



Notice of Meeting:  
**Council**

**Meeting Location:**

The Atrium - Perceval House

**Date and Time:**

Wednesday, 21 February 2024 at 7.00 pm

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**Chief Executive:**

Tony Clements

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**Committee Membership: Councillors**

M Ahmed, S Ahmed, J Anand, P Anand, J Ball, J Blacker, G Busuttil, J Gallant, K Sahota, K Bains, C Anderson, T Sidhu, B Rai, R Dheer, B Mahfouz, C Summers, L Brett, D Crawford, A Young, P Driscoll, V Alexander, Y Gordon, H Haili, M Hamidi, B Hashani, C Hersch, M Iqbal, A Jammu, S Jassal, Y Johnson, H Kaur Dheer, A Kelly, S Khan, I Kingston, P Knewstub, S Kohli, S Kumar, K Dhindsa, T Mahmood, G Malcolm, S Manro, D Martin, J Martin, P Mason, M Midha, F Mohamed, K Mohan, G Murtaza, K K Nagpal, K Nagpal, I Nijhar, S Padda, G Quansah, F Conti, A Raza, M Rice, R Baaklini, C Sharma, G Shaw, D Costigan, G Stafford, A Steed, K Crawford, H Tailor (Mayor), C Tighe, L Wall, R Wall, B Wesson, S Donnelly and A Zissimos

# AGENDA

**1 Apologies for Absence and Attendance**

**2 Declarations of Interest**

**3 Minutes of the Extraordinary Meeting held on 19 December 2023 (Pages 5 - 6)**

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the Extraordinary meeting held on 19 December 2023.

**4 Mayor's Announcements**

**5 Petitions from Members of the Public**

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**7 Questions from Members of the Public**

Alex Rowley has given notice he wishes to ask the following question of Councillor Costigan, Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Climate Action:

Following the closure of Swyncombe, and before any changes to Elthorne Park Rd are agreed, what is the council going to do and by when to measure and reduce the huge increase in speed and volume of traffic on Haslemere Ave that poses significant risk to many children's lives?

**8 Questions from Members of the Council**

**9 Ealing Local Plan and draft CIL Charging schedule (Pages 7 - 1228)**

**10 Motions not for Debate**

This council notes that:

- Southall Post Office provides essential services for members of the local community that may not have access to the internet or speak English as a first language.
- Physical Post Office closures are likely to increase travel costs for customers, as well as forcing those who may have mobility issues to travel further to a physical branch.
- 43% of small businesses say they 'would not

survive' without a local Post Office.

- Sub-postmasters and other post office staff provide support to tens of thousands of vulnerable people across the UK every year.

This council believes that:

- Ealing residents deserve to have essential community services, such as the post office, in their local areas.
- Southall Post Office provides a vital service to the small business community in Southall.

This council resolves to:

- Write to the Post Office, asking Post Office management to explore all avenues to keep Southall Post Office from closing and to support local residents, small businesses, and the Post Office workers of Southall.
- Invite senior representatives from the Post Office to present themselves to the Overview and Scrutiny Committee to justify the decision to close the post office.
- Lobby the government to do all it can to prevent post office closures and cabinet members will write to the parliamentary under-secretary regarding the proposed closure of Southall Post Office.

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