

Council

Date: Tuesday, 14 May 2024

Time: 19:00

Venue: Council Chamber

Address: Town Hall, Hall Plain, Great Yarmouth, NR30 2QF

To: All members of the Council. You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of the Council for the purpose of transacting the business set out in this agenda.

AGENDA

Open to Public and Press

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive any apologies for absence.

2 <u>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</u>

You have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest in a matter to be discussed if it relates to something on your Register of Interests form. You must declare the interest and leave the room while the matter is dealt with.

You have a Personal Interest in a matter to be discussed if it affects

- your well being or financial position
- that of your family or close friends
- that of a club or society in which you have a management role
- that of another public body of which you are a member to a greater extent than others in your ward.

You must declare a personal interest but can speak and vote on the matter.

Whenever you declare an interest you must say why the interest arises, so that it can be included in the minutes.

- 3 ELECTION OF MAYOR FOR THE 2024/25 MUNICIPAL YEAR
- 4 VOTE OF THANKS TO OUTGOING MAYOR
- 5 <u>ELECTION OF DEPUTY MAYOR FOR THE 2024/25 MUNICIPAL</u>
 YEAR
- 6 APPOINTMENT OF MAYORS CHAPLAIN FOR THE 2024/25
 MUNICIPAL YEAR
- 7 PRESENTATION TO MAYOR'S CONSORT
- 8 PRESENTATION TO MAYOR'S CADET

9 MINUTES 5 - 20

To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on the 22 February 2024.

10 <u>ITEMS OF URGENT BUSINESS</u>

To consider any items of Urgent Business.

11 PUBLIC QUESTION

Council to consider the following question from Mr Stuart Hellingsworth.

The imminent closure of Snack Creations in Great Yarmouth in 2026, represents one of the last big industrial employers leaving the town. As a direct result of this, Unite the Union Great Yarmouth is running a campaign for Decent Jobs in Great Yarmouth.

We are calling for business and Political leaders to support the growth of jobs that guarantee;

- *Pay at the Real Living Wage (£12 per hour or above).
- *Guaranteed hours contracts (no zero hour jobs).
- *Trade Union agreements to ensure workers have a real voice at work.
- *Real training and development opportunities (including apprenticeships).

The 2019 Economic Profile for Great Yarmouth shows that workers in Yarmouth are subject to lower wages, longer working hours and less economic prospects than other parts of the County.

The 2020 Economic Strategy states that it's aim is to grow a quality local jobs market with higher median wages, better paid work and investment in skills.

Can councillors provide us with any evidence that wages and conditions for Yarmouth workers have improved since the strategy was written?

12 <u>ELECTION OF LEADER OF THE COUNCIL FOR THE 2024/25</u> <u>MUNICIPAL YEAR</u>

13 <u>TIMETABLE OF MEETINGS FOR THE 2024-25 MUNICIPAL YEAR</u> 21 - 21

Report attached.

14 <u>APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS FOR THE</u> 22 - 22 2024-25 MUNICIPAL YEAR

Report attached.

15 <u>APPOINTMENT OF CHAIRS AND VICE-CHAIRS FOR THE 2024-</u> 23 - 23 <u>25 MUNICIPAL YEAR</u>

Report attached.

16 WORKING GROUP MEMBERSHIPS FOR THE 2024-25 MUNICIPAL YEAR

Report attached.

MUNICIPAL YEAR

Report attached.

18 MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

19 EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC

In the event of the Committee wishing to exclude the public from the meeting, the following resolution will be moved:-

"That under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part I of Schedule 12(A) of the said Act."

20 CONFIDENTIAL MINUTES

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