



## NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

You are hereby summoned to attend the Meeting of the County Council to be held at County Hall, Northallerton, on **Wednesday, 24 July 2013 at 10.30 am**, at which the following business will be transacted.

### BUSINESS

1. To move that the **Minutes of the meeting of the County Council held on 15 May, 2013** having been printed and circulated, be taken as read and be confirmed and signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

**(Pages 1 to 8)**
2. **Chairman's Announcements** - Any correspondence, communication or other business brought forward by the direction of the Chairman of the Council.
3. **A Statement by the Leader of the Council**

**(Pages 9 to 10)**
4. **Public Questions or Statements**
5. To consider the **report and recommendations of the Executive** and make decisions on them.

**(Pages 11 to 186)**

  - Revenue outturn 2012/13
  - Capital expenditure outturn and Finance 2012/13
  - Revenue Budget 2013/14 and Medium Term Financial Strategy
  - Youth Justice Strategic Plan 2013-14
  - Appointments to Committees and Outside Bodies
6. To consider the **report and recommendations of the Audit Committee** and make a decision on them.

**(Pages 187 to 202)**

  - Local Code of Corporate Governance

**7. Statements of Executive Members, in the order set out below, followed by Statements by the Chairmen of the Overview and Scrutiny Committees, (Pages 203 to 244)**

Executive Members:-

- (a) Central and financial services including assets, IT and procurement. (Portfolio holder: County Councillor Carl Les).
- (b) Children's services, special education needs youth justice, youth service and adult learning. (Portfolio holder: County Councillor Tony Hall).
- (c) Schools, 16-19 year old education and early years' provision. (Portfolio holder: County Councillor Arthur Barker).
- (d) Adult social care and health integration. (Portfolio holder: County Councillor Clare Wood).
- (e) Highways and planning services. (Portfolio holder: County Councillor Gareth Dadd).
- (f) Rural Services, waste disposal, public passenger transport, trading standards, economic development and library services. (Portfolio holder: County Councillor Chris Metcalfe).
- (g) Public health and preparation. (Portfolio holder: County Councillor Don MacKenzie)

Overview and Scrutiny Committee Chairmen.

- (h) Scrutiny Board (Chairman: County Councillor Elizabeth Casling).
- (i) Care and Independence Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Chairman: County Councillor Patrick Mulligan).
- (j) Corporate and Partnerships Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Chairman: County Councillor Tim Swales).
- (k) Transport, Economy and Environment Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Chairman: County Councillor David Jeffels).
- (l) Scrutiny of Health Committee (Chairman: County Councillor Jim Clark).
- (m) Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Chairman: County Councillor Elizabeth Shields).

Each statement may be followed by any questions arising from the statement and then, subject to notice having been given by 10.00 am on 23 July, 2013 questions on matters in that portfolio not mentioned in the statement.

**8. Council Procedure Rule 10 Questions**

## 9. Motion – Skipton to Harrogate Bus Service

County Councillor Polly English to move and County Councillor Margaret Ann de Courcey-Bayley second

“Council notes that –

Recently, the Skipton to Harrogate bus service ( X59 ) has been withdrawn from service.

The bus formed a direct link between the two towns and adjacent villages.

The service was cancelled because it was “uneconomical”.

As a result, there is now no direct route between Skipton and Harrogate - two of the County’s major service centres. Indeed the only available route now open to residents is via Otley, meaning all journeys have to cross the North Yorkshire County Boundary.

This now leads to a journey time in excess of four hours.

1) That Council resolves to use all its influence to directly implement / reinstate a Skipton to Harrogate (rtn) bus service on a daily basis to serve the residents of Craven and Harrogate as a matter of urgency.

RICHARD FLINTON  
Chief Executive Officer

CAROLE DUNN,  
Assistant Chief Executive  
(Legal and Democratic Services)

County Hall,  
NORTHALLERTON.

16 July 2013

- NOTES:
- (a) Coffee will be available in meeting Room 4 before the meeting.
  - (b) A buffet lunch will be provided in the Grand.
  - (c) Tea and coffee will be available in the Meeting Room 4 at the conclusion of the meeting.