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14th February, 2022

MEETING OF STRATEGIC POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE

Dear Alderman/Councillor,

The above-named Committee will meet remotely via Microsoft Teams on Friday, 18th February, 2022 at 9.30 a.m., for the transaction of the business noted below.

You are requested to attend.

Yours faithfully,

Ronan Cregan

Deputy Chief Executive

AGENDA:

1. Routine Matters

- (a) Apologies
- (b) Minutes
- (c) Declarations of Interest

2. Restricted Items

- (a) Financial Reporting – Quarter 3 2021/22 (Pages 1 - 20)
- (b) Update on Draft Amenity Bye Laws (Pages 21 - 30)
- (c) Update on Physical Programme (Pages 31 - 38)
- (d) Alleygating Scheme – Phase 5 (Pages 39 - 50)
- (e) Bonfire Management (To be tabled)

3. Matters referred back from Council/Motions

- (a) Motion – Unauthorised Clothing Banks (Pages 51 - 52)

4. Governance

5. Belfast Agenda/Strategic Issues

- (a) Council Improvement Objectives for 2022-23 (Pages 53 - 60)
- (b) Update on Customer Focus Programme (Pages 61 - 78)
- (c) Update on JobStart Scheme (Pages 79 - 82)
- (d) Update on the Arrangements for dealing with Consultation Responses (Pages 83 - 86)
- (e) Department of Education Consultation on Children and Young People's Strategy Initial 3-Year Delivery Plan 2021-2024 – Council Response (Pages 87 - 108)
- (f) UK - Republic of Korea Innovation Twins Programme (Pages 109 - 112)

6. Physical Programme and Asset Management

- (a) Assets Management (Pages 113 - 118)
- (b) Update on Area Working Groups (Pages 119 - 124)

7. Finance, Procurement and Performance

- (a) Update on Contracts (Pages 125 - 130)

8. Equality and Good Relations

- (a) Gender Identity and Expression - Guidance and Information for Managers and Staff (Pages 131 - 162)

9. Operational Issues

- (a) Minutes of Meeting of Party Group Leaders' Consultative Forum (Pages 163 - 166)

10. Issues Raised in Advance by Members

- (a) Bloody Friday - 50th Anniversary Commemoration

Councillor Pankhurst to propose:

“This Council remembers with great sadness the horror of the events of 21st July 1972, which became known as ‘Bloody Friday’, when the Provisional IRA exploded over 20 bombs across this City within a period of 80 minutes, resulting in the deaths of 9 people and physical injuries to over 130 others. The Council commits to providing its citizens with the opportunity to engage in a programme of commemoration but also education, designed to build positive relationships for the future.

On this 50th anniversary year, the Council will reach out to survivors and family members of those killed or injured on ‘Bloody Friday’ through organisations such as the South East Fermanagh Foundation which have supported them, to organise acts of solemn remembrance for all victims and survivors of this atrocity, and to organise other suitable events which will capture our rejection of terrorism in this City, both during ‘The Troubles’ and in the future.”