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Sir/Madam

I HEREBY SUMMON YOU to attend the Full Council Meeting of the Godalming Town Council to be held in the Council Chamber, Municipal Buildings, Bridge Street, Godalming on THURSDAY, 20 JANUARY 2011 at 6.30pm.

DATED this 14th day of January 2011.

Louise P Goodfellow Clerk to the Town Council

The Meeting will be preceded by Prayer; the Reverend Canon Mervyn Roberts of St Peter & St Paul Parish Church to officiate.

AGENDA

- 1. THE TOWN MAYOR to sign as a correct record the Minutes of the Meeting of the Council held on the 18 November 2010.
- 2. TO RECEIVE apologies for absence.
- 3. THE TOWN MAYOR to allow members of the public to ask the Council questions, or make a statement or present a petition. This forum to be conducted in accordance with Standing Order 80.
- 4. DISCLOSURE OF PERSONAL AND PREJUDICIAL INTERESTS

TO RECEIVE from Members, in relation to any items included on the agenda for this meeting, disclosure of any interests which are required to be disclosed by the Local Authorities (Model Code of Conduct) Order 2007 No.1159.

Members are requested to disclose, in accordance with the Code of Conduct, both the existence and nature of any "Personal" or "Prejudicial" interests that they may have in relation to matters for consideration on this agenda.

Personal Interests

- (1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) to (5) below, where a Member has a personal interest in any business of the Town Council and attends a meeting of the Council at which the business is considered, the Member must disclose to that meeting the existence and nature of that interest at the commencement of that consideration, or when the interest becomes apparent.
- (2) Where the Member has a personal interest in any business of the Town Council which relates to or is likely to affect a person described in paragraph 8(1)(a)(i) or 8(1)(a)(ii)(aa) of the Code of Conduct, the Member needs only disclose to the

Members of the Public have the right to attend all meetings of the Town Council and its Committees and are welcome.

- meeting the existence and nature of that interest when s/he addresses the meeting on that business.
- (3) Where the Member has a personal interest in any business of the Town Council of the type mentioned in paragraph 8(1)(a)(viii) of the Code of Conduct, the Member need not disclose the nature or existence of that interest to the meeting if the interest was registered more than three years before the date of the meeting.
- (4) Sub-paragraph (1) only applies where the Member is aware or ought reasonably to be aware of the existence of the personal interest.
- (5) Where a Member has a personal interest but, by virtue of paragraph 14 of the Code of Conduct, sensitive information relating to it is not registered in the Town Council's register of members' interests, the Member must indicate to the meeting that s/he has a personal interest, but need not disclose the sensitive information to the meeting

Prejudicial Interests

Where a Member has a personal interest in any business of the Town Council that Member also has a prejudicial interest in that business where the interest is one which a member of the public with knowledge of the relevant facts would reasonably regard as so significant that it is likely to prejudice that Member's judgement of the public interest. Where a Member has a prejudicial interest that Member must withdraw from the room or chamber where a meeting considering the business is being held.

- 5. TO RECEIVE official announcements, letters, etc.
- 6. TO RECEIVE Chairmen's reports of the Committees as under:

Planning & Environment Committee

There were no recommendations to Full Council.

Policy & Management Committee

The Policy & Management Committee recommends that this Council agrees the draft schedule of meetings for the Civic Year 2011/12 (schedule attached for the information of Members).

The Policy & Management Committee recommends that this Council adopt the draft 2011/12 Budget (detailed budget papers attached for the information of Members) and further recommends that this Council set a precept of £442,027 for the financial year 2011/12.

Mayoralty Committee

The Mayoralty Committee has two recommendations to Full Council but these are to be considered in confidential session.

7. TO RECEIVE the minutes of the undermentioned Committees:

Meetings Dated

Planning & Environment Committee

25 November 2010 16 December 2010 6 January 2011 Mayoralty Committee

2 December 2010

8. TO AUTHORISE the Clerk to sign or, where appropriate to have sealed on behalf of the Town Council any orders, deeds, or documents necessary to give effect to any of the matters contained in the Reports received at this meeting or in any Resolution passed by the Council.

9. <u>BUILDINGS OF LOCAL MERIT</u>

Members to receive a short presentation from Mr Sean Rix, Heritage & Design Officer at Waverley Borough Council.

10. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The date of the next Full Council meeting is scheduled to be held on Thursday, 28 April 2011 at 6.30 pm in the Council Chamber.

11. <u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u>

Brought forward by permission of the Chairman. Requests to be submitted prior to commencement of the meeting.

THE COUNCIL MAY WISH TO EXCLUDE THE PUBLIC AND PRESS FROM THE MEETING AT THIS POINT PRIOR TO CONSIDERATION OF THE FOLLOWING ITEM BY REASON OF THE CONFIDENTIAL NATURE OF THE BUSINESS TO BE TRANSACTED IE. STAFFING MATTERS.

12. REPORT OF THE MAYORALTY COMMITTEE

Members TO RECEIVE a confidential oral report from the Chairman of the Mayoralty Committee.