

10 June 2025 Our Ref Royston and Villages Community Forum

18 June 2025

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To: Members of the Area Forum: Councillors Tim Johnson (Chair), Bryony May (Vice-Chair), Matt Barnes, Ruth Brown, Cathy Brownjohn, Ruth Clifton, Sarah Lucas and Martin Prescott

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN OF A

MEETING OF THE ROYSTON AND VILLAGES COMMUNITY FORUM

to be held in the

HARDWICKE HALL, ROYSTON TOWN HALL, MELBOURN STREET, ROYSTON, SG8 7BZ

On

WEDNESDAY, 18TH JUNE, 2025 AT 7.30 PM

Yours sincerely,

Jeanette Thompson Director – Governance

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Agenda <u>Part I</u>

Item Page

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. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION - GRANT APPLICATIONS

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To consider community grant applications for recommendation to the Executive Member for Governance.

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4. PRESENTATION - BIN COLLECTIONS: WHAT'S HAPPENING

Presentation by Cllr Amy Allen, Executive Member for Environment.

5. PRESENTATION - EVERYONE ACTIVE COMMUNITIES TEAM Presentation by Kirsty Jones.

6. COMMUNITY UPDATE

(Pages

To provide the Forum with an update to ensure Members are kept informed 17 - 18) of the work of the Community and Partnerships Team.

7. ROYSTON TOWN COUNCIL

Presentation by Mayor Luke Haugh.

8. HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Presentation by County Cllr Steve Jarvis.

9. WARD MATTERS & OUTSIDE ORGANISATIONS

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

10. OPEN DISCUSSION

To open the floor to questions and discussion relevant to Royston and the surrounding villages.

11. FUTURE AREA FORUMS

To discuss topics for future meetings.