



## Summons to Attend

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To: The Mayor and Councillors of Haringey Council.

Dear Sir/Madam,

A meeting of the Council of the London Borough of Haringey will be held at the The Civic Centre, High Road, Wood Green, London N22 8LE on MONDAY, 19TH OCTOBER, 2009 at 19:30 HRS, to transact the following business:

### **AGENDA**

- 1. TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
- 2. TO ASK THE MAYOR TO CONSIDER THE ADMISSION OF ANY LATE ITEMS OF BUSINESS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 100B OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**
- 3. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

A member with a personal interest in a matter who attends a meeting of the authority at which the matter is considered must disclose to that meeting the existence and nature

of that interest at the commencement of that consideration, or when the interest becomes apparent.

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4. **TO APPROVE AS A CORRECT RECORD THE MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COUNCIL HELD ON 20 JULY 2009 (PAGES 1 - 14)**
5. **TO RECEIVE SUCH COMMUNICATIONS AS THE MAYOR MAY LAY BEFORE THE COUNCIL**
6. **TO RECEIVE THE REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE**
7. **TO RECEIVE THE REPORT OF THE MONITORING OFFICER AND HEAD OF LEGAL SERVICES**
8. **TO MAKE APPOINTMENTS TO OUTSIDE BODIES**
9. **TO CONSIDER REQUESTS TO RECEIVE DEPUTATIONS AND/OR PETITIONS AND, IF APPROVED, TO RECEIVE THEM**
10. **TO CONSIDER OPPOSITION BUSINESS SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE NO.12**
11. **TO ANSWER QUESTIONS, IF ANY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE NOS. 9 & 10**

**Public Question to the Cabinet Member for Leisure, Culture and Lifelong Learning from Sarah Cope:**

I would like to know how well the council is doing on acting on the recommendations made by the London Assembly's Environment Committee in their May 2007 review of London's street trees entitled 'Chainsaw Massacre'.

**Oral Question 1 - To the Cabinet Member for Children and Young People from Councillor Dobbie:**

Would the Cabinet Member agree with me that our residents can no longer, even if they did in the first place, trust Haringey Labour to secure the safety of vulnerable children within the Borough after failing to do proper CRB checks and allowing a foster child to have regular contact with a terrorist?

**Oral Question 2 – To the Leader of the Council from Councillor Gorrie:**

Why did the same Labour Group that now supports a Council Tax Freeze vote only eight months ago against the Liberal Democrat proposal to freeze Council Tax in the current year?

**Oral Question 3 - To the Cabinet Member for Children and Young People from Councillor Bull:**

Can the Cabinet member for Children and Young People please summarise the outcomes of the Summer Uni in Haringey this year?

**Oral Question 4 - To the Cabinet Member for Environment and Conservation from Councillor Alexander:**

Has the Council any plans to lobby Transport for London for funding to install a new pedestrian crossing at the dangerous junction at Green Lanes, Alfoxton Avenue and Frobisher Road?

**Oral Question 5 –To the Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Wellbeing from Councillor Catherine Harris:**

Can the Cabinet Member for Adult Social Care and Wellbeing please outline what work is being done to encourage older people to volunteer?

**Oral Question 6 – To the Leader of the Council from Councillor Wilson:**

Do you believe it is acceptable that the Haringey councillor representative on the Board of Finsbury Park regeneration agency Fin Future never attends any of the meetings?

**Oral Question 7 - To the Cabinet Member for Housing Services from Councillor Adje:**

Can the Cabinet Member for Housing outline what the situation in Haringey is with regards to gas safety certificates for Council tenants?

**Oral Question 8 - To the Cabinet Member for Environment and Conservation from Councillor Oakes:**

The prospect of future work needed to make the Bounds Green tube station crossing safer is still uncertain, particularly the enforcement for the no left turn, and pedestrian safety at that crossing continues to be a grave local concern. Could the cabinet member please, as a matter of urgency, inform local residents of the current plans for this crucial junction? What response has the Council received from Transport for London and other agencies regarding funding and changes to this junction and when will work start to make this safer for local residents?

**Oral Question 9 - To the Cabinet Member for Leisure, Culture and Lifelong Learning from Councillor Mallett:**

Can the Cabinet Member for Leisure, Culture and Life Long Learning let us know how Haringey performed at the annual London in Bloom Awards?

**12. TO RECEIVE REPORTS FROM THE FOLLOWING BODIES (PAGES 15 - 56)**

a) Cabinet – Reports 4 & 5 – 2009/10

**13. TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING MOTIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH COUNCIL RULES OF PROCEDURE NO. 13**

Motion B (2009/10)

Councillor Newton has given notice that he will move in the following terms:

“This Council believes in affordable public transport and in the need to ensure that passengers who use “Pay As You Go” Oyster cards have a fair deal.

This Council notes:

- that in other European capital cities bus passengers have the benefit of a time-limited bus ticket which enables them to use two or three buses within a set time without having to pay again.
- that almost a million car journeys every day in London are less than one mile in length and supports effective ways of encouraging a shift to public transport.
- that the average bus journey length is 3.54km (2.2 miles, 9 stops), and that TfL estimate that 16% of bus journeys on Oyster ‘Pay As You Go’ involve using a second bus within 60 minutes of the first and that Haringey has several interchanges where many people transfer buses to continue their journeys.

This Council is concerned, at this time of economic recession, that even short journeys in London may involve using two or three buses and can cost up to £3.00 if more than one bus is needed.

This Council supports the proposal for a One Hour Bus Ticket to be available on “Pay As You Go” Oyster card, enabling passengers to use more than one bus during a 60-minute period without paying more than £1.00.

Therefore the Council calls on the Leader of the Council and the Cabinet member for Environment and Conservation to write to the Mayor of London supporting the One Hour Bus Ticket proposal, and calls on the Mayor of London to instruct Transport for London to implement it as soon as possible”.

Motion C (2009/10)

Councillor Jones has given notice that she will move in the following terms:

## Reducing our CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions

“This Council:

### Notes

- Climate change is one of the most important issues facing our way of life and will have a huge impact on our children and future generations.
- The Council’s hard work to ensure that Muswell Hill was selected as one of the 10 Low Carbon Zones in London
- The Council has already signed up to the 10:10 campaign, and is currently on target to exceed 10% reductions in CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by 2010.
- That Haringey Council is the first major local authority to sign up to the Friends of the Earth ‘Get Serious about CO<sub>2</sub>’ campaign that calls for Councils to commit to carbon emission cuts of at least 40% by 2020 and produce an action plan detailing how this target will be achieved.

### Believes

- There is much that Councils can and should do to tackle climate change, and that this is an important issue that Haringey should lead on.
- Through taking tough action on CO<sub>2</sub> emissions that it will provide help for local households to slash their household fuel bills, helping residents save money particularly those living in fuel poverty as well as being environmentally friendly.
- That signing up to the Friends of the Earth ‘Get Serious about CO<sub>2</sub>’ will create green jobs and form part of the Council’s regeneration agenda.

### Resolves to

- Develop an action plan with yearly targets to reduce CO<sub>2</sub> emissions by 40% by 2020 to become a leading member of the ‘Get Serious about CO<sub>2</sub>’ Friends of the Earth campaign”.

## Motion D (2009/10)

Councillor Bull has given notice that he will move in the following terms:

### Bringing Football Home to Haringey:

“This Council:

### Notes

- The excellent work that is being done by The Football Association, the England 2018 Board and the Government to bring the FIFA World Cup to England in 2018.
- The bid from London to be one of England’s host cities for the tournament.

- The 150m Euro profit Germany made from hosting the World Cup, the 85,000 jobs it created, and the huge economic and employment potential that the World Cup would create for the host nation.
- That Tottenham Hotspur FC were the first club in the 20th century to achieve the League and FA Cup Double, winning both competitions in the 1960-61 season, were the first British club to win a major European trophy - the European Cup Winners' Cup and that Tottenham have won a trophy in each of the last six decades.

#### Believes

- Haringey is the home of football and the World Cup would be an excellent opportunity for the residents of the borough to see football's largest and most prestigious tournament up close.
- Tottenham Hotspurs' bid to be one of the hosts of World Cup matches would present an excellent opportunity to showcase Haringey on an international stage, as well as providing further regeneration opportunities and boosting local businesses.
- Hosting this event in London would provide a huge boost to grassroots football in the borough, as well as inspiring the borough as a whole and a young generation of budding talent.
- That hosting this international event would provide an fantastic opportunity to celebrate Haringey's diverse and multicultural community.
- Haringey would be an excellent place to host the World Cup, particularly given it is not an Olympic Borough, and will not receive the same Olympic dividend as those boroughs

#### Resolves to

- Support the bid to bring the Games to London and Tottenham.
- Work with partners to help bring the Games home to Haringey
- Instruct the leader to write to Lord Triesman of the FA and the Sports Minister Gerry Sutcliffe, to notify them of our decision to back the 2018 bid
- To begin to work with Tottenham Hotspur FC to identify a legacy that the World Cup will leave behind for Haringey”.

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