



BARNARD CASTLE TOWN COUNCIL

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COUNCIL MEETING MONDAY, 3 DECEMBER 2012

Dear Councillor,

You are hereby summoned to attend the ordinary Meeting of Barnard Castle Town Council to be held in the **DAWSON ROOM, WOODLEIGH**, Barnard Castle on Monday, 3 December 2012 commencing at **7.00 p.m.** when the items of business listed below will be considered.

Please note that immediately prior to the Council meeting, 15 minutes have 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 ensure that they are in the DAWSON ROOM AT WOODLEIGH by 6.45 p.m. at the latest.** However, it should be noted that the Council meeting will not commence before **7.00 p.m.**

CLERK
27 NOVEMBER 2012

AGENDA

- 103. **APOLOGIES**
- 104. **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**
- 105. **ATTENDANCE OF POLICE REPRESENTATIVE**
- 106. **'TEESDALE BRIDGE AND WOODLAND WALK' PROJECT**
- 107. **COUNCIL MEETING 15 OCTOBER 2012 – MINUTES**
- 108. **SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING 22 OCTOBER 2012 – MINUTES**
- 109A. **SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING 21 NOVEMBER 2012 – MINUTES**
- 109B. **CONDUCT OF COUNCILLOR J. WATSON - UPDATE**
- 110. **'EN BLOC' ITEMS:-**
 - (1) **Planning Committee Meeting – 15 October 2012 – Minutes;**
 - (2) **Finance Committee Meeting – 29 October 2012 – Minutes;**
 - (3) **Allotments & Play Areas Working Group Meeting – 5 November 2012 – Notes;**
 - (4) **Planning Committee Meeting – 5 November 2012 – Minutes;**
 - (5) **Administrative Support Committee Meeting – 7 November 2012 – Minutes;**
 - (6) **Floral and Open Spaces Working Group Meeting – 12 November 2012 – Notes;**
 - (7) **Christmas Festival Committee Meeting – 12 November 2012 – Minutes;**
 - (8) **Editorial Board Meeting – 19 November 2012 – Notes;**

- (9) Planning Committee Meeting – 19 November 2012 – Minutes;**
- (10) Finance Committee Meeting – 19 November 2012 – Minutes; and**
- (11) Town Mayor’s Activities**

111. REFERRALS FROM COMMITTEES AND WORKING GROUPS

112. 2013/14 NEW BUDGETARY PROJECTS/ITEMS

113. REPRESENTATION ON OTHER BODIES:-

- (1) Barney Guild – Meetings on 17 October and 14 November 2012;**
- (2) Teesdale Residents and Travellers Forum – Meeting on 23 October 2012;**
- (3) Small and Medium-Sized Councils’ Forum – Meeting on 16 November 2012;**
and
- (4) South West Durham Heritage Corridor Partnership.**

114. BARNARD CASTLE VISION

115. SERVICE AND PROJECT UPDATES:-

- (i) Floral and Open Spaces Issues;**
- (ii) Poppy Appeal/Remembrance Sunday;**
- (iii) Christmas Festival Event 2012;**
- (iv) Mini Golf– Review of 2012 Season; and**
- (v) Mini Golf – A Journey through Teesdale**

116. DURHAM COUNTY COUNCIL – CHAIRMAN’S MEDAL

117. IMPROVING LOCAL GOVERNMENT TRANSPARENCY - CONSULTATION