

Full Council – 20 February 2019

Councillor questions:

1. From Councillor Mrs Jeffrey to Councillor Peall, Cabinet Member for the Environment

Can you provide an update on how this administration is improving the appearance of the district through the use of targeted resources?

2. From Councillor Goddard to Councillor Godfrey, Cabinet Member for Special Projects

Has the introduction of Area Officers been successful in reducing the amount of graffiti, litter and dog mess which cause numerous complaints from our residents?

3. From Councillor Mrs Berry to Councillor Monk, Leader of the Council

Jake Berry, Parliamentary Under secretary for Housing, Communities and Local Government, is promoting the Governments efforts to boost the Nations High Streets.

He highlights the £675 million future high street fund to co-fund innovative proposals around Transport, Housing and Public Services to, improve infrastructure and access to high streets and make the Towns fit for the future.

Can the Leader say if the Folkestone and Hythe District Council has applied for some of the said funding, bearing in mind the possible loss of Debenhams and have we already started to plan ahead to make the Towns High Streets a more interesting place to visit.

4. From Councillor Wilkins to Councillor Monk, Leader of the Council

Can the Leader confirm that the expense of changing the name of the District Council last April was kept within £10,000 as promised.

5. From Councillor Gane to Councillor Ewart-James, Cabinet Member for Housing

Can the cabinet member please tell me what actions have been taken regarding derelict buildings and bringing them back into acton?

6. From Councillor Mrs Lawes to Councillor Love, Cabinet member for Customer and Digital Delivery

Why when you report a problem on FHDC website, do you no longer receive a report/Job number? How can the problem be chased or tracked without any reference? It states that the reporters contact details are optional. However if you do not leave details there is no record of the report ever being received.

7. From Councillor Mrs Lawes to Councillor Ann Berry, Cabinet Member for Transport

Following on from your consultation in January on CPZ extended for zones F + G. Is it not the case that this survey was weighted in favour of approval as in some cases only 3 people replied given 100%, with most streets parking fine during the day but terrible in the evening?