

**COUNCIL MEETING – 29 JANUARY 2020  
ITEM 11 – MEMBERS’ QUESTION TIME**

**The following question has been submitted by Councillor Steve Walmsley for response by the Leader of the Council:-**

“Political pundits agree that the result of the General Election was largely determined by people who felt that they weren’t being listened to.

Does the Leader of the Council agree that arrogant disregard of genuine public opinion in any form or over any matter – e.g. consultation, referenda - is an affront to the spirit of democracy?”