Merton Council

Joint Consultative Committee with Ethnic Minority Organisations Agenda

Councillors:

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Ethnic Minority Organisations

African Educational Cultural & Health Organisation (AECHO)

Deputy

Ahmadiyya Muslim Association

Asian Diabetic Support & Awareness Group

Asian Elderly Group of Merton Asian Youth Association

Bangladeshi Association of Merton

Deputy

Bengali Association of Merton

Deputy

Bengali Women's Association of Merton British Muslim Association of Merton

Ethnic Minority Centre Euro Bangla Federation

Deputy

London South West Chinese Community Association

Merton African Organisation Merton Somali Community Merton Unity Network

Mitcham Filipino British Association

Deputy

Morden Citizen's Advice Bureau

Pakistan Cultural Association of Merton & Wandsworth

Pakistan Welfare Association

Deputy

Positive Network

South London Somali Community Association

South London Tamil Welfare Group Victim Support Merton and Sutton

Wimbledon Mosque

Date: Wednesday 21 September 2016

Time: 7.15 pm

Venue: Council chamber - Merton Civic Centre, London Road, Morden SM4

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This is a public meeting and attendance by the public is encouraged and welcomed. For more information about the agenda please contact <u>diversity@merton.gov.uk</u> or telephone <u>020 8545 4637</u>. All Press contacts: <u>press@merton.gov.uk</u>, 020 8545 3181

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Dr P Arumugaraasah Mr A Morgan-Thorne Mr Z KhanAdam Bush

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2	Apologies for absence	
3	Minutes of the previous meeting	1 - 6
4	Matters arising	
5	Public Health update - Dr Dagmar Zuener, Director of Public Health, LBM	7 - 12
6	Community Drug & Recovery Service (CDARS) - Abayeh Savage, Information and Advice Officer, CDARS	13 - 22
7	Refresh of the Equality Strategy - Evereth Willis, Equality and Community Cohesion Officer, LBM	23 - 24
8	Safer Neighbourhood Board update - Abayeh Savage	25 - 26
9	Any other business	

Note on declarations of interest

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