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Dear Councillor,

A meeting of the **GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE** will be held in the **Council Chamber at 15 Station Road, Stone**, on **TUESDAY 13 AUGUST 2019** at **7:00pm**.

I trust you will be able to attend.

Les Trigg Town Clerk

<u>AGENDA</u>

- 1. To receive apologies for absence
- 2. Declarations of Interest
- 3. Requests for Dispensations Received
- 4. **HS2 Phase 2a**

To consider whether the Committee wishes to submit a petition to the House of Lords regarding HS2 Phase 2a, and whether it wishes to provide any financial support to Stone Railhead Crisis Group to present the petition on the Council's behalf.

A copy of the draft petition will be circulated to members when available.

5. Exclusion of the Press and Public

To resolve, pursuant to the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act 1960, that the Public and Press be excluded from the meeting whilst the next items of business are discussed on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the debate.

6. **Staffing Matters**

To consider an update from the Town Clerk on staffing issues and any decisions required.

Members of the Public are welcome to attend the General Purposes Committee Meeting as observers.

Persons attending should enter the Council Offices through the rear entrance door (adjacent to the car park). The Council Chamber is at the top of the stairs