CITY & COUNTY OF CARDIFF DINAS A SIR CAERDYDD

COUNCIL: 26 JANUARY 2017

ORAL QUESTIONS



1 QUESTION TO THE LEADER (ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & PARTNERSHIPS PORTFOLIO)

QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR REA

Are you satisfied that the European Commission Urban Audit 'satisfied to live in' ranking is a robust measure of liveability?

2 QUESTION TO THE LEADER (ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & PARTNERSHIPS PORTFOLIO)

QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR WALKER

Your administration has consistently talked about modernising the Council. Officer time preparing business cases for alternative delivery models has been costly but, to date, unproductive. The only outcome in five years has been a change in the management of Leisure Centres which is reportedly bedding down well but is at a very early stage. It is also reported that an alternative management model being considered for the New Theatre and St David's Hall has now stalled. Will you accept that Labour has failed in its pledge to modernise the Council, reduce subsidies and transform underperforming services?

3 QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR MERRY (EDUCATION PORTFOLIO)

QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR McEVOY

Can the Cabinet member give an update on the funding of the youth service in Cardiff?

4 QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR DERBYSHIRE (ENVIRONMENT PORTFOLIO)

QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR McGARRY

Could you tell me if the Civil Enforcement Officers are able to issue on-the-spot fines to people who drop any kind of litter or allow their dog to foul without picking it up?

5 QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR MERRY (EDUCATION PORTFOLIO)

QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR BOYLE

Has the Labour administration met its 2012 manifesto commitment to make Cardiff a NEETS-free city?

6 QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR DERBYSHIRE (ENVIRONMENT PORTFOLIO)

QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR DIANNE REES

Every verge and slip road on the Eastern Avenue, A48 is littered with fizzy drink cans, fast food cartons, plastic sheeting, tyres and general detritus. Some of the litter on the slip road leading off Eastern Avenue towards St Mellons has been there for many months. It is a shocking introduction on a major approach road into the City. The littered state of our roads is often commented on by visitors to the City and the two McDonalds advertising boards on the Pentwyn Park and Ride roundabout, which are surrounded by fast food and drinks cartons bearing the McDonalds logo, leads many to believe that revenue from advertising is more important to this Council than the health and cleanliness habits of its citizens.

How frequently are our high speed routes cleansed of litter, will Eastern Avenue be cleaned of litter before the Rugby International on February 11th and is the Council serious about the need to clear our streets and roads of litter?

7 QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR ELSMORE (HEALTH, HOUSING AND WELLBEING PORTFOLIO)

QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR McEVOY

What is Cardiff doing to mitigate the changes in benefits of people in Cardiff?

8	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR PATEL (TRANSPORT, PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR GORDON
	Riverside residents welcome the proposed 20mph speed restriction across the Ward. What measures are there for traffic calming and monitoring the speed of motorists in the scheme?
9	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR PATEL (TRANSPORT, PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR REA
	If a road is marked for repair by council staff using spray paint, how long after this occurring should the road be repaired?
10	QUESTION TO THE LEADER (ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & PARTNERSHIPS PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR GRAHAM
	Will the council commit to helping areas of Llanishen and Thornhill where super-fast broadband is not currently available by appealing to the provider to improve the infrastructure?
11	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR MERRY (EDUCATION PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR AWAN
	What is the Council doing to increase the availability of school places in Grangetown?
12	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR PATEL (TRANSPORT, PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR GORDON
	Is the report available on the 20mph pilot scheme in Cathays?

13	QUESTION TO THE LEADER (ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & PARTNERSHIPS PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR SANDERS
	I understand a consultation on the Wellbeing Assessment, required under the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015, was launched in Cardiff on 12th January 2017. Would the Leader set out in detail how residents across Cardiff can respond to this important consultation? Are all methods for responding available?
14	QUESTION TO THE LEADER (ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & PARTNERSHIPS PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR CLARK
	Has the council undertaken an economic impact assessment on the risk of Cardiff being forced out of the Single Market in light of the UK Prime Minister's recent announcement? If so, please give details.
15	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR PATEL (TRANSPORT, PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR HUDSON
	How much money has been paid out in compensation to motorists claiming over the poor state of the roads in 2015 & 2016?
16	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR HINCHEY (CORPORATE SERVICES AND PERFORMANCE PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR McEVOY
	How much did the Council spend on newspapers in 2015-2016 (please differentiate the amount spent by libraries in the sum total)?
17	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR MERRY (EDUCATION PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR ALI
	How many more students achieved 5 or more A* - C grades in their A Levels and GCSEs in Summer 2016 when compared to Summer 2012?

18	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR DE'ATH
	(SKILLS, SAFETY AND ENGAGEMENT PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR HOWELLS
	Did Cardiff Council submit an application for the 2017 Stonewall
	Workplace Equality Index?
19	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR DERBYSHIRE
	(ENVIRONMENT PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR ROBSON
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	What has been the cost to the Council, year by year, since 2012 for
	removing unauthorised encampments in Cardiff's parks and open
	spaces and the cost of making good any damage which may have been caused?
	been caused?
20	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR PATEL
20	(TRANSPORT, PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY PORTFOLIO)
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	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR ALI
	Will the Cabinet Member make a statement on the City Council's
	approach to heritage protection?
21	QUESTION TO COUNTY COUNCILLOR PATEL
	(TRANSPORT, PLANNING & SUSTAINABILITY PORTFOLIO)
	QUESTION FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR HUNT
	Can you comment on the contact there has been with the police in
	respect of parking problems at Tatham Road in Llanishen?