

## **COUNCIL**

**19 OCTOBER 2023**

### **MEMBERS' QUESTIONS**

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#### Summary

To set out the public questions received for this meeting.

#### 1. Background

- 1.1. Section 9.1 of the Council Rules, as laid out in the Council's constitution, sets out the rules for the receipt of Members' questions as follows:
- 1.2. A member of the Council may ask a question with notice on matters to do with their Council responsibilities to:
  - the Leader;
  - a Member of the Cabinet;
  - the chairman of any Committee or Sub-Committee.
- 1.3. At any one meeting no Member of the Council may submit more than one question. The time allowed for answers to each question at Council meetings shall not exceed three minutes. If a Member who has submitted a question is unable to be present, the question will be answered in writing. There is no provision for supplementary questions.
- 1.4. The questions received for this meeting are set out in Appendix 1 in the order they were received, allowing for the rules above.

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#### Appendices

Appendix 1 – schedule of public questions

#### Background papers

None