



Uttlesford District Council

Chief Executive: Dawn French

Extraordinary Council Remote Meeting

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 to deal with the business set out in the agenda.

Date: Thursday, 7th January, 2021

Time: 6.00 pm

Venue: Zoom - <https://zoom.us/>

Chair: Councillor M Foley

Members: Councillors A Armstrong, H Asker, G Bagnall, S Barker, M Caton, A Coote (Vice-Chair), C Criscione, C Day, A Dean, G Driscoll, D Eke, J Evans, P Fairhurst, R Freeman, 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, M Sutton, M Tayler and J De Vries

Kind regards

Dawn French
Chief Executive

Public Speaking

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Please note: the broadcast will not be available during Part 2 (Exclusion of Public and Press).

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. Please register your intention to speak at this meeting by writing to committee@uttlesford.gov.uk

Technical guidance will be provided on the practicalities of speaking to a virtual meeting at the point of confirming your registration. Further information relating to public participation can be found in this document.

AGENDA

PART 1

Open to Public and Press

1 Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest

To receive any apologies and declarations of interest.

2 Exclusion of public and press

Consideration of reports containing exempt information within the meaning of section 1001 and paragraphs 3 and 5 part 1 Schedule 12A Local Government Act 1972.

PART 2

Exclusion of Public and Press

3 Investment Opportunity 12

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To consider the endorsement of the Investment Opportunity and to authorise the necessary borrowing as set out in the report.

4 Member Motion: Stansted Airport Appeal

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To consider the Member Motion – Stansted Airport Appeal as proposed by Councillor Khan and seconded by Councillor Isham, as follows:

On the eve of the largest Defence of a Planning Appeal relating to Stansted Airport that this Council has faced in more than a decade, Council calls for a full debate in which all members of the Executive explain the current status and process that has been followed since January, 2020 by the Council's Defence Team.

The objectives of such explanation would be to satisfy the Council of the soundness, objectivity and objectives of the process to date and henceforth intended.

Furthermore, Council resolves to set up as soon as possible a Member-led initiative to engage with the Planning Advisory Service (PAS) or similar body to audit and scrutinise the process applied since 2018.

REMOTE MEETINGS AND THE PUBLIC

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If you wish to make a statement via Zoom video link, you will need to register with Democratic Services by midday two working days before the meeting. There is a 15 minute public speaking limit and 3 minute speaking slots will be given on a first come, first served basis. Those wishing to make a statement via video link will require an internet connection and a device with a microphone and video camera enabled. Those wishing to make a statement to the meeting who do not have internet access can do so via telephone. Technical guidance on the practicalities of participating via Zoom will be given at the point of confirming your registration slot, but if you have any questions regarding the best way to participate in this meeting please call Democratic Services on 01799 510548/410/369/467 who will advise on the options available.

The agenda is split into two parts. Most of the business is dealt with in Part I which is open to the public. Part II includes items which may be discussed in the absence of the press or public, as they deal with information which is personal or sensitive for some other reason. The broadcast will be unable when Part II items are discussed.

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