Responsibility Allowance
Minute to follow
- 6c Civic Affairs: Independent Person and Deputy
Minute to follow
- 7 To deal with Oral Questions
- 8 To consider the following Notices of Motion, notice of which has been given by:
- 8a Councillor Cantrill: The Future of Cambridge Magistrates Court.

This Council currently notes the proposals for the future of Cambridge Magistrates Court, including the closure of the building with its work being relocated to existing courts in Cambridge, Huntingdon and Peterborough.

This Council also notes the current consultation being undertaken to find out the public's views on the proposals.

This Council objects to the proposals to close Cambridge Magistrates Court for the following reasons:

- i. That Cambridge residents could be forced to travel to Peterborough or Huntingdon to attend a hearing as participants

- in court proceedings;
- ii. That it dilutes the sense of place and mutual community responsibility which is valuable in underpinning the most local level of the justice system; and
- iii. That the impact assessment in relation to the proposals is flawed as it fails to monetise the costs to be imposed on court users.

This Council asks the Leader of the Council to write to the responsible minister, Lucy Frazer, MP setting out the Council's objections to the proposals

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Written Questions

No discussion will take place on this item. Members will be asked to note the written questions and answers document as circulated around the Chamber.

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