

COUNCIL MEETING4TH JULY 2016**QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC****1. From Julie Ireland to the Care Services Portfolio Holder**

Will Bromley Council take on the Local Authority Mental Health Challenge recently developed by Mind and other mental health groups?

2. From Jane Green to the Environment Portfolio Holder

A decision was taken and carried out in April to resurface the "Unadopted" section of Elwill Way at a cost to the Council's 2016/17 revenue budget of £60,212.

There being no decision to adopt this carriageway, giving the Council responsibility for its maintenance, who took the resurfacing decision and why?

3. From Sahar Awad to the Environment Portfolio Holder

Does the Council acknowledge that there is a public health problem with the daily accumulation of rubbish bags along Penge High Street?

4. From David Clapham to the Renewal and Recreation Portfolio Holder

My question at the Executive of 15th June was not answered. I contend that the airport has been operating out of hours. You changed the definition from 'based aircraft' to 'account holders'. Can you now please define 'account holders' and state who defined it?

5. From Nick Bell to the Portfolio Holder for Renewal and Recreation

With regard to the monitoring of activities at Biggin Hill, now that we have the Lease, the NAP and the MIL running alongside and often disagreeing or conflicting with each other, which one will prevail?

6. From Giuliana Voisey to the Renewal and Recreation Portfolio Holder

With regard to the cap on movements, Mark Bowen finally admitted that "the test will come if at a future date the Council needs to "enforce" the provision", which really is the whole point. Do council members at last appreciate what residents have been saying and will you start listening?

7. From Robert Pattullo to the Renewal and Recreation Portfolio Holder

You have admitted there is a misrepresentation concerning operating hours at BHAL in Item 3 of the MIL. Will it now be corrected forthwith but, if not, when?

8. From Mike Jones to the Leader of the Council

In view of the fact that the majority of Bromley residents voted in the referendum to remain in the EU, would the Council reconsider their vote in favour of leaving the European Union that it took - prematurely - at February's meeting, so that the council's views properly reflect the views of the electorate they represent?

9. From Sahar Awad to the Environment Portfolio Holder

What steps, if any, are being taken to tackle this problem?

10. From David Clapham to the Renewal and Recreation Portfolio Holder

My question about the level of fines for non-complying aircraft has not been answered. A large business jet would pay more than £2000 in landing fees, yet the maximum fine foreseen (point 19) in the MIL is around £500. How is the condition that fines should be 5 times landing fees satisfied for large aircraft?

11. From Giuliana Voisey to the Renewal and Recreation Portfolio Holder

Do the noise envelopes, based as they are on an imperfect average measure, only measure noise caused by aircraft at Biggin Hill or also Heathrow?

12. From Sahar Awad to the Environment Portfolio Holder

Why is an e-petition with over 600 signatures around this issue any less valid for presentation to a general council meeting than a paper petition, when e-petitions provide names and postcodes, and are as easy to cross reference and check as paper ones?