

**BERWICK-UPON-TWEED TOWN COUNCIL**

**To: ALL MEMBERS OF THE FINANCE AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE**

You are hereby requested to attend a meeting of the **FINANCE AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE** to be held in the Ante-Room, Town Hall, Marygate, Berwick-upon-Tweed, on **MONDAY 16 DECEMBER 2013 at 6.00 pm.**

**The Agenda for the meeting is set out below.**



**Town Clerk**

**3 December 2013**

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**A G E N D A**

**1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

To receive apologies for absence.

**2. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING**

To sign as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 18 November 2013.

**3. STATEMENTS BY THE PUBLIC**

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.

**4. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS**

Unless already entered in the Council's Register of Members' interests, members are required to disclose any personal interest, (which includes any disclosable pecuniary interest), they may have in any of the items included on the agenda for the meeting in accordance with the Code of Conduct adopted by the Council on 9 July 2012, and are reminded that if they have any personal interests of a prejudicial nature they must not participate in any discussion or vote on the matter and must leave the room.

**5. REQUEST FOR DISPENSATION**

(i) To receive from members who have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest in any items on the agenda an application for dispensation under section 33 of the Localism Act 2011 to enable members to participate in discussions and voting (pro-forma attached).

(ii) To consider requests for dispensation.

**6. AUTHORISATION OF PAYMENTS AND ORDERS**

To authorise payments on behalf of the Town Council (**Appendix A**).

**7. BUDGET 2014-15**

To consider the budget for 2014-15 (**Appendix B**).

**8. APPLICATIONS FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE**

To consider applications for assistance: Spittal Variety Group [referred from Events Committee] and any other completed applications received (**Appendix C**).

**9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next meeting of the Finance and Resources Committee will be held at 6.00 pm on Monday, 13 January 2014.

**MEMBERS OF THE FINANCE AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE:**

**Councillors P Elliott, T Forrester, G Hill, I Hunter, G. Jones, J Robertson,  
G Roughead, C Seymour, J Stephenson**