



COUNCIL MEETING

21 September 2023

GATESHEAD METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

AMENDMENT TO NOTICE OF MOTION

ITEM 6Bi –

Councillor J Adams will move the following amendment

Add before first paragraph:

Gateshead Council confirm that a notice of a motion must still be required to be supported by the councillor giving the notice and three other councillors, as outlined in Council Procedure Rule 9.1; and that an amendment to a motion on the Council agenda may be moved if it is supported by two councillors, as outlined in Council Procedure 17.6.

Gateshead Council confirm that a notice of motion must still be communicated to the office of the Chief Executive at least six clear days before the Council meeting at which it is to be considered, as outlined in Council Procedure Rule 9.1; and that an amendment may be moved if it is submitted to the Chief Executive no later than 10am on the day before the Council meeting, as outlined in Council Procedure 17.6. However, the Council recognises the benefits in terms of speed and efficiency of being able to submit motions and amendments to the office of the Chief Executive in a digital format, rather than hard copy.

Delete all after 'to full Council' and replace with:

by digital means, and without the need for a handwritten signature. Any proposed amendment must provide mechanisms to guarantee that any submission is genuinely from an elected member of this council, as proof of identity is an important consideration in this matter.

Proposed by: Councillor J Adams

Supported by: Councillor K Dodds