Questions from Councillors

CQ1

Question to be asked by Councillor Kevin Clarke of the Leader of the Council at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Would the Leader of the Council agree with our Group that with the increase in knife crime in our city and the recent tragic death on the tram network, the time has come to introduce inspectors on all journeys to reassure the public it is safe to travel on the network?

CQ2

Question to be asked by Councillor Andrew Rule of the Leader of the Council at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

In one of our last exchanges at Full Council before the recent elections, the Leader of the Council advised the Chamber that following instructions from the Improvement and Assurance Board he would be resigning as a Director of Blueprint (General Partner) Limited in May. However we are now two months on from that exchange and he remains a Director. Could the Leader of the Council outline why these instructions have not been complied with?

CQ3

Question to be asked by Councillor Kirsty Jones of the Leader of the Council at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Will the Leader of the Council join me in recognising the fantastic contribution made by our dedicated Public Realm Teams, along with the thousands of registered Clean Champions giving up endless amounts of hours helping to keep our City clean; and does he also share my disappointment with the statement that "Parts of the city are a dump!" and further agree that disheartening language, like this, should be avoided as it diminishes the efforts of the City's Clean Champions and Public Realm Teams?

CQ4

Question to be asked by Councillor Andrew Rule of the Portfolio Holder for Energy, Environment and Waste Services and Parks at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Could the Portfolio Holder update the Chamber on when she envisages the process of renewing the leases to the City's allotment associations will be completed?

Question to be asked by Councillor Maria Watson of the Portfolio Holder for Leisure and Culture at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Whilst we value the opening of the new Central Library and a new Sherwood Library, we were disappointed to hear that the libraries in Aspley, Radford-Lenton and Basford, that were previously saved a few months ago, may once again be under review. Can we please request that everything will be done that is possible to stop any further closures or reduced hours for libraries?

CQ6

Question to be asked by Councillor Kevin Clarke of the Leader of the Council at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Could the Leader of the Council confirm whether he has had access to the full unredacted version of the Ernst Young report on management override of controls commissioned by the S.151 Officer?

CQ7

Question to be asked by Councillor Matt Shannon of the Portfolio Holder for Leisure and Culture at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Could the Portfolio Holder for Leisure and Culture please update Council on how the re-opening of the Nottingham Castle went?

CQ8

Question to be asked by Councillor Leslie Ayoola of the Deputy Leader of the Council at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Could the Deputy Leader of the Council please inform Full Council on how the 75th Anniversary of Windrush was celebrated in the City?

CQ9

Question to be asked by Councillor Angela Kandola of the Portfolio Holder for Neighbourhoods, Safety and Inclusion at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Could the Portfolio Holder for Neighbourhoods, Safety and Inclusion please update Full Council on what work is ongoing to ensure the public feel safe after the tragic deaths that occurred on 13 June?

Question to be asked by Councillor Sarita-Marie Rehman-Wall of the Portfolio Holder for Children, Young People and Education at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Could the Portfolio Holder for Children, Young People and Education tell us what is being done to support families in receipt of free school meals during the school holidays?

CQ11

Question to be asked by Councillor Georgia Power of the Portfolio Holder for Adult Social Care and Health at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Does the Portfolio Holder for Adult Social Care and Health share my disappointment for the delay to the Nottingham Future Hospitals programme and the Health Secretary's recent comments defending this?

CQ12

Question to be asked by Councillor Sam Gardiner of the Portfolio Holder for Housing at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Six years on from the tragedy of the Grenfell Fire, could the Portfolio Holder for Housing please update Full Council on the state of our City's high-rise buildings in terms of:

- i) Cladding remediation works
- ii) Retro-fitting of fire safety systems
- iii) Timescales for completion of all works
- iv) Fire safety audit results
- v) Concerns outstanding from tenant forums
- vi) Overall assessment
- vii) Compensation from Government

Questions from Councillors requiring a written response

WQ1

Question to be asked by Councillor Kevin Clarke of the Portfolio Holder for Energy, Environment and Waste Services and Parks at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023 requesting a written response

Could the Portfolio Holder provide a breakdown by ward of the number of Street Scene operatives assigned to each ward by year since 2018?

WQ2

Question to be asked by Councillor Maria Watson of the Portfolio Holder for Energy, Environment and Waste Services and Parks at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Could the Portfolio Holder provide a breakdown of the types of vehicle by age, average time off road for maintenance and book value of the current fleet in use by Street Scene?

WQ3

Question to be asked by Councillor Kirsty Jones of the Portfolio Holder for Finance and HR at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Could the Portfolio Holder provide a breakdown of loans extended to Council owned companies by amount advanced, interest earned and estimated repayment date?

WQ4

Question to be asked by Councillor Andrew Rule of the Portfolio Holder for Energy, Environment and Waste Services and Parks at the meeting of the City Council to be held on 10 July 2023

Could the Portfolio Holder provide a breakdown of the number of missed bin collections in each ward by year since 2018?