

LUDLOW TOWN COUNCIL A G E N D A

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EXTRA ORDINARY COUNCIL

You are summoned to attend the meeting of Ludlow Town Council to be held at The Guildhall, Mill Street, Ludlow, on Monday 3rd February 2025 at 7.00pm

Gina Wilding

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Key Agenda Items:

Ludlow Town Wall at St. Laurence's Churchyard

The public may speak at this meeting

Public Open Session (15 minutes) – Members of the public are invited to make representations to the Council on any matters relating to the work of the Council or to raise any issues of concern.

No papers



1. WELCOME FROM THE MAYOR AND HEALTH & SAFETY INFORMATION

Councillors and members of the public are to note that the fire exits can be found to the rear of the building and via the front door. The fire assembly point is on the pavement opposite the Guildhall. For fire safety purposes all Councillors should sign the attendance book and members of the public should sign the attendance sheet.

2. <u>RECORDING OF MEETINGS</u> – Under the Openness of Local Government Regulations 2014, recording and broadcast including blogging, tweeting and other social media is permitted during public session of Council meetings.

The act of recording and broadcasting must not interfere with the meeting.

The Council understands that some members of the public may not wish to be recorded and asks that they make this known immediately.

3. APOLOGIES

To receive Councillor's apologies.

4. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of interests for:

- a) Disclosable Pecuniary Interest
- b) Declaration of conflicts of Interest
- c) Declarations of personal interest

Members are reminded that they must not participate in the discussion or voting on any matter in which they have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest and should leave the room prior to the commencement of the debate. (Disclosable Pecuniary Interests) Regulations 2012 (SI 2012/1464)

PUBLIC OPEN SESSION (15 MINUTES) – Members of the public are invited to make representations to the Council on any matters relating to the work of the Council or to raise any issues of concern. Public Bodies (admissions to meetings) Act 1960 s 1 extended by the LG Act 972 s 100.

6. LUDLOW'S UNITARY COUNCILLORS' SESSION

Ludlow's Unitary Councillors are invited to provide updates on Unitary Council matters related to Ludlow.

ITEM Attachment

7. <u>EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC: PUBLIC BODIES</u> (ADMISSION TO MEETINGS) ACT 1960

The Chairman will move that the public be excluded from the meeting for the following item(s) of business pursuant to section 1 of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.



8. LUDLOW TOWN WALLS

- a) To receive a presentation explaining the role of a once free-standing wall slowly becoming a retaining wall of built-up ground for burials, the hydrostatic pressure from the rain, ground water, and the rainwater flowing off the church building and through ground containing vaults and graves, and a nineteenth century 3 m extension to the town wall which is thicker than the once free standing wall below in the collapse of the wall, and an overview of engineering options with Q&A. Please note that the final engineering solution will require approval from the Diocesan Advisory Committee.
- b) To approve Council's continuation of working with other organisations to find a solution for the rebuilding of the collapsed wall.

To follow

No papers

Membership

Councillors B Waite (Town Mayor); Childs; De Gersigny; Garner; Gill (Deputy Mayor); Ginger; Hall; Harris; Jones; Miller; Parry; Tapley; Thompson and S. Waite.

The date of the next Council meeting is 3rd March 2025