



# Uttlesford District Council

Chief Executive: Dawn French

## Extraordinary Council Meeting (1)

To all Members of Uttlesford District Council, you are hereby summoned to attend the meeting of the District Council to be held as shown below. This Extraordinary Meeting has been requisitioned by the following Members to deal with the business set out in the agenda:

A Gerard  
P Fairhurst  
J Lodge  
R Freeman  
M Lemon  
H Asker  
G LeCount  
A Dean  
S Morris  
N Hargreaves  
B Light

**Date:** Friday, 28th June, 2019

**Time:** 4.00 pm

**Venue:** Council Chamber - Council Offices, London Road, Saffron Walden,  
CB11 4ER

Kind regards

Dawn French  
Chief Executive

**Chair:** Councillor R Freeman

**Members:** Councillors A Armstrong, H Asker, G Bagnall, S Barker, M Caton, A Coote, C Criscione, C Day, A Dean, G Driscoll, D Eke, J Evans, P Fairhurst, M Foley, R Freeman, A Gerard, N Gregory, N Hargreaves, V Isham, R Jones, A Khan, P Lavelle, G LeCount, P Lees, M Lemon, B Light, J Lodge, J Loughlin, S Luck, S Merifield, E Oliver, R Pavitt, L Pepper, N Reeve, G Sell, A Storah, M Sutton, M Tayler and J De Vries

## **Public Speaking**

At the start of the meeting there will be an opportunity of up to 15 minutes for members of the public to ask questions and make statements subject to having given notice by 12 noon two working days before the meeting.

## **AGENDA PART 1**

### **Open to Public and Press**

#### **1 Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest**

To receive any apologies and declarations of interest.

#### **2a Petition: Refer Stansted Airport Planning Application back to Uttlesford Planning Committee**

To receive the petition 'Refer Stansted Airport Planning Application back to Uttlesford Planning Committee'.

At the time of publication, the petition had 1,289 signatories. The petition can be viewed here: <http://chnq.it/QGYQV46xvr>

Petition statement:

"The 2018 Stansted Airport Planning Application for 43mppa must now be referred back to the UDC Planning Committee for further consideration having regard to outstanding concerns as to the adequacy of the proposed Section 106 Agreement and to the new material considerations and changes in circumstances that have arisen since provisional approval was granted in November 2018."

#### **2b Requisition for Extraordinary Council Meeting - Decision Notice for Planning Application UTT/18/0460/FUL**

To consider the following motion included in the requisition calling for this Extraordinary Council Meeting:

"To instruct the Chief Executive and fellow officers not to issue the Planning Decision Notice for planning application UTT/18/0460/FUL until members have had an opportunity to review and obtain independent legal corroboration that the legal advice provided to officers, including the QC opinion referred to by the Leader of the Council on 9th April 2019, confirms that the proposed Section 106 Agreement with Stansted Airport Limited

fully complies with the Resolution approved by the Planning Committee on 14 November 2018 such that officers re lawfully empowered to conclude and seal the Agreement without further reference to the Planning Committee.”

A briefing report from Officers is to follow and a supplementary pack will be published as soon as the report is available.

**If members wish to discuss the legal position and legal advice received, or if they wish to seek further legal advice from Council officers, they are recommended to resolve to exclude the press and public from the meeting while this takes place pursuant to paragraph 5 of Schedule 12A, Local Government Act, 1972: Consideration of legal advice in public would involve the disclosure of Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.**

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