

Item 9 - To consider any questions by Members under paragraph 19.3 of Part 2 (The Council and District Council Members) of the Constitution, notice of which have been duly given.

1. “Significant proportion of people would like to be able to live in the town or village they grew up in. That is true of Penshurst Fordcombe and Chiddingstone and across the district - how is the housing strategy, which identifies a District wide requirement of 423 per year, going to ensure we have sufficient affordable houses, which must be built at a rate of 12 per parish per year across the District, if that is to be achieved? In answering the question could the cabinet member also touch on how the council plans to make these homes truly affordable rather than just let at 80% of market rate?”

Cllr Richard Streatfeild
Penshurst, Fordcombe and Chiddingstone

2. “With reference to the proposed KCC cuts in the school bus service, I appreciate this is not a District Council responsibility, but it will affect a large number of children in the District.

What can SDC do to help to ameliorate the situation?”

Cllr Elizabeth Purves
Sevenoaks Eastern