

To all Members

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Date: 12th July 2016

Dear Councillor

You are summoned to a meeting of Kettering Borough Council to be held in the Council Chamber on Wednesday, 20th July 2016 at 7.00 pm.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Cook". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "D".

D Cook
Chief Executive

AGENDA

1. Apologies.
2. Minutes of the meeting of the Council held on 20th April 2016, Annual Council held on 18th May 2016 and the Special Meeting of Council held on 29th June 2016 to be approved as a correct record and signed by the Mayor
3. Declarations of Interest:-
 - Disclosable Pecuniary Interests
 - Personal Interests
4. To receive any announcements from the Mayor and/or the Leader of the Council.

5. Report of the Chief Executive
6. The Mayor to ask members of the public present if they want to speak on any item on the agenda.

Reports:

7. Consideration of Future Council Start Times (**attached**)
8. To consider motions received in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 16 as follows:-

- (i) To be proposed by Councillor Mick Scrimshaw and seconded by Councillor Russell Roberts

“We are proud to live in a diverse and tolerant society. Racism, xenophobia and hate crimes have no place in our country or in our Borough and as such Kettering Borough Council condemns racism and hate crimes and will continue to work to ensure local bodies and programmes have the support needed to fight and prevent racism and xenophobia. We reassure all people living in the Borough of Kettering that they are valued members of our community, and endorse the work already being carried out by the Council locally and with its partners county wide to address hate crime.”

- (ii) To be proposed by Councillor Maggie Don and seconded by Councillor Clark Mitchell

“This council commits to take every opportunity to urge the government to consider some sort of private sector rent controls, to help with the increasing pressure on local authorities due to scandalously high and unreasonable rents.”

9. To receive questions from members.
10. Any matters of urgency that the Mayor decides should be considered.

12.07.16

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