

## **HERTSMERE BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**Full Council on 10 July 2019**

### **Agenda item 19: Questions from Members of the Council**

18 Questions have been received from Members of the Council in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 11:

#### **Councillor Question CQ2019-33 to the Leisure, Culture & Health Portfolioholder**

**From: Councillor Newmark**

“Will she support my call for current and former Armed Forces personnel and their families to be granted free access to all sports and leisure facilities owned by and/or operated on behalf of the Council across the Borough?”

#### **Councillor Question CQ2019-34 to the Leader**

**From: Councillor Newmark**

“What is his assessment of the progress of Hertsmere Developments Limited against its business plan as presented to Council last year?”

#### **Councillor Question CQ2019-35 to the Housing Portfolioholder**

**From: Councillor Newmark**

“What is her assessment of the current provision of hostel type accommodation in (i) Borehamwood (ii) Bushey (iii) Potters Bar and (iv) Radlett and what plans, if any, does she think the Council needs to make to increase such provision?”

#### **Councillor Question CQ2019-36 to the Environment Portfolioholder**

**From: Councillor RZ Butler**

“What can be done to promote biodiversity within council owned land?”

#### **Councillor Question CQ2019-37 to the Leader**

**From: Councillor RZ Butler**

“Does the leader feel Hertsmere has successfully supported local town (Borehamwood and Potter Bar) events this year following the motion that was passed to support these events?”

#### **Councillor Question CQ2019-38 to the Environment Portfolioholder**

**From: Councillor RZ Butler**

“What benefit did residents receive from the £335.52 payment to the met office for weather data on the 18/04/19?”

#### **Councillor Question CQ2019-39 to the Leader**

**From: Councillor Quilty**

“Does Leader agree with me that this administration’s approach to the traveling community, in particular those that stop on unauthorised sites, has been successful.”

#### **Councillor Question CQ2019-40 to the Environment Portfolioholder**

**From: Councillor S Hodgson-Jones**

“Can the portfolio holder for environmental matters advise on the benefit of trees in our borough?”

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**Councillor Question CQ2019-41 to Leader****From: Councillor Choudhury**

Why were senior Hertsmere Labour Party Officers, who were not elected members of Hertsmere Borough Council, allowed to be part of a Councillors only tour of Elstree Studios on Wednesday 26 June?

**Councillor Question CQ2019-42 to Community Safety Portfolioholder****From: Councillor Myers**

In view of the rise in knife crime locally, can the Portfolio Holder please advise the council of his assessment of the current safety provisions including the CCTV strategy throughout the Borough but with specific details and concerns about Furzefield, my own ward?

**Councillor Question CQ2019-43 to Finance and Property Portfolioholder****From: Councillor Vince**

When will members have sight of the shared audit service report relating to council owned subsidiaries including Elstree Studios,?

**Councillor Question CQ2019-44 to Planning Portfolioholder****From: Councillor Vince**

When will the Pylon Report relating to living under pylons be available as was requested at the planning committee as a requirement before commencement,?

**Councillor Question CQ2019-45 to Finance and Property Portfolioholder****From: Councillor Vince**

Since the Bowls Club is now surplus to the council's requirements for the Meadow Park improvement scheme will it be first offered back to the Borehamwood Bowls Club who occupied the site happily for over 60 years and were evicted due to Hertsmere insisting they needed it?

**Councillor Question CQ2019-46 to the Leader****From: Councillor Myers**

When will the constitution and Member Development Panel Meet to review the changes to Council Procedure Rules made in 2018?

**Councillor Question CQ2019-47 to the Environment Portfolioholder****From: Councillor R Butler**

Who maintains our advertising boards on roundabouts?

**Councillor Question CQ2019-48 Planning Portfolioholder****From: Councillor R Butler**

How often is park play equipment looked at for maintenance and repair?

**Councillor Question CQ2019-49 Finance and Property Portfolioholder**

**From: Councillor R Butler**

Does the Portfolio Holder believe HDL will be able to begin development work this year?

**Councillor Question CQ2019-509 Finance and Property Portfolioholder**

**From: Councillor Brown**

“Is this Council aware of any issues which may cause delay to the completion of the temporary modular homes in Crown Road?”