



BARNARD CASTLE TOWN COUNCIL

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COUNCIL MEETING

MONDAY, 18TH APRIL, 2011

Dear Councillor,

You are hereby summoned to attend the Meeting of Barnard Castle Town Council to be held in the Council Chamber at Teesdale House, 43 Galgate, Barnard Castle on Monday, 18th April, 2011 commencing at 6.30 p.m.* when the items of business listed below will be considered.

Please note that immediately prior to the Council meeting, 15 minutes has been allocated for public participation, in accordance with the decision made at Council Minute 186(2)/Mar/09. Whilst no questions have been submitted to date, **Members should make every effort to be in the Council Chamber by 6.15 p.m. at the latest.** However, it should be noted that the Council meeting will not commence before 6.30 p.m.

TOWN CLERK
12TH APRIL, 2011

AGENDA

189. APOLOGIES

190. WELCOME TO COUNCILLOR ROBINSON

191. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

192. COUNCIL MEETING – 7TH MARCH, 2011 – MINUTES

193. 'EN BLOC' ITEMS:-

- (1) Planning Committee Meeting – 14th March, 2011 – Minutes;
- (2) Finance Committee Meeting – 14th March, 2011 – Minutes;
- (3) Modernisation Committee Meeting – 21st March, 2011 – Minutes;
- (4) Planning Committee Meeting – 28th March, 2011 – Minutes;
- (5) Christmas Festival Committee Meeting – 28th March, 2011 – Minutes;
- (6) Town Mayor's Activities; and
- (7) Royal Garden Party 2011 – Result of Draw.

194. REFERRALS FROM COMMITTEES

195. REPRESENTATION ON OTHER BODIES: –

- (1) Barney Guild – Meeting on 28th March, 2011;
- (2) Heart of Teesdale Landscape Partnership;
- (3) Teesdale Local Councils' Forum – Meeting on 11th April, 2011;
- (4) Teesdale Marketing Limited – Annual General Meeting on 29th April, 2011;
- (5) Teesdale Residents and Travellers Forum – Meeting on 5th April, 2011; and
- (6) Charity for Advancement of Trade, Commerce and Art.

- 196. **BARNARD CASTLE VISION:-**
 - (1) Briefing Note; and
 - (2) Meetings between Town Mayor/Clerk and Vision Chairman on 8th April, 2011.
- 197. **'ROPE BRIDGE' ACROSS RIVER TEES – OVERVIEW**
- 198. **FLORAL AND OPEN SPACES ISSUES**
- 199. **SERVICE AND PROJECT UPDATES:-**
 - (1) Floral Competition/Poppy Appeal;
 - (2) Newsletter;
 - (3) Dawson Road Play Area Phase 2;
 - (4) Market Cross Lighting; and
 - (5) Market Place Public Toilets.
- 200. **DOG FOULING (Councillor Mrs Hamilton)**
- 201. **ANNUAL TOWN AND COUNCIL MEETINGS – 9TH MAY, 2011 – PROCEDURES**
- 202. **HOME TO SCHOOL/COLLEGE TRANSPORT POLICY – CONSULTATION**
- 203. **DRAFT RIGHTS OF WAY IMPROVEMENT PLAN FOR COUNTY DURHAM 2011-14 – CONSULTATION**
- 204. **EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC (in respect of Items 205 to 207 below)**
- 205. **OFFICE ACCOMMODATION**
- 206. **2011 FLORAL DISPLAYS – TENDERING ARRANGEMENTS**
- 207. **CO-ORDINATION OF NON-TOWN COUNCIL ACTIVITIES**

***PLEASE NOTE EARLIER STARTING TIME**