

## **QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC**

There are 5 questions from members of the public.

**1. From Mr Byrne to Councillor B Little**

Would the Council consider apologising to the residents of Stanford Le Hope for the ongoing issues at the King Street Car Park and the charges imposed on them and commit to a 100% guarantee of reintroducing free car parking by whatever means necessary?

**2. From Mr Perrin to Councillor Gledhill**

Councillor Gledhill, you are probably aware that there is waiting period before the first payment of "Universal Credit". In some cases this could mean some people are left without any form of income for at least six weeks. Is there anything the Council can do to help them, especially over the Christmas and New Year holiday?

**3. From Mr Fletcher to Councillor Gledhill**

Given the current uncertainty over areas like the Culver and Dilkes sites in Belhus and Ockendon, will Councillor Gledhill please reassure us that the demand for new housing will be balanced with the need for local amenities and recreational space?

**4. From Mr Strange to Councillor Gledhill**

In the light of the recent incursions by travellers on to the public parks in Ockendon. Could the portfolio holder tell me if there are any plans to secure Dilkes Park from any further incursions?

**5. From Mr Akhigbe to Councillor Watkins**

Please let me know how many public remembrance sites are maintained by the Council and how many have not been maintained in the last couple of years. Does the Council have a program of maintenance for these sites?