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## COUNCIL

# **Council Summons and Agenda**

You are hereby summoned to attend the **Annual Meeting of Ryedale District Council** to be held in the **Council Chamber, Ryedale House, Malton** on **Thursday, 16 May 2013** at **3.00 pm** in the afternoon 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 Chairman

To elect a Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

## 3 Vote of Thanks to Retiring Chairman

#### 4 Vice Chairman

To appoint a Vice Chairman of the Council for the ensuing year.

#### 5 Apologies for absence

6 Minutes (Pages 1 - 20)

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the Annual Meeting of Council held on 17 May 2012.

## 7 Urgent Business

To receive notice of any urgent business which the Chairman considers should be dealt with at the meeting as a matter of urgency by virtue of Section 100B(4)(b) of the Local Government Act 1972.

#### 8 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.

#### 9 Announcements

To receive any announcements from the Chairman and/or the Head of Paid Service:

- (a) Chairman's Chaplain
- (b) Civic Sunday
- (c) Chairman's Charities

#### 10 Leader of the Council and Deputy Leader of the Council

In accordance with the Council Constitution (Part 4 – Rules of Procedure) the Council may at its Annual Meeting elect a Leader of the Council and appoint a Deputy Leader of the Council for the ensuing year. It follows from the wording of the Constitution that Council can decline to make these appointments.

# 11 The Allocation of Seats on Committees Between Political Groups and the Appointment of Members to Committees (to follow)

- (a) Committees for 2013/2014
- (b) The Allocation of Seats on Committees Between Political Groups and the Appointment of Members to Committees
- (c) The Appointment of Chairmen and Vice Chairmen of Committees

### 12 Appointment of Representatives on Outside Organisations (Pages 21 - 24)

To consider the appointment or nomination of representatives to serve on outside organisations for the forthcoming municipal year 2013/2014.

The attached list shows the representatives appointed for 2012/2013, as amended during the year.

## 13 Appointment of Member Champions

(Pages 25 - 26)

To consider the appointment of Member Champions for 2013/2014.

14 Any other business that the Chairman decides is urgent.

Janet Wassell

Janet Waggott Chief Executive