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Dear Councillor,

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Please find attached the final list of Members' Questions submitted for the above meeting:

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To receive any Members' questions.

Please bring these papers with you to the meeting next Wednesday

MEETING: COUNCIL

VENUE: COUNCIL CHAMBER, WALLFIELDS, HERTFORD

DATE: WEDNESDAY 18 OCTOBER 2023

TIME : 7.00 PM

Agenda Item 8

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MEMBERS' QUESTIONS

Question 1	Cllr George Williams to ask Cllr Vicky
	Glover-Ward, the Executive Member for
	Planning and Growth

Given the protections for nesting birds under the wildlife and countryside act, do the council and its providers have a responsibility and the powers to postpone or decline planning applications for non-urgent roofing works in known swift nesting sites?

Question 2	Cllr Diane Hollebon to ask Cllr Vicky
	Glover-Ward, the Executive Member for
	Planning and Growth

Can the Executive Member for Planning and Growth confirm to me that she is aware that the proposed community centre in the St James's Park development, Bishop's Stortford South, is being offered on a 100-year lease hold basis when it's being funded by section 106 funds and should therefore be a community asset in perpetuity. Who allowed this and why?

Question 3	Cllr Joe Thomas to ask Cllr Sarah
	Hopewell, the Executive Member for
	Wellbeing

What steps are East Herts District Council taking to mitigate the risk of injury from lightning strikes in our facilities and open spaces?