



## MEMBERS' QUESTIONS

### Anti-Social Behaviour in Parks

1) **To the Cabinet Member for Environment (Councillor Barry Mugglestone)**  
**From Councillor Viddy Persaud**

Could the Cabinet Member please outline what steps are being taken to tackle anti-social behaviour, drug use, and littering in our parks?

### Car Park Shutters at New Green

2) **To the Cabinet Member for Housing & Property (Councillor Paul McGeary)**  
**From Councillor Matt Stanton**

What arrangements are proposed to address the difficulties imposed on New Green Residents by the poor design and placement of 4 parking spaces in the area adjoining the shutters at the point of access and egress to the car park which impedes residents from travelling in and out of the car park when those spaces are being used?

### Response time for Planning Enquiries

3) **To the Cabinet Member for Regeneration (Councillor Graham Williamson)**  
**From Councillor Martin Goode**

Could the cabinet member please explain why responses to queries raised by Ward councillors and residents, requesting an update to an application (P0685.23) that went to the planning committee in February, still remains unanswered or being addressed adequately within the 15 days SLA despite numerous chasers to the case officers?

### Payment Options for PCN's

4) **To the Cabinet Member for Environment (Councillor Barry Mugglestone)**  
**From Councillor David Taylor**

Can the Cabinet Member for Environment please explain why the payment plan option is not extended to PCN recipients at the discounted rate if intention is made to pay within this discounted period?

## Air Quality Action Plan

- 5) **To the Cabinet Member for Climate Change and Housing Need (Councillor Natasha Summers)**  
**From Councillor Keith Darvill**

When will the Administration publish its revised Air Quality Action Plan?

## Library Consultation Meetings

- 6) **To the Cabinet Member for Digital, Transformation & Customer Services (Councillor Paul Middleton)**  
**From Councillor Martin Goode**

Would the Cabinet member, please explain why this council is advising the public and Library users, that they must apply on line to book an event ticket to attend the scheduled Library Closure consultation meetings and why the number of tickets are limited to 20 in some instances (as stated in *Living in Havering, Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July*).

## Highway Weed Spraying Contract

- 7) **To the Cabinet Member for Environment Councillor Barry Mugglestone)**  
**From Councillor David Taylor**

Will the Administration accept that the delivery of the annual weed spraying programme has proved ineffective at best, and commit to action to hold the contractor to account for their apparent failure to meet their obligations?

## Flood Risk at Brookside School

- 8) **To the Cabinet Member for Children & Young People (Councillor Oscar Ford)**  
**From Councillor Keith Darvill**

Will the Lead Member report on progress of the proposed flood alleviation proposals in respect of Brookside School?

## Romford Market Management

- 9) **To the Cabinet Member for Regeneration (Councillor Graham Williamson)**  
**From Councillor David Taylor**

Would the Cabinet Member for Regeneration please explain why it is necessary to employ three market managers at a time of significant financial strain at the same time that they have chosen to reduce the operating days of Romford Market?

### **Criminal Activity on Council Regeneration Sites**

**10) To the Cabinet Member for Regeneration (Councillor Graham Williamson)  
From Councillor Jane Keane**

Will the Cabinet Member advise the steps that the Council is taking to prevent buildings on its regeneration sites from being used for criminal purposes?

### **Road Traffic Accident, junction of Wennington Road and New Road**

**11) To the Cabinet Member for Environment (Councillor Barry Mugglestone)  
From Councillor David Taylor**

Following the fatal RTC at the Wennington Road/New Road junction last April, can the Administration confirm that it is now in receipt of a Met Police report on suggested traffic calming measures and outline a timeline for the implementation of the recommendations contained therein?

### **Car Park Shutters at New Green**

**12) To the Cabinet Member for Housing & Property (Councillor Paul McGeary)  
From Councillor Matt Stanton**

What arrangements are proposed to address the difficulties imposed on New Green Residents by the failure of allocated Push Button Fobs and the inadequate replacement of such Fobs to residents?

### **Locking of Park Gates**

**13) To the Cabinet Member for Environment (Councillor Barry Mugglestone)  
From Councillor Dilip Patel**

Following the cancellation of the contract with National Enforcement Solutions, for litter enforcement and the locking of our parks, can the Cabinet Member please confirm what steps will be taken to ensure that Romford's parks are locked at night?

### **Parking in Park Lane, Hornchurch**

**14) To the Cabinet Member for Environment (Councillor Barry Mugglestone)  
From Councillor Judith Holt**

Following an email from the relevant Director, on 22<sup>nd</sup> March, which confirmed free parking on Park Lane, can the Cabinet Member please confirm why the free parking period has now been removed?

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**Grass Cutting in Cemeteries**

- 15) **To the Cabinet Member for Digital, Transformation & Customer Services**  
**(Councillor Paul Middleton)**  
**From Councillor Judith Holt**

Given that Upminster cemetery appears to have been looking neglected as of late, can the Cabinet Member confirm the mowing schedules for the public Cemeteries across Havering.