

**WRITTEN QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC**

A period of not more than fifteen minutes shall be allowed for questions submitted by a member of the public who either lives or works in the area of the authority at each ordinary meeting of the Council.

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

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

**(a) Ms Vivien Hill**

“Why is the Council considering the inappropriate development of a Downland greenfield site on urban fringe bordering a housing development as a waste recycling facility, instead of using a brownfield site, with no reference in Agenda Item 47, to the detrimental effect on the local community who are united in their opposition to this proposal, both in potential devaluation of their properties, (20% according to local agents,) and the detrimental health and polluting effect of dust, (potentially containing hazardous chemicals, even asbestos,) noise, and necessary implementation of at least another lane in the Sainsbury’s link road?”

**Councillor Fallon-Khan, Cabinet Member for Central Services, will reply.**

**(b) Ms Christina Summers**

“I would like to ask about speed cameras in Brighton & Hove: According to Councillor Theobald (in response to a question last December) “*Speed cameras can only be installed where specific criteria are met and are associated with casualties and excessive speed*”. Please could you tell me whether such criteria are enforceable by law and whether such a law is only applicable locally or has been set by Central Government? If, on the other hand, it is driven by local policy, please could you tell me what that policy is and where I might access it?”

**Councillor G Theobald, Cabinet Member for Environment, will reply.**

