## QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

There are 2 questions from members of the public.

## 1. From Mr Perrin to Councillor J. Kent

"Were you or any Member aware that on 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 1915 H.M.S. Clan McNaughton sank whilst patrolling in the North Atlantic resulting in the loss of 280 men and boys, there were no survivors? Thirty six of those who died were residents of Thurrock. Would it not be right and fitting if Members paid tribute to the gallantry of all those from Thurrock, on-going until November, 2018?"

## 2. From Mrs McPherson to Councillor J. Kent

"Can the Leader advise what 'outside the box' ideas are being considered for the library service in order to keep present and future library provision at the highest quality possible to sustain lifelong learning, improve language skills and provide access for the arts, rather than taking the easy solution of closing libraries when library provision is invaluable to the local community."