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Council

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Questions from Members of the Public for Oral Reply

1. From Dermot Mckibbin to the Portfolio Holder for Renewal, Recreation and Housing

Why were the two 3 bedroomed Council owned properties recently put up for sale and then withdrawn from the auction, when was the last time these two properties were occupied , why have they not been allocated to rehouse households in housing need and when will they be re-occupied?

2. From John Haddock to the Portfolio Holder for Transport, Highways and Road Safety

How can the Council justify putting the price of a residents permit up by 50% when state pension only went up by 10.1% and wages far less.

3. From Tony Banfield to the Portfolio Holder for Renewal, Recreation and Housing

The Churchill Theatre and Library are purpose built, valued cultural assets. In view of the public concern over their future will the Council commit to preserving these facilities either in the present building or to the same quality of facility in any new development?