

# WYCOMBE DISTRICT COUNCIL

## COUNCIL MEETING

Monday 14 December 2015

### AGENDA ITEM 5

#### Questions from Members of the Public

##### 1. Question from Dr S Rybak to the Leader of the Council

The Cabinet briefing paper on refugees states that discussions are ongoing between Wycombe District Council and the South East Strategic Partnership for Migration, Buckinghamshire County Council and other agencies. The paper also stresses repeatedly the need for consultation and collaboration with the Home Office, the NHS, the Department for Work and Pensions, Thames Valley Police and voluntary and statutory agencies covering education, social care, benefits, counselling and translation.

Please would you tell us what substantive work on preparing a refugee resettlement strategy WDC has carried out with each of these bodies and what progress has been made in the ten weeks since the last Council meeting?

**Verbal reply to be given by Councillor Ms K Wood (Leader of the Council).**