



To: All Members of the Council

Town House,
ABERDEEN, 11 May 2010

COUNCIL MEETING

The Members of the **COUNCIL** are requested to meet in Council Chamber - Town House on **WEDNESDAY, 19 MAY 2010 at 10.30am.**

JANE G. MACEACHRAN
HEAD OF LEGAL AND DEMOCRATIC SERVICES

BUSINESS

- 1 Members are requested to resolve that any exempt business on this agenda be considered with the press and public excluded
- 2 Admission of Burgesses
- 3 Requests for Deputations

MINUTES OF COUNCIL

- 4(a) Minute of Meeting of Council of 24 March 2010 - for approval (circulated separately)
- 4(b) Minute of Meeting of Urgent Business Committee of 13 April 2010 - for approval (Pages 1 - 2)

MINUTES OF STANDING COMMITTEES

- 5(a) Pamphlet of Minutes for 16 February to 22 April 2010 - for information (circulated separately)

BUSINESS STATEMENT AND OTHER MINUTES

- 6(a) Business Statement (Pages 3 - 6)
- 6(b) Minute of Meeting of Special Licensing Objections Sub Committee of 28 January 2010 - for approval (Pages 7 - 8)

REFERRALS FROM COMMITTEES

- 7 None to date

GENERAL BUSINESS

- 8(a) Leadership Board Update - Oral report by Chief Executive
- 8(b) Peterhead Prison Visiting Committee - Appointment of Replacement Member - Report by Director of Corporate Governance (Pages 9 - 24)
- 8(c) Aberdeen City Centre - Developing a Vision for the Future - Report by Chief Executive and Corporate Management Team (Pages 25 - 112)

QUESTIONS

For the avoidance of doubt, one supplementary question, limited to clarifying any answer given, may be asked by the original questioner and one further supplementary question may be asked by one other member.

- 9(a) Councillor Wisely (Pages 113 - 114)

To ask the Chief Executive (1) what level of funding Peacock Visual Arts has received from Aberdeen City Council over the last ten years, with a breakdown per year and an explanation of the nature of the funding; and (2) what the financial implications would be for Aberdeen City Council in future years if the Peacock Visual Arts proposal for a contemporary arts centre within Union Terrace Gardens was to proceed (a) in isolation; and (b) in tandem with other proposals, i.e. in relation to annual funding and whether there would be any contribution towards the development.

MOTIONS

10(a) Councillor Graham

“That this Council calls on the Scottish Government (1) to identify its option for the Haudagain Roundabout; and (2) to provide a definitive time period for the works at the roundabout to begin. That this Council also writes to NESTRANS and Aberdeenshire Council asking them to write to the Scottish Government in support of Aberdeen City Council”.

10(b) Councillor John West

“In order to promote a café culture, the Council should organise a meeting with representatives of the restaurant and café trade, planning, licensing and road officials, with a view to identifying and removing barriers to successful pavement seating”.

10(c) Councillor Jennifer Stewart

“Instruct Council officers to explore all potential sources of external funding, including the McDonald Trust, which would allow Aberdeen City Council to acquire an original Jack Vettriano painting to be hung in Aberdeen Art Gallery.”

BUSINESS THE COUNCIL MAY WISH TO CONSIDER IN PRIVATE

11(a) Single Sensory Service - Report by Director of Social Care and Wellbeing (Pages 115 - 120)

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