

**WRITTEN QUESTIONS FROM COUNCILLORS**

The following questions have been received from Councillors and will be taken as read along with the written answer which will be included in an addendum that will be circulated at the meeting:

**(a) Councillor Miller**

“Will Cllr Moonan endeavour to investigate innovative ways Scandinavian cities such as Copenhagen help rough sleepers into homes, work and a healthier way of life, for example by promoting recycling collection: and will she explore how such methods or best practice parts of them could be transposed to Brighton and Hove in order to help our rough sleepers?”

**Reply from Councillor Moonan – Lead Member for Neighbourhoods, Communities & Equalities**

**(b) Councillor K. Norman**

“World Autism Awareness Week takes place from 27th March to 2nd April 2017 so what plans does the Council have to promote and support this event and what will the Council be doing within schools to use the packs the National Autistic Society has created to raise awareness of autism so that as many people as possible learn and understand autism?”

**Reply from Councillor Bewick – Chair of the Children, Young People & Skills Committee**

**(c) Councillor G. Theobald**

“How can Cllr. Morgan justify launching a petition to Government, on behalf of Brighton & Hove City Council, when he runs a minority Administration and has no authority to do so under the Council’s Constitution?”

**Reply from Councillor Morgan – Leader of the Council**

**(d) Councillor G. Theobald**

“In October 2012, P&R Committee agreed to purchase and install Automatic Meter Reading equipment for water, gas, electricity and heat metered supplies in schools, housing blocks and other corporate property. In the light of recent concerns raised about water leakages on Council-owned allotments, will the Lead Member for Finance & Resources confirm whether or not energy and water usage, and hence running costs, have reduced as a result of the contract?”

**Reply from Councillor Hamilton – Deputy Chair (Finance) of the Policy, Resources & Growth Committee**

**(e) Councillor Cobb**

“How much money has the Council spent on paper and other stationery each year over the last 10 years or as far back as records go?”

**Reply from Councillor Hamilton – Deputy Chair (Finance) of the Policy, Resources & Growth Committee**