

Meeting of the Council

Wednesday, 3 February 2016

Questions Under Standing Order A13

Question (1) by Councillor Doggett to the Executive Lead for Community Services (Councillor Excell)	Can you please advise how many roads in Torbay are there parking restrictions that are unenforceable due to poor maintenance or damage? What plans are there to bring these parking restrictions up to standard?
Question (2) by Councillor Darling (M) to the Executive Lead for Planning, Transport and Housing (Councillor King)	Can you please advise the Council of what evidence was taken from traders in Torre as to whether they were for or against the reversal of traffic in Higher Union Street?
Question (3) by Councillor Darling (S) to the Executive Lead for Business (Councillor Haddock)	It would appear that Torbay Council is determined to close down the connections office in Torquay. What investigations have been made on providing a shop front for "face to face" contact with the public, in Torquay Town centre?
Question (4) by Councillor Darling (M) to the Executive Lead for Planning, Transport and Housing (Councillor King)	At the Transport Working Party held on 17 December 2015. Councillors requested Officers to raise with Stagecoach their concerns about changing the Newton Abbot bound route of the number 12 Bus away from Castle Circus. Can you please advise what representations have been made and if any response from Stagecoach has been received?
Question (5) by Councillor Darling (S) to the Executive Lead for Planning, Transport and Housing (Councillor King)	Torbay should have introduced 'real time' information for bus services approximately 12 months ago. When is this set to go Live?
Question (6) by Councillor Darling (M) to the Executive Lead for Planning,	I understand that Exeter City Council, in recent years, have confiscated dozens of tents from those who have camped on Council land. Last summer residents raised concerns about people camping in Upton Park resulting in anti social behaviour. Did Torbay Council choose not to use these powers due to the previous cuts to the supporting people service and inability to offer alternative

Transport and Housing (Councillor King)	to sleeping rough in Torbay?
Question (7) by Councillor Sanders to the Mayor and Executive Lead for Finance and Regeneration (Mayor Oliver)	Will the Mayor publish the representations made to the Department for Communities and Local Government making the case for increased support grant ahead of the most recent settlement?
Question (8) by Councillor Sanders to the Mayor and Executive Lead for Finance and Regeneration (Mayor Oliver)	Will the Mayor publish the correspondence between his office and other seaside resort local authorities seeking collaboration in making the case for increased support grant ahead of the most recent settlement?
Question (9) by Councillor Sanders to the Mayor and Executive Lead for Finance and Regeneration (Mayor Oliver)	Will the Mayor publish the dates and agendas of meetings held with neighbouring local authorities where the provision of services was on the agenda?
Question (10) by Councillor Sanders to the Executive Lead for Health and Wellbeing and Corporate Services (Councillor Mills)	Will the Executive Lead for Health and Wellbeing and Corporate Services be responding to the Government's consultation paper on closing the gender pay gap and how it could impact on Torbay Council staffing costs?
Question (11) by Councillor Sanders to Executive Lead for Adults and Children (Councillor Parrott)	Will the Executive Lead for Adults and Children be responding to the Government's consultation paper on identifying children missing education?
Question (12) by Councillor Sanders to the Executive Lead for Planning,	As a statutory stakeholder what issues will the Executive Lead for Planning, Transport and Housing raise when responding to the South Western Franchise Stakeholder consultation document?

Transport and Housing (Councillor King)	
Question (13) by Councillor Sanders to the Executive Lead for Health and Wellbeing and Corporate Services (Councillor Mills)	What actions will be taken within the Council following the Mayoral resolution reported in a Torbay Council press release 17th December 2015 supporting sugar reduction?