

## Agenda item no. 7 - Questions from members of the council

Question Number	Questioner	Question	Question to
MQ 1	Councillor Marsh, Leominster South	I recently came out of Hereford station to a featureless expanse of tarmac with neither guidance to the town centre nor any sign of tree planting - or even places where they could be put. What is being done to make this important entry point to Hereford welcoming?	Cabinet member infrastructure
MQ 2	Councillor Matthews, Credenhill	<p>It is my understanding that when the contract was agreed with British Land in respect of the Old Market site, they were given an option on any further development on the adjoining land.</p> <p>Can you tell Members if there are any indications from British Land that they will soon be taking up that option? and if so, what will the financial benefits be to the ratepayers of Herefordshire?</p>	Cabinet member for contracts and assets
MQ 3	Councillor Harvey, Ledbury North	Cabinet agreed on 15 February to continue paying £25,000 p.a. for Herefordshire Council to be an observer at West Midlands Combined Authority board meetings. Please would the Leader state the number of occasions during 2017 when he attended a WMCA board meeting?	Leader
MQ 4	Councillor Chowns, Bishops Frome and Cradley	Why does the council have two different map-based systems for road defects, one for those 'in progress' and another for the much larger number of potholes reported but not yet actioned; and when will residents get an improved, service-oriented, single-map system that enables us to monitor council performance on addressing all road defects, and includes information on expected timeframes for inspection and repair of all potholes?	Cabinet member transport and regulatory services
MQ 5	Councillor Bowen, Bircher	Can the Council and the citizens of Herefordshire be assured that all the monies returned to Herefordshire Council by Amey will be spent on the minor roads in Herefordshire: these roads are the lifelines of our large and rural county and have suffered severe damage this winter and require urgent attention?	Cabinet member finance, housing and corporate services
MQ 6	Councillor Bartlett, Leominster East	What social and environmental standards will be set for any developments pursued through the Development Partnership, beyond statutory basics?	Cabinet Member contracts and assets
MQ 7	Councillor Norman, Leominster West	What emergency plans were in place, and what additional support did the Council in fact provide, for vulnerable groups during the icy and snowy weather that severely affected Herefordshire for several days from 1st March 2018 – with particular reference to both street homeless people and housebound individuals?	Cabinet Member Health and Wellbeing