NOTICE

OF

MEETING



RURAL FORUM

will meet on

THURSDAY, 9TH MARCH, 2017
At 6.00 pm

in the

COUNCIL CHAMBER - TOWN HALL.

TO: MEMBERS OF THE RURAL FORUM
COUNCILLORS CHRISTINE BATESON (CHAIRMAN), DAVID EVANS (VICE-CHAIRMAN), DAVID COPPINGER, DAVID HILTON, RICHARD KELLAWAY AND COLIN RAYNER

SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

COUNCILLORS GERRY CLARK, DR LILLY EVANS, JESSE GREY, MAUREEN HUNT, JOHN LENTON AND SAYONARA LUXTON

Karen Shepherd - Democratic Services Manager - Issued: Date Not Specified

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<u>AGENDA</u>

<u>PART I</u>

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1.	CHAIRMAN'S INTRODUCTION	
	The Chairman to welcome all to the Rural Forum.	
2.	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE	
	To receive any apologies for absence.	
3.	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	5 - 6
	To receive any declarations of interest.	
4.	MINUTES	7 - 12
	To agree the minutes of the last meeting.	
5.	RURAL CRIME (20 MINS)	
	To receive an update from Thames Valley Police.	
6.	UPDATE FROM THE FARMING COMMUNITY (20 MINS)	
	To receive an update from Mr Nick Philp on issues affecting the farming community.	
7.	AFFORDABLE HOUSING AND THE BOROUGH LOCAL PLAN (20 MINS)	
	To receive an update from Jenifer Jackson, Borough Planning Manager on the Borough Local Plan and Arlene Kersley, Rural Housing Enabler, and Helen Steward, Housing Enabling Officer on Affordable Housing.	
8.	RBWM LAND OWNERSHIP (20 MINS)	
	To receive a presentation by Kevin Mist, on the boroughs land ownership.	
9.	RURAL FARM WALK (10 MINS)	
	Mr Rinder to give information on the Rural Walk, planned for Monday 12 June 2017.	
10.	DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS	
	The dates of the next Rural Forum are :	
	Monday 6 November 2017 at 5.30pm in the Council Chamber, Maidenhead Tuesday 6 March 2018 at 5.30pm in the Guildhall, Windsor	