

# Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Commission



**Date:** Thursday 16 April 2015

**Time:** 10.00 am

**Venue:** Brunel House, St Georges Rd, Bristol BS1 5UY

Labour	Liberal Democrat	Conservative	Green	UKIP
Councillor Lovell (Chair)	Councillor Janke (Lead)	Councillor Harvey (Vice-Chair)	Councillor Fodor (Lead)	Councillor Frost
Councillor Greaves	Councillor Hance	Councillor Melias		
Councillor Shah				
Councillor Tincknell				

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# Agenda



## Public Information Sheet

The attention of the public is drawn to the sheet at the back of the agenda giving information on the emergency evacuation procedures, attending meetings and inspecting reports and background papers.

### 1. Apologies for absence, substitutions and introductions

### 2. Public forum

(Time limit for this item: 30 minutes)

Any member of the public or councillor may participate in Public Forum. The detailed arrangements for so doing are set out in the **Public Information Sheet** at the back of this agenda. Please note that the following deadlines will apply in relation to this meeting:-

#### Questions:

Written questions must be received 3 clear working days prior to the meeting. For this meeting, this means that your question(s) must be received in this office at the latest by **5 pm on 10 April 2015**.

#### Petitions and Statements:

Petitions and statements must be received on the working day prior to the meeting. For this meeting this means that your submission must be received in this office at the latest by **12.00 noon on 15 March 2015**.

The notice should be addressed to Legal & Democratic Services, c/o the Democratic Services Team, Brunel House St Georges Road Bristol BS1 5UY, and marked for the attention of Jeremy Livitt.

### 3. Declarations of interest

To receive any declarations of interest by Members of the Scrutiny Commission.

### 4. Minutes (10.00am Start Time) Page Numbers 7 to 12

To confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Commission meeting held on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> December 2014

### 5. Action Sheet (10.05am Start Time) Page Numbers 13 to 15

To note actions arising from Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Commission held on 8<sup>th</sup> December 2014



## 6. Whipping

To give notice of any matters included on this agenda on which political groups intend to exercise a party whip.

## 7. Chair's business (10.10am Start Time)

To receive brief announcements or information updates from the Chair as appropriate

8. **Safer Bristol: 2014/15 Review of Spending on Crime Reduction Projects (Funded By PCC Community Safety) - Stuart Pattison/Peter Anderson (Written Report Attached) (10.15am Start Time)** Page Nos 17 to 37

**Members of the People Scrutiny Commission are invited to attend for this item.**

9. **Anti-Social Behaviour Policing and Crime Act 2014 – Update Stuart Pattison/Pete Anderson (10.30am Start Time)** Page Nos 39 to 45

10. **Report and Recommendations from Scrutiny Inquiry Day “ How Do We Keep Our Parks and Green Spaces Safe for Everyone?” – Romayne De Fonseca (10.50am Start Time)** Page Nos 47 to 93

11. **Review of Statement of Licensing Policy – Nick Carter/ Di Robinson (11.10am Start Time)** Page Nos 95 to 99

12. **Libraries of the Future – Update Briefing – Kate Murray (11.20am Start Time)**

This item will include a 10 Minute Presentation followed by up to 20 Minutes for discussions and questions. There is no written report for this item. Some slides will be made available at the meeting.

13. **Equalities Action Plan – Kay Russell/Anne James/Di Robinson (11.50am Start Time)** Page Nos 101 to 116

This item will include a 10 Minute Presentation followed by up to 15 Minutes for discussions and questions.

14. **Work Programme - Romayne De Fonseca** Page Nos 117 to 128 **(12.15pm Start Time)**

This item includes an update report on the Employment and Skills + Waste Disposal Inquiry Days, together with a Minute Extract from the 25<sup>th</sup> March 2015 Joint Meeting of the Neighbourhoods and People Scrutiny Commissions concerning the Health and Well Being Board Work Programme



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Public Forum

Members of the public may make a written statement or present a petition to most meetings, provided that:

- the statement, or in the case of a petition the subject matter, is received by Democratic Services no later than **12.00 noon on the working day before the meeting** and
- the statement or petition is about a matter which is the responsibility of the committee concerned.

Statements and the subject matter of petitions should be e-mailed to [democratic.services@bristol.gov.uk](mailto:democratic.services@bristol.gov.uk) or sent to Bristol City Council, Democratic Services Section, Brunel House St Georges Road Bristol BS1 5UY, or faxed to 0117 92 22146.

Any statement submitted should be no longer than one side of A4 paper. If the statement is longer than this, then for reasons of cost, only the first sheet will be copied to Members of Council and made available at the Meeting. For copyright reasons, we are unable to reproduce or publish newspaper or magazine articles that may be attached to statements.

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**We will try to remove personal information such as contact details. However, because of time constraints we cannot guarantee this, and you may therefore wish to consider if your statement contains information that you would prefer not to be in the public domain. Public Forum statements will not be posted on the council's website. Other committee papers may be placed on the council's website and information in them may be searchable on the internet.**

### **Process during the meeting:**

- Public Forum is normally one of the first items on the agenda, although statements and petitions that relate to specific items on the agenda may be taken just before the item concerned.
- There will be no debate on statements or petitions.
- The Chair will call each submission in turn. When you are invited to speak, please make sure that your presentation focuses on the key issues that you would like Members to consider. This will have the greatest impact.
- Your time allocation may have to be strictly limited if there are a lot of submissions before the meeting.
- You do not have to speak or even attend the meeting at which your public forum submission is being taken. However, if you do not present it, then it will not be read out. It will nevertheless be noted by Members.

### Register of Interests

The Register of Interests for Members is available on our website at [www.bristol.gov.uk](http://www.bristol.gov.uk)

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