

**Questions from Members to the Leader, Cabinet Members, Chairs of Committees or Members appointed to represent the Council on a Joint Committee in accordance with Chapter 2, Part 2 (Rule 14) of the Council's Constitution.**

There were no questions to the Leader and five questions to Cabinet Members, Committee Chairs and Member appointed to represent the Council on a Joint Committee.

**QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS TO CABINET MEMBERS, COMMITTEE CHAIRS AND MEMBERS APPOINTED TO REPRESENT THE COUNCIL ON A JOINT COMMITTEE**

**1. From Councillor Potheary to Councillor Johnson**

What is Thurrock Council doing to stop the practice of landlords and letting agencies placing blanket bans on renting to prospective tenants in receipt of housing benefit (known as "No DSS"), after two county court judges ruled this practice amounted to indirect discrimination on the basis of gender and disability under the Equality Act 2010 in July 2020 and September 2020?

**2. From Councillor Potheary to Councillor Mayes**

In December 2020, a coroner ruled that air pollution was a cause of death of a nine year old girl from Lewisham, Ella Kissi Debra, who tragically died in 2013 during an asthma attack. What is Thurrock Council doing in response to this landmark ruling to protect Thurrock residents from toxic air?

**3. From Councillor Shinnick to Councillor Mayes**

Can you please inform me if there are any plans for Thurrock to have Covid 19 Marshals going around the borough?

**4. From Councillor J Kent to Councillor Huelin**

When will the report of the Communications LGA Peer Review, carried out last October, be published?

**5. From Councillor J Kent to Councillor Coxshall**

When does the Portfolio Holder expect planning application 18/01671/FUL, in respect of the land at Arena Essex, to be determined?