

CABINET

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PUBLIC AND COUNCILLOR QUESTIONS ACCEPTED

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PUBLIC QUESTIONS (ITEM 5)

Under Rule 16 of the Executive Procedure Rules, members of the public may question the Executive and Portfolio Holders at meetings. There is a time limit of 15 minutes for the asking and answering of public questions.

1.

Questioner: Manisha Ahya

- Asked of: Councillor Barry Macleod-Cullinane, Deputy Leader and Portfolio Holder for Adults and Housing
- Question: "There have been concerns raised by service users about theft of personal property and equipment at the Bridge Day Centre. What is being done by Rethink to address these concerns and improve security at the Bridge Day Centre?"

2.

- Questioner: Sheliza Alidina
- Asked of: Councillor Barry Macleod-Cullinane, Deputy Leader and Portfolio Holder for Adults and Housing
- Question: "Mental health service users who attend the Bridge Day Centre have gone weeks without provision for meals or food there. Many service users are unable to afford to buy food at the Harrow Leisure Centre as instructed by Rethink, or are too unwell or have no-one to help them prepare a meal to take to the Bridge. There has been no satisfactory answer from Rethink as to how long this situation will go one for. Do you find this acceptable?"

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AGENDA PART I

COUNCILLOR QUESTIONS (ITEM 6)

Fifteen minutes will be allowed for Members of the Council to ask a Portfolio Holder a question on any matter in relation to which the Executive has powers or duties.

1.

Questioner:	Councillor Bill Phillips
Asked of:	Councillor Susan Hall, Leader of the Council and Portfolio Holder for Community Safety and Environment
Question:	"How much are the ILG and Mayor overspending on their respective budgets?"

2.

- Questioner: Councillor Bill Phillips
- Asked of: Councillor Susan Hall, Leader of the Council and Portfolio Holder for Community Safety and Environment
- **Question:** "What is the Leader of the Council actively doing to maximise voter turnout in Harrow, particularly amongst younger people who are less likely to vote and are more disaffected with the political process?"

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