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Brighton & Hove City Council

WRITTEN QUESTIONS

A period of not more than fifteen minutes shall be allowed at each ordinary meeting for questions submitted by a member of the public.

The question will be answered without discussion. The person who asked the question may ask one relevant supplementary question, which shall be put and answered without discussion. The person to whom a question, or supplementary question, has been put may decline to answer it.

The following written questions have been received from members of the public.

(1) Hollingbury Park Golf Course

Given the huge public concern about the future of ancient chalk grassland on and around Hollingbury hill fort which is in serious decline, the loss of which is also threatening the archaeology there, what consideration has the council given to addressing these issues within the discussions over the lease of Hollingbury Golf Course?

Chris Todd

(2) Hollingbury Park Golf Course

BHCC signed the Biodiversity Emergency in 2018. What action is it undertaking to start to reverse our wildlife decline before agreeing the reletting of the Hollingbury golf course site, which is a fundamental part of the statutory designated Wild Park Local Nature Reserve?

Jess Price

(3) Waterhall Golf Course

When Waterhall golf course was gifted to the council in the 1920s, was it conditional on the land being used only for golf for the benefit of Brighton and Hove residents, and will the council now make the deeds accessible for public scrutiny?

Bud Evans