

CHICHESTER CITY COUNCIL



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TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

Members are hereby summoned to attend a Special Meeting of Council to be held at 5pm on Wednesday 30 May 2018 in the Council Chamber at the Council House, North Street, Chichester.

TOWN CLERK
23 May 2018

A G E N D A

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
2. COUNCILLOR JO FRENCH - SIX MONTHS ABSENCE
The Local Government Act 1972, Section 85 expressly provides that where a Council member fails throughout a period of 6 consecutive months from the date of their last attendance to attend any meeting of the authority then, subject to certain exceptions, they cease to be a member of the authority unless failure was due to some reason approved by the Council before the expiry of that period.

Councillors Jo French's last meeting attendance was the Council Meeting on 6 December 2017, thus her six month period of absence expires on 6 June 2018.

Councillor Jo French's request for an extension is attached.

The filming, photographing and recording of City Council meetings is now permitted by those members of the press and public attending. This includes the use of mobile devices by those using social media. It would be appreciated if anyone who wishes to do this could let the Chairman know before the meeting commences.

However, these provisions will not apply on occasions where the press and public are excluded from the meeting when confidential matters are discussed.

It is requested that discretion is exercised and nothing done to disrupt or distract the meeting in any way. The Chairman will reserve the right to request that filming/recording ceases if it is having a detrimental effect upon the meeting. If you do not wish to be filmed then please let the Chairman know so that alternative arrangements can be made.