

COUNCIL
12 NOVEMBER 2020**QUESTION TIME**

Question 1 – Crossing facilities in Kempsey

1. Mr P Middlebrough will ask the Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Highways:

"There is a great deal of concern in Kempsey that the A38 needs more controlled foot crossings along the A38. Will the Cabinet Member undertake a review to identify suitable locations for new crossings to be installed in Kempsey?"

Question 2 – Travel expenses

2. Mr P M McDonald will ask the Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Transformation and Commissioning:

"Would the Cabinet Member with Responsibility please inform me of the cost from travelling expenses so far this year, compared with this time last year?"

Question 3 – The “lane rental” road repair scheme

3. Dr C Hotham will ask the Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Highways:

"The A441 at Bordesley, outside Alvechurch, has had horrendous problems with temporary traffic lights causing asymmetric traffic flow. The provision of “spotters” had little impact as they seem to spend most of their time in the van on their phones. Does the Cabinet Member for Highways agree that the Council's proposed new “lane rental” road repair scheme should also address this costly and frustrating annoyance with sanctions for transgressing operators?"

Question 4 – Help and support for self-employed residents

4. Mr R M Udall will ask the Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Economy and Infrastructure:

"The Government has announced measures to help some of the self-employed during the current lockdown, however, many Worcestershire self-employed residents do not meet the eligibility criteria for support. What help and support can he provide or offer to assist those in Worcestershire who are self-employed during this difficult time?"

Question 5 – Careers advice for 14-18 year olds

5. Mr R C Lunn will ask the Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Communities:

"Can the Cabinet Member with Responsibility explain how the success or otherwise of the Careers advice given to 14-18 year olds in the County is measured?"

Contact Points

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Background Papers

In the opinion of the proper officer (in this case the Assistant Director for Legal and Governance) there are no background papers relating to the subject matter of this report.