



COUNCIL

Council Summons and Agenda

You are hereby summoned to attend an **Extraordinary Meeting of Ryedale District Council** to be held in the **Council Chamber, Ryedale House, Malton** on **Thursday, 18 May 2017** on the rising of the Annual Meeting of Council but not earlier than **3.30 pm** for the transaction of the following business:

Agenda

1 Emergency Evacuation Procedure

The Chairman to inform Members of the Public of the emergency evacuation procedure.

2 Apologies for absence

3 Declarations of Interest

Members to indicate whether they will be declaring any interests under the Code of Conduct.

Members making a declaration of interest at a meeting of a Committee or Council are required to disclose the existence and nature of that interest. This requirement is not discharged by merely declaring a personal interest without further explanation.

4 Motion on Notice

Proposed by Councillor Burr and seconded by Councillor Paul Andrews.

Bearing in mind that

- the Council has sent its comments on the Joint Minerals and Waste Plan (JMWP) and these comments include a request to exclude the Vale of Pickering and the Yorkshire Wolds from the area where fracking is to be permitted;
- the potential developers are challenging the requirement in the JMWP to keep AONB's and National Parks free from fracking by seeking to amend the

- definition of fracking in the JMWP;
- fracking will completely industrialise the areas where it is allowed;
- RDC has no planner with experience in mineral planning on its payroll,

This Council resolves to task Officers with the preparation of a brief for consultants to represent the Council at the JMWP Examination in Public. This will help to gauge the availability of consultants and the level of potential cost. The brief shall be drafted by the Head of Planning and will be consistent with the representations made by this Council to the Plan. The brief will be agreed in consultation with group leaders. It is also resolved that the Head of Planning, in consultation with group leaders be given authority to appoint suitable consultants.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Janet Waggott". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Janet Waggott
Chief Executive