

**FULL COUNCIL – 17 APRIL 2023 – QUESTIONS TO PORTFOLIO HOLDERS UNDER
STANDING ORDER 22A**

Question 1

From Cllr Malcolm Wade to the Portfolio Holder for Partnering and Wellbeing, Cllr Blunden

The Liberal Democrats in Hythe and Dibden brought in Accredited Community Safety Officers to support the response to community safety issues the Police do not have the resources to deal with. Would this authority work with Town and Parish councillors across the New Forest to bring back a community safety service to the whole District?

Question 2

From Cllr Stephanie Osborne to the Portfolio Holder for Environment and Coastal Services, Cllr Steve Davies

What is the administration doing to address the flooding we are experiencing? Recently, Shore road in Hythe was impassable. The water was so deep it would have entered even a 4x4 car outside the sailing club. Beaulieu was flooded by the river and huge congestion built up as cars could only pass on the kerb side.

Question 3

From Cllr Mark Clark to the Portfolio Holder for Finance, Investment and Corporate Services, Cllr Jeremy Heron

Can the Portfolio Holder for Finance please outline at the close of this administration what key extraordinary debts are outstanding to this authority and the level of any debts outstanding to any other authority in the form of loans from NFDC?

Question 4

From Cllr Caroline Rackham to the Leader of the Council, Cllr Jill Cleary

Would the current administration let us know exactly how they're going to safeguard Dibden Bay from development after allowing it to be included in the freeport area?

Question 5

From Cllr Jack Davies to the Portfolio Holder for Partnering and Wellbeing, Cllr Geoff Blunden

Will any pressure be put on Freedom Leisure by the Council to re-open the sauna and steam room permanently at Lyminster Health and Leisure Centre?