BERWICK-UPON-TWEED TOWN COUNCIL

To: ALL MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

You are hereby requested to attend a meeting of **BERWICK-UPON-TWEED TOWN COUNCIL** to be held in the Council Chamber, The Town Hall, Marygate, Berwick-upon-Tweed, on **MONDAY, 26 SEPTEMBER 2011 AT 6 PM**

The Agenda for the meeting is set out below.

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Town Clerk 20 September 2011

OPEN SESSION

The Chairman to invite members of the public present to put questions to, or draw relevant matters to the attention of, the Council, prior to commencement of business. This is for a period of 15 minutes overall and is limited to 3 minutes per person.

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence.

2. MINUTES

To sign as a correct record the minutes of the Berwick-upon-Tweed Town Council Meetings held on 25 July 2011 and 22 August 2011.

3. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

To receive from members, in respect of any items included on the agenda for this meeting, disclosure of any personal or prejudicial interests.

4. TOWN MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

To receive announcements from the Town Mayor.

5. PRESENTATION BY HILARY BROWN AND RACHEL CHAPMAN

The new GP Consortium

6. OPEN PUBLIC SERVICES WHITE PAPER

To consider a response to the Government White Paper (Attachment A)

7. QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE 2012

To consider marking the occasion of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee (Attachment B).

8. NEW UNIFORMS FOR SERGEANT AT MACE AND HALBERDIER

To consider the provision of new uniforms (**Attachment C**)

9. EVENTS COMMITTEE

To adopt the minutes of the meeting of the Events Committee held on 12 September 2011 (**Attachment D**).

10. ENVIRONMENT AND REGENERATION COMMITTEE

To adopt the minutes of the meeting of the Environment and Regeneration Committee held on 12 September 2011 (**Attachment E**)

11. FINANCE AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE

- (i)To consider the minutes of the meeting of the Finance and Resources Committee held on 13 September 2011 (Attachment F)
- (ii)To approve and accept the annual return following receipt of the external auditor's certificate and opinion (**Attachment G**)

12. REPRESENTATION ON OUTSIDE BODIES

To consider invitations for representation on outside bodies.

13. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Council will be held on Monday 28 November 2011 at 6 pm in the Town Hall.