

Questions Raised on Notice by Members

(a) To Chairmen/Vice-Chairmen of Committees

There were no questions received for Chairmen/Vice-Chairmen of Committees.

(b) To the Executive

To receive answers in respect of questions from Members of the Council to a Member of the Executive asked in accordance with Rule 12 of the Council Procedure Rules.

(1) Councillor S H Hill will ask:

Portfolio Holder for Transport, Licensing and Environmental Services, Councillor J L Pout

"Traffic in Dover greatly affects residents in my ward and Dover more widely at peak times. Therefore, would you expect the planned improvements at Brenly Corner to impact Dover?"

(2) Councillor C A Vinson will ask:

Portfolio Holder for Finance, Governance, Climate Change and Environment, Councillor S H Beer

"What would be the financial cost to Dover District Council of triggering the break clause in the waste collection and street cleansing contract before its current end date in 2029?"

(3) Councillor N S Kenton will ask:

Portfolio Holder for Planning and Built Environment, Councillor E A Biggs

"Why is there no consultation planned with residents and existing service users in relation to the changes to the garden waste collection service agreed at Cabinet in September 2023, when a consultation was specifically required in the previous Cabinet decision made in December 2022?"

(4) Councillor N S Kenton will ask:

Portfolio Holder for Planning and Built Environment, Councillor E A Biggs

"Does the portfolio holder believe replacing the fortnightly collection of up to 6 x 120 litre green waste bags with a single 240 litre wheeled bin, while also putting up the subscription charge, represents a fair exchange?"

(5) Councillor D R Friend will ask:

Portfolio Holder for Housing, Skills and Education, Councillor P M Brivio

“When will the portfolio holder publish detailed plans on how and where she intends to build the promised “200 environmentally sound Council houses per year” promised in Labour’s manifesto?”

(6) Councillor O C de R Richardson will ask:

Portfolio Holder for Community and Corporate Property, Councillor C D Zosseder

“How much revenue does the South Street car park in Deal generate each year, and what the average utilisation of the car park during chargeable hours?”

(7) Councillor O C de R Richardson will ask:

Portfolio Holder for Community and Corporate Property, Councillor C D Zosseder

“What is the current level of vacancies in the DDC asset maintenance team?”

(8) Councillor N S Kenton will ask:

Portfolio Holder for Planning and Built Environment, Councillor E A Biggs

“Will he share with Council the action plan that has been created to address failings in the street cleansing function highlighted in the recent internal audit which had ‘no assurance’.”

(9) Councillor M Bates will ask:

Portfolio Holder for Transport, Licensing and Environmental Services, Councillor J L Pout

“Is the Portfolio Holder for Transport, Licensing and Regulatory Services satisfied that the Quiet Zone implemented along the A20 has resolved the concerns of those residents in Aycliffe at times when TAP is in operation during the early hours?”

(10) Councillor C A Vinson will ask:

Portfolio Holder for Community and Corporate Property, Councillor C D Zosseder

“When will the play equipment removed from Marke Wood in July 2023 be replaced?”