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To: Members of the Area Forum: Councillors Alistair Willoughby (Chair), Emma Rowe (Vice-Chair), Rhona Cameron, Steve Jarvis, Michael Muir, Tom Tyson and Stewart Willoughby

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF A

**MEETING OF THE BALDOCK AND VILLAGES COMMUNITY
FORUM**

to be held in the

**THE MAIN HALL, BALDOCK COMMUNITY CENTRE, SIMPSON
DRIVE, BALDOCK. HERTFORDSHIRE SG7 6DH**

On

MONDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 2025 AT 7.30 PM

Yours sincerely,

Isabelle Alajooz
Director – Governance

****MEMBERS PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU DOWNLOAD ALL AGENDAS AND REPORTS VIA THE MOD.GOV APPLICATION ON YOUR TABLET BEFORE ATTENDING THE MEETING****

Agenda

Part I

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1.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	
2.	CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS Members are reminded that any declarations of interest in respect of any business set out in the agenda, should be declared as either a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest or Declarable Interest and are required to notify the Chair of the nature of any interest declared at the commencement of the relevant item on the agenda. Members declaring a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest must withdraw from the meeting for the duration of the item. Members declaring a Declarable Interest, wishing to exercise a 'Councillor Speaking Right', must declare this at the same time as the interest, move to the public area before speaking to the item and then must leave the room before the debate and vote.	
3.	PRESENTATION - LOCAL GOVERNMENT REORGANISATION Presentation and Q&A on Local Government Reorganisation. Information on the Local Government Reorganisation can be found in the links below: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Help shape Hertfordshire's future - have your say on changes to local government North Herts Council• Devolution and Local Government Reorganisation North Herts Council	(Pages 5 - 6)
4.	PUBLIC PARTICIPATION - GRANT APPLICATIONS To consider community grant applications for recommendation to the Executive Member for Governance.	(Pages 7 - 18)
5.	PRESENTATION - BALDOCK CCTV Presentation by John Marshall the North Herts Council Community Safety Team Leader about the CCTV in Baldock.	
6.	PRESENTATION - AFFINITY WATER Presentation by Ilias Karapanos (Head of Water Resources Management) from Affinity Water about the fresh water infrastructure in Baldock and how it will be increased to support the Growing Baldock development of 3200 houses.	
7.	PRESENTATION - ANGLIAN WATER Presentation by Robert Morris (Growth Liaison Manager – Wholesale	

Services), Hannah Wilson (Pre-Development Planning Manager) and Grant Tufts (Regional Engagement Manager – corporate Affairs) from Anglian Water about the waste water infrastructure in Baldock and how it will be increased to support the Growing Baldock development of 3200 houses.

8. PRESENTATION - URBAN & CIVIC

Presentation of the most recent updates to the Growing Baldock Project by the Project Director, Paul Mumford, from Urban & Civic.

9. WARD MATTERS & OUTSIDE ORGANISATIONS

To receive any verbal reports from Members and questions from members of the public regarding Ward matters and Outside Organisations.

10. COMMUNITY UPDATE

To provide the Forum with an update to ensure Members are kept informed of the work of the Community and Partnerships Team.

11. FUTURE COMMUNITY FORUMS

To discuss topics for future meetings.