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QUESTION TIME

Question 6 – Medical Education Team (MET) facility at Lea Street School, Kidderminster

6. Mrs F M Oborski will ask the relevant Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Transformation and Commissioning:

"Parents and carers of children attending the Medical Education Team facility at Lea Street School Kidderminster have raised concerns with me about the state of the building:

1. In the very hot weather there is no shady outdoor space available for these young people some of whom are emotionally very frail. This means they are forced to remain indoors in stuffy classrooms; and

2. In heavy rain the roof leaks.

"Could the Cabinet Member tell me what steps are being taken to ensure that the facilities provided for the MET are fit for purpose?"

Question 7 – Highways England

7. Mr C J Bloore will ask the Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Economy and Infrastructure:

"In light of the recent comments made by the Police and Crime Commissioner regarding proposed further roadworks to the M5 that will impact Worcestershire residents. Does the leader agree with me, it's time for a formal investigation in partnership with the PCC into the actions of Highways England and their disregard for the health and wellbeing of local residents and the sustainability of local businesses?"

Question 8 – Installation of Broadband – Damage to footways

8. Mr J H Smith will ask the Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Highways:

"Is the Cabinet Member for Highways aware of Virgin Media and their contractors installing Broadband in my Division of Evesham North West and, in particular, the way that they are undertaking the process, by working in the footways and I believe causing irreparable damage to County Council property and generating lots of complaints regarding the workmanship."

Question 9 – Local community facilities

9. Mr R M Udall will ask the relevant Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Communities:

"Will the Cabinet Member for Communities confirm what action is being taken by the County Council to ensure Worcestershire communities deprived of local community facilities are helped and supported?"

Contact Points

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Background Papers

In the opinion of the proper officer (in this case the Head of Legal and Democratic Services) there are no background papers relating to the subject matter of this report.