To all Members of the Council



10 September 2021

You are hereby summoned to attend a Meeting of Rother District Council to be held at the Town Hall, Bexhill-on-Sea on **Monday 20 September 2021** at 6:30pm, when it is proposed to transact the business stated below.

- 1. To approve as a correct record and to authorise the Chairman to sign the Minutes of the Council meeting held on 5 July 2021
- 2. To receive apologies for absence
- 3. Disclosure of Interest

To receive any disclosure by Members of personal and disclosable pecuniary interests in matters on the agenda, the nature of any interest and whether the Member regards the personal interest as prejudicial under the terms of the Code of Conduct. Members are reminded of the need to repeat their declaration immediately prior to the commencement of the item in question.

- 4. To receive the Chairman's communications
- 5. To answer questions from members of the public, if any, in accordance with paragraph 10 of the Council Procedure Rules (*time limit 30 minutes)
- 6. To answer questions from Members of the Council, if any, in accordance with paragraph 11 of the Council Procedure Rules (*time limit 30 minutes)
- To receive the report of the Cabinet on matters for determination by full Council at its meeting held on 6 September (the meeting scheduled for 26 July was cancelled), as under: (Pages 1 - 2)

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- Appointment of Chief Executive (CB21/27)
- 8. To receive the report of the Head of Paid Service

In accordance with paragraph 17a of the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules and paragraph 4 of the Budget and Policy Framework Procedure Rules, of any urgent decisions taken at the Cabinet meeting held on 6 September 2021.

- 9. To receive a presentation from Stewart Drew, Director and Chief Executive of the De La Warr Pavilion on the De La Warr Pavilion Charitable Trust annual update (Pages 3 52)
- 10. To receive the report of the Chief Executive on the Appointment of a Representative to serve on the Rye Chamber of Commerce (Pages 53 54)

For details of the Council, it's elected representatives and meetings visit the Rother District Council Website <u>www.rother.gov.uk</u>

- 11. To receive the report of the Chief Executive on a change to the political make-up of the Council and to consider and approve the revised allocation of Committee seats and appointments thereto in accordance with the political balance rules or as otherwise determined by the Council (Pages 55 56)
- In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 12 consideration be given to the following Motion to Council submitted by Councillor Bayliss: (Pages 57 -118)

That Rother District Council:

- a) acknowledges the importance of better bus services for meeting the priorities in the Environment Strategy, Economic Recovery Strategy, and Corporate Plan;
- b) endorses the specific recommendations in the Bexhill Better Buses campaign report and the Campaign for Rural England's 'Every Village Every Hour' report;
- c) calls on parish and town councils to engage with East Sussex County Council as they develop their Bus Improvement Plan in response to the Government 'Bus Back Better' strategy; and
- d) requests that officers actively work with East Sussex County Council to ensure that their Bus Improvement Plans meets our corporate objectives.

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