

# Merton Council

## Council Meeting

### Membership

**The Mayor:** Councillor Brenda Fraser

**The Deputy Mayor:** Councillor Stan Anderson

**Councillors:** Agatha Mary Akyigyina, Stephen Alambritis, Mark Allison, Laxmi Attawar, Hamish Badenoch, John Bowcott, Mike Brunt, Michael Bull, Adam Bush, Tobin Byers, Charlie Chirico, David Chung, Caroline Cooper-Marbiah, Pauline Cowper, Stephen Crowe, Mary Curtin, David Dean, John Dehaney, Nick Draper, Edward Foley, Fidelis Gadzama, Ross Garrod, Suzanne Grocott, Jeff Hanna, Joan Henry, Daniel Holden, James Holmes, Janice Howard, Mary-Jane Jeanes, Abigail Jones, Philip Jones, Andrew Judge, Sally Kenny, Linda Kirby, Abdul Latif, Najeeb Latif, Brian Lewis-Lavender, Gilli Lewis-Lavender, Edith Macauley MBE, Russell Makin, Peter McCabe, Oonagh Moulton, Ian Munn BSc, MRTPI(Rtd), Katy Neep, Jerome Neil, Dennis Pearce, John Sargeant, Judy Saunders, David Simpson CBE, Marsie Skeete, Peter Southgate, Geraldine Stanford, Linda Taylor OBE, Imran Uddin, Gregory Patrick Udeh, Jill West, Martin Whelton and David Williams

**Date:** Wednesday 13 July 2016

**Time:** 7.15 pm

**Venue:** Council chamber - Merton Civic Centre, London Road,  
Morden SM4 5DX

This is a public meeting and attendance by the public is encouraged and welcomed. For more information about the agenda please contact [democratic.services@merton.gov.uk](mailto:democratic.services@merton.gov.uk) or telephone [020 8545 3361](tel:02085453361).

All Press contacts: [press@merton.gov.uk](mailto:press@merton.gov.uk), 020 8545 3181

# Council Meeting

## 13 July 2016

1	Apologies for absence	
2	Declarations of Pecuniary Interest	
3	Minutes of the previous meeting	1 - 14
4	Announcements by the Mayor, Leader of the Council and Chief Executive	
5	Public questions to Cabinet Members The questions and written responses will be circulated at the meeting.	
6	Councillors' ordinary priority questions to cabinet members The questions and written responses will be circulated at the meeting	15 - 26
7a	Strategic Theme: Councillors' questions to Cabinet Members The questions and written responses will be circulated at the meeting.	27 - 36
7b	Strategic theme: Main report	37 - 44
7c	Strategic theme: motions	
8	Report from Raynes Park Community Forum	45 - 48
9	Report from Wimbledon Community Forum	49 - 52
10	Notice of motion - Cross Party 1	53 - 54
11	Notice of motion - Cross Party 2	55 - 56
12	Notice of motion - Conservative 1	57 - 58
13	Notice of motion - Conservative 2	59 - 60
14	Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report 2015-16	61 - 80
15	Court of Appeal amendment to small sites affordable housing exemption	81 - 86
16	Changes to membership of committees and related matters	87 - 98
17	Petitions	99 - 100
18	Business for the next ordinary meeting of the Council	

**Note on declarations of interest**

Members are advised to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interest in any matter to be considered at the meeting. If a pecuniary interest is declared they should withdraw from the meeting room during the whole of the consideration of that matter and must not participate in any vote on that matter. If members consider they should not participate because of a non-pecuniary interest which may give rise to a perception of bias, they should declare this, withdraw and not participate in consideration of the item. For further advice please speak with the Assistant Director of Corporate Governance.