

CABINET - 12 OCTOBER 2017

AGENDA PART 1

COUNCILLOR QUESTIONS (ITEM 5)

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 Paul Osborn

Asked of: Councillor Christine Robson, Portfolio Holder for Children, Young People and Schools

Question: What lessons have you learned about consultation following the last full Council Meeting?

2.

Questioner: Councillor Paul Osborn

Asked of: Councillor Sachin Shah, Leader of the Council and Portfolio Holder for Strategy, Partnerships and Devolution.

Question: As you failed to answer my question at the last Council meeting, can you please give me a yes or no answer? At the time of the Council making pledges to donate money to "Our Village Garden Triangle", were you aware that one of your councillors was, and still is, a senior employee of the crowdfunding platform that was running the project?

3.

Questioner: Councillor Janet Mote

Asked of: Councillor Christine Robson, Portfolio Holder for Children, Young People and Schools

Question: What has the Council done to support carers and young carers in the Borough?

4.

Questioner: Councillor Richard Almond

Asked of: Councillor Christine Robson, Portfolio Holder for Children, Young People and Schools

Question: What reduction in the underlying projected overspending in Children's Services has been achieved from the figure shown at the end of Quarter 1?

5.

Questioner: Councillor Barry Macleod-Cullinane

Asked of: Councillor Graham Henson, Portfolio Holder for the Environment

Question: How many of your 2,000 new bins are already in place, what will be the cost of buying and installing them, specify from which budget these costs will come from and what is the projected annual cost of emptying them?

6.

Questioner: Councillor Barry Macleod-Cullinane

Asked of: Councillor Glen Hearnden, Portfolio Holder for Housing and Employment

Question: In the item on Use of Retained Right to Buy Receipts taken at September Cabinet (14/09/17), line 2.10 notes: "To date, the Council has spent £2.2m retained receipts. It has repaid £464k with interest of £55k as a result of delays on staged payments on the infill programme and delays in property completions." What caused both the "delays on staged payments on the infill programme" and the "delays in property completions"?

7.

Questioner: Councillor Richard Almond

Asked of: Councillor Sachin Shah, Leader of the Council and Portfolio Holder for Strategy, Partnerships and Devolution

Question:

What efforts have you made and will you make to persuade the Mayor of London to change his attitude to cars and parking in Outer London boroughs?