

BEXHILL-ON-SEA TOWN COUNCIL

To all Members of Bexhill-on-Sea Town Council

You are summoned to attend a meeting of

BEXHILL-ON-SEA TOWN COUNCIL to be held at
**COUNCIL CHAMBER, ROTHER DISTRICT COUNCIL TOWN HALL, LONDON
ROAD, LONDON ROAD, BEXHILL-ON-SEA.**

on **Wednesday 5th October 2022 at 7pm**

when it is proposed to transact the following business:

Julie Miller

Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer

29th September 2022

Members of the public and press are welcome to attend.

Please note that the proceedings of this meeting may be recorded in line with regulations set out in the Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014. Members of the public addressing the council but not wishing to be recorded should put this request to the town clerk at the earliest opportunity.

AGENDA

1. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

In accordance with standing order 3(e) this session shall not exceed 15 minutes unless directed by the Chairman of the meeting. Subject to standing order 3(f), a member of the public shall not speak for more than 3 minutes. In accordance with standing order 3(e), a question shall not require a response at the meeting nor start a debate on the question. The chairman of the meeting may direct that a written or oral response be given. A person shall raise his hand when requesting to speak and stand when speaking (except when a person has a disability or is likely to suffer discomfort). The chairman of the meeting may at any time permit a person to be seated when speaking. A person who speaks at a meeting shall direct his comments to the chairman of the meeting. Only one person is permitted to speak at a time. If more than one person wants to speak, the chairman of the meeting shall direct the order of speaking.

2. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

3. TO RECEIVE DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY AND NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS

4. MINUTES

To approve the minutes of the following meetings of the full council:

- a) Wednesday 7th September 2022 (Appendix A)

5. COMMITTEES

To receive the minutes and updates of committees held since the last Full Council meeting:

- a) Planning and Development Advisory Committee - 07/07/2022 (Appendix B)
b) Asset Transfer Committee – 28/09/2022 (Appendix C)
c) Climate, Nature, and Environment Committee – 28/09/2022 (Appendix D)

6. RECOMMENDATIONS FROM COMMITTEES

There are none.

7. MAYOR'S OFFICE

- a) To receive update on the work of the Town Mayor (Appendix E)

8. REPORTS FROM COUNCILLORS

External councillors may report for 3 minutes. Written reports must be received three days before the meeting.

- a) To receive reports from Division County Councillors.
- b) To receive reports from Ward District Councillors.
- c) To receive ward reports from Town Councillors.

9. ROTHER DISTRICT COUNCIL LIASION

- a) To receive notes from meeting of 26/09/2022 (Appendix F)
- b) To agree terms of reference for Rother District Council liaison meeting (Appendix G)

10. SUPPORT FOR UKRAINE

- a) To receive update from Cllrs Brailsford; Taylor-Gee; Thomas on 'Bexhill Hub for Ukraine Support'.

11. SUPPORT FOR EAST SUSSEX FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE IN BEXHILL

- a) To consider writing letter of support to Bexhill fire and rescue service personnel and to express concern for any proposed cuts to local services.

12. GOVERNANCE AND ADMINISTRATION

- a) To consider steps to be taken to encourage members of the public to stand for election in 2023.
- b) To approve broadband contract connection for new premises.

13. EXTERNAL REPRESENTATIVES

To receive reports from external representatives (circulated prior to the meeting)

- a) RALC - Cllr Winter and Cllr Taylor-Gee
- b) Citizen's Advice Bureau – Cllr Gibson
- c) Bexhill Air Cadet Squadron - Mayor
- d) Fairtrade – Cllr Izzard
- e) Old and Bold – Cllr Barfoot
- f) Sea Angling Club Design Workshop – Cllr Gibson
- g) To note Police Forum attendees confirmed for 18th October 2022
- h) To nominate two attendees for ESALC AGM 30/11/2022 1pm
- i) To consider request for 2 x Christmas Window Judges

14. MOTIONS FROM COUNCILLORS

- a) Cllr Carroll
That the town council pledge support for the Anti-Bullying Alliance
[Pledge your support \(anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk\)](https://www.anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk)

15. CORRESPONDENCE AND MATTERS FOR INFORMATION

All information circulated to councillors prior to the meeting

- a) Rother Sports Facilities Survey – to consider response.
- b) To note Barnhorn Green Health and Employment Scheme events 03/10 and 06/10.

16. QUESTIONS FROM COUNCILLORS AND FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- a) To receive answers to questions raised at the last meeting

Cllr Carroll Could the council sign up to the Anti- Bullying pledge to show residents that the council supports professional behaviour.	This motion is on the agenda.
Cllr Carroll the town council could write to the local fire services to offer thanks and support.	There is an item on the agenda in relation to Bexhill Fire and Rescue to consider this.
Cllr Wray asked for feedback from the grants that were paid.	This will be added to the Finance and General Purposes Committee agenda.
Cllr Taylor-Gee asked if the town council could write to express concern about the proposed fire cuts	There is an item on the agenda in relation to Bexhill Fire and Rescue to consider this.
Cllr Plim asked if the council could ask the Fire Service to present their issues to the town council	A request has been sent.
Cllr Taylor-Gee asked if the town council could do something about not being included in the meetings for sewage	The Climate, Nature, and Environment Committee are taking this matter forward.
Cllr Thomas asked that the council 'stick up' for residents on the sewage spill.	The Climate, Nature, and Environment Committee are taking this matter forward.

- b) To receive questions from councillors at the meeting.
Questions shall be recorded in the minutes and responded to at the next meeting or before
- c) To note any future agenda items.
- d) To consider any new risks to be added to the risk register.

17. DATE OF NEXT MEETING – 9TH NOVEMBER 2022.

All motions for the next meeting of full council on 9th November 2022 must be received by 30th October 2022.