

**COUNCIL MEETING****14<sup>th</sup> April 2014****WRITTEN QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL****1. From Councillor Nicholas Bennett to the Leader of the Council**

If he will set out the main points of his proposed programme for the next four years for the Council to be elected on May 22<sup>nd</sup> 2014?

**2. From Councillor Nicholas Bennett to the Environment Portfolio Holder**

If he will make a statement on the flooding in West Wickham in 2014 and the actions taken by the Council to assist local residents?

**3. From Councillor Nicholas Bennett to the Public Protection and Safety Portfolio Holder**

What action he is taking to detect and combat fly-tipping in West Wickham?

**4. From Councillor Russell Mellor to the Resources Portfolio Holder**

Further to my question placed before Council on the 24<sup>th</sup> February 2014 can the Portfolio Holder provide the salary scales for the staff grades BR and MG together with the number of staff within the relevant grades in each department as listed in the Appendix 1 in reply to my question of the 24<sup>th</sup> February 2014 for the years 31/03/2011, 31/03/2012, 31/03/2013 and up to the 31/03/2014

**5. From Councillor David McBride to the Chairman of General Purposes and Licensing Committee**

Could he list the yearly attendance figures of each Councillor from the 2010/11 municipal year, including the figure so far for the current year?

**6. From Councillor David McBride to the Renewal and Recreation Portfolio Holder**

Could he list the shop unit vacancy rates for Bromley, Beckenham and Orpington town centres from May 2010 up to the latest available figures?

**7. From Councillor David McBride to the Renewal and Recreation Portfolio Holder**

Could he itemise the financial support from the Council given to areas for their Christmas lights since 2010 and tell me how much those areas can expect in support from the Council this coming Christmas?

**8. From Councillor Peter Fookes to the Resources Portfolio Holder**

What are the latest statistics for electoral registration in the borough, please list by ward in percentage terms?

**9. From Councillor Peter Fookes to the Environment Portfolio Holder**

What has been the cost to date for the Council and the other agencies involved of clearing up after the floods in Sparrows Den and Courtfield Rise?

**10. From Councillor Peter Fookes to the Environment Portfolio Holder**

Why are Friends Groups being denied access to basic information about the contracts for their local park?

**11. From Councillor Katherine Bance MBE to the Resources Portfolio Holder**

For cases of overdue Council Tax is there a case to answer that Bromley Council resorts to bailiffs too early in the process? What are the conciliation procedures?

**12. From Councillor Katherine Bance MBE to the Renewal and Recreation Portfolio Holder**

Is the underpinning work at Anerley Town Hall scheduled to go ahead and if so when is the expected start date?

**13. From Councillor Katherine Bance to the Environment Portfolio Holder**

Will the Council help to resolve the daily fly-tipping on High Street, Penge by use of temporary CCTV. The Council has said this is not their preferred solution, if that is so, do they have a workable solution?

**14. From Councillor Simon Fawthrop to the Renewal and Recreation Portfolio Holder**

How many food recycle bags (bundles) were sold in Bromley's libraries in the last 12 months?

Can these be shown by Library?

**15. From Councillor Simon Fawthrop to the Renewal and Recreation Portfolio Holder**

How many visits were there to Bromley's libraries in the last 12 months compared with the previous 12 months?

Can these be shown by Library?

**16. From Councillor Simon Fawthrop to the Chairman of the Development Control Committee** *(to be asked at every Council Meeting)*

What pre-application meetings have taken place since the last full Council Meeting between Council Officers and potential planning applicants? Can these be listed as follows:-

The name of the potential applicant, the site address being considered.