

Council

Monday 15 July 2024

Motions with proposed amendments

Topic	Proposer	Seconder	Amendment Proposer	Amendment Seconder
Consultation on Congestion Charge	Cllr Eddies Reeves	TBC	Cllr Rebecca Biegel	TBC

No amendments have been proposed on the following motions:

- Mental Health Initiative
- Spare Seats Scheme
- Member Briefings

The deadline to submit has now passed and no further amendments are now permitted:

Motion Proposer: Councillor Eddie Reeves

Motion Seconder: TBC

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Proposer of Amendment: Councillor Rebecca Biegel

Seconder of Amendment: TBC

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