

To ALL MEMBERS OF THE TOWN COUNCIL

You are hereby summoned to attend a Meeting of **Rye Town Council** to be held on **Monday 14 February 2011 at 6.30pm at The Town Hall, Rye**, when it is proposed to transact the following business:

87 PRAYERS

To be given by the Mayor's Chaplain, Captain Paul Tyler.

88 APOLOGIES

To accept any apologies for absence.

89 DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

To receive any disclosures of interest by Members of personal interests in matters on the agenda, the nature of any interest and whether the Member regards the interest as prejudicial under the terms of the Council's Code of Conduct.

90 MAYORAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The meeting to adjourn for up to 45 minutes for:

- (a) The Report of the County Councillor for Rye
- (b) The Reports of the Rye Rother District Councillors
- (c) Public Question Time

91 COUNCIL MINUTES

To approve and to authorise the Chairman to sign the Minutes of the meeting held on 20 December 2010 (C8).

92 COMMITTEE MINUTES

To receive the Minutes of the Council's committees and consider for adoption any *Recommendations*:

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| (a) Planning & Townscape | (i) | 20 December 2010 (PT16) |
| | (ii) | 4 January 2011 (PT17) |
| | (iii) | 17 January 2011 (PT18) |
| | (iv) | 31 January 2011 (PT19) |
| (b) Policy, Resources & GP | | 31 January 2011 (PR04) |
| (c) Public Services | | 13 December 2010 (PS03) |

93 BUDGET 2011-12

To consider approving the Draft Town Hall and Heritage Centre Budgets 2011-12 – Recommended for adoption by the PRGP Committee – and to agree the precept for 2011-12.

PRGP Committee

94 ALLOTMENTS**(a) Leasehold offer**

To consider an invitation from Rother District Council that RTC re-considers its offer of a lease in respect of Rye's two allotment sites.

Clerk

(b) Advice to Cabinet

To note that a briefing note prepared by the Interim Solicitor for the RDC Cabinet meeting held on 6 June 2008 states [in relation to the transfer of Rye's allotments in 1976]:

We will probably never get to the bottom of why things turned out the way they did at this juncture, but in my view the most

likely interpretation is that those involved in 1974 were fully familiar with the 1972 Act and that the reason the land was transferred to the District Council was because it was even then seen as potentially developable land rather than as statutory allotments.

- and to consider challenging this interpretation. **Cllr Smith**

95 DRAFT PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE OF MEETINGS 2011-12

To consider adopting a draft provisional timetable – noting:

- (a) The Clerk's request that Committee Formation be moved from Tuesday 17 May to Monday 23 May in order to allow him greater preparation time (noting that Mayor Making is on 16 May).
- (b) That the new Council will be invited to adopt the timetable at Committee Formation.

96 PLANNING & TOWNSCAPE COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

To consider Cllr Souster's offer to join the committee for the remainder of the civic year. **Clerk**

97 REGALIA LOAN REQUEST

To consider a request by Kevin Barry on behalf of the Boathouse Arts Project for the loan of 1-2 tricorns for use in the production of a performance involving young adults in supported education/learning. **Clerk**

98 URGENT ITEMS

To consider questions, if any, of which notice has been given under SO 23.

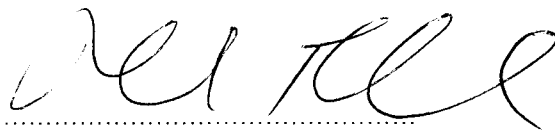
ROBES WILL BE WORN

Supporting/Associated documents distributed previously

91 Council Minutes **92(a)(i-iii)** P&T Committee Minutes
92(c) Public Services Committee Minutes

Supporting/Associated documents distributed with this agenda

92(a)(iv) P&T Committee Minutes **92(b)** PRGP Committee Minutes
93 TH and HC Recommended Budgets **94(a)** Email from David Edwards,
28.1.11 **95** Draft Provisional Meetings Timetable 2011-12
97 Email from Kevin Barry, 1.2.11



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