

**PETITIONS AND DEPUTATIONS
COMMITTEE
TUESDAY, 1ST MARCH, 2016**

A MEETING of the PETITIONS AND DEPUTATIONS COMMITTEE will be held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS, NEWTOWN ST BOSWELLS, TD6 0SA on TUESDAY, 1 MARCH 2016 at 10.00 am

J. J. WILKINSON,
Clerk to the Council,

23 February 2016

BUSINESS		
1.	Apologies for Absence	
2.	Order of Business	
3.	Declarations of Interest	
4.	Minute (Pages 1 - 4) Minute of Meeting of 10 December 2015 to be noted and signed by the Chairman (copy attached)	2 mins
5.	The Petitions Procedure (Pages 5 - 6) Note meeting procedure (copy of extract from the Scottish Borders Council Petitions Procedure attached).	2 mins
6.	Heriot's access to public transport has been considerably worsened by the railway and the subsequent underpass.	30 mins
	(a) Petition Copy attached of petition submission form. The original petition and total list of signatures will be available for inspection prior to and at the meeting.	(Pages 7 - 22)
	(b) Briefing Note by Depute Chief Executive (Place) (Copy attached)	(Pages 23 - 24)
7.	Petition considered inadmissible (Pages 25 - 26) Consider Briefing Note by Clerk to the Council (copy attached).	2 mins
8.	Any Other Items previously circulated	

9.	Any Other Items which the Chairman decides are urgent	

NOTES

- 1. Timings given above are only indicative and not intended to inhibit Members' discussions.**
- 2. Members are reminded that, if they have a pecuniary or non-pecuniary interest in any item of business coming before the meeting, that interest should be declared prior to commencement of discussion on that item. Such declaration will be recorded in the Minute of the meeting.**

Membership of Committee:- Councillors A. J. Nicol (Chairman), S. Bell, D. Parker, D. Paterson, J. Torrance and T. Weatherston

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