

WYCOMBE DISTRICT COUNCIL

COUNCIL MEETING

Monday 10 October 2016

AGENDA ITEM 5

Questions from Members of the Public

1. Question from Mr J Hoggett to the Leader of the Council

The Town Council model is one that has given many more urban towns a greater say in their own affairs given that the needs of a town and a district-at-large can often be very different. The model gives citizens more devolved powers in order to have a greater say on more specific issues with in their communities. Will the Leader of the Council look in to establishing a High Wycombe Town Council?

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

2. Question from Mr D Chandler to the Cabinet Member for Community

Six years ago, on 30th September, my eight year old daughter Olivia tragically died from an asthma attack. A week ago, on the anniversary of her death, my wife and children visited her grave together at High Wycombe Cemetery. We were very upset to discover that many personal items had been removed from her grave. We know that other families have also had the graves of loved ones vandalised in this way. Can you tell me what security is already in place to keep the cemetery safe and secure and what else could be done to prevent other families experiencing the same distress that we have?

Verbal reply to be given by Councillor Mrs J A Adey (Cabinet Member for Community).

3. Question from Ms N Rana to the Leader of the Council

In August of this year, the House of Commons issued a report identifying Muslim women as the most 'economically disadvantaged' group in the UK. Unemployment, family culture and prejudice were just three of the reasons given for this.

What steps can Wycombe District Council take to promote opportunities for this group of women?

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

4. Question from Ms T Kershaw to the Cabinet Member for Community

The purpose of a PSPO is to deal with a particular nuisance behaviour, would consistent illegal and dangerous parking outside schools included in the proposed area be deemed as 'nuisance behaviour'?

Verbal reply to be given by Councillor Mrs J A Adey (Cabinet Member for Community).

