

Meeting of the Council

Wednesday, 6 February 2013

Questions Under Standing Order A13

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| Question (1) by Councillor Faulkner (J) to the Mayor – Mayor Oliver | How have the Council taken Account of Child poverty during the budget setting process for 2013/14? |
| Question (2) by Councillor Darling to the Mayor | The Council have a duty to conduct access audits for Council buildings. Can you please advise when these were last reviewed and when any monies were last spent to improve access, on a plan by plan basis? |
| Question (3) by Councillor Darling to the Fire Authority Representatives – Councillors Brooksbank and Mills | Do you plan to oppose the loss of a Full time fire engine from Torquay fire station? |
| Question (4) by Councillor Cowell to Mayor – Mayor Oliver | Can the Mayor explain the rationale behind spending £40,000 on the path at Torre Abbey Meadows? |
| Question (5) by Parrott to the Executive Lead for Business Planning and Governance – Councillor Pritchard | <p>In view of the troubling allegations regarding the 'political charity' Common Purpose - in the national press (including both the Daily Mail and the Sunday Times) during the week Monday, 12 November to Sunday, 18 November - please could you advise Council as to the numbers of employees of Torbay Council that have received training from Common Purpose over the past municipal 10 years, and within which employment groups and at what levels those employees work (eg) social workers, teachers, communications, human resources?</p> <p>Could you also confirm to the Council that no employees are due to attend such training in the future, and that in view of the seriousness of the allegations, that the Council will put in place a policy precluding any employee training by Common Purpose in the future?</p> |