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29 January 2025

To: MEMBERS OF THE PARISH PARTNERSHIP PANEL
(Copies to all Members of the Council)

Dear Sir/Madam

Your attendance is requested at a meeting of the Parish Partnership Panel to be held in the Council Chamber, Gibson Drive, Kings Hill on Thursday, 6th February, 2025 commencing at 7.30 pm.

Members of the Panel should attend in person wherever possible. Those Members of the Panel who cannot attend in person have the opportunity to participate online. Other Members of the Council are encouraged to participate online.

Information on how to observe the meeting will be published on the Council's website.

Yours faithfully

DAMIAN ROBERTS
Chief Executive

A G E N D A

1. Guidance on the Conduct of Meetings 5 - 6

Part 1 - Public

2. Apologies for absence

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| 3. | Notification of Substitute Members | 7 - 8 |
| 4. | Minutes | 9 - 16 |

To confirm as a correct record the Minutes of the meeting of the Parish Partnership Panel held on 21 November 2024.

5. Update on action identified in the last Minutes

Matters raised in Advance of the meeting

Details of the matter to be raised should be provided in writing or by email to committee.services@tmbc.gov.uk at least 10 working days before the meeting. This is so that a response can be provided on the evening of the meeting. Only one question may be submitted by a parish council due to the time limitations.

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| 6. | Update from Kent Police and Crime Commissioner | Verbal Report |
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Kent Police and Crime Commissioner, Mr Matthew Scott, will address the Panel to provide an update on police initiatives.

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| 7. | Update on 'English Devolution White Paper' | Verbal Report |
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The Leader of the Borough Council, Cllr M Boughton and the Chief Executive, Mr D Roberts will provide an update on the Devolution White Paper.

8. Update on Climate Change Initiatives

The Cabinet Member for Climate Change, Regeneration and Property of the Borough Council, Cllr R Betts, will provide an update on Climate Change initiatives.

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| 9. | Any Other Business | 17 - 18 |
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To consider any other issues raised at the meeting. Any answers, actions and/or outcomes may be provided at the next meeting of the Parish Partnership Panel.

(1) Planning Consultation – Role of Parish/Town Councils

(2) Work Programme 2025

The Work Programme setting out matters to be scrutinised during 2025 is attached for information. Parish/town councils can suggest future items by liaising with the Chair of the Panel.

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