

From: [Cllr \(Lib\) Stephens, Steven \(Luton\)](#)
To: [Luton Airport](#)
Subject: OPEN FLOOR HEARING 3 (OFH3) and ISSUE SPECIFIC HEARING 8 (ISH8)
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Dear Sir / Madam,

Further to my email of 30/11/23, in which I forwarded the motion that presented to Full Council which was supported by all councillors. I now attach the relevant minute from the Full Council minutes which was requested by your team.

I will still try and obtain for you the relevant section covering the debate from the video recording of the Full Council on Nov 14th

Kind regards

Cllr (Lib) Stephens, Steven (Luton)

From: Janes, Debbie [REDACTED]
Sent: 01 December 2023 15:47
To: Cllr (Lib) Stephens, Steven (Luton) [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Link to Council meeting livestream - Airport Motion

Hi Councillor Stephens,

Here is the draft minute extract; please note that the Minute number is provisional at this stage.

Kind regards

Debbie

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From: Cllr (Lib) Stephens, Steven (Luton) [REDACTED]
Sent: 01 December 2023 10:37
To: Janes, Debbie [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: Link to Council meeting livestream - Airport Motion

Dear Debbie,

Thank you so much for your quick response.

Have a great day.

Kind regards

Cllr (Lib) Stephens, Steven (Luton)

From: Janes, Debbie [REDACTED]
Sent: 01 December 2023 10:34
To: Cllr (Lib) Stephens, Steven (Luton) [REDACTED]
Subject: Link to Council meeting livestream - Airport Motion

Hi Councillor Stephens,

Here is the link to the 14 November Council meeting. The livestream link is towards the top of the page, just beneath the 'meeting summary' information box:

<https://democracy.luton.gov.uk/cmIS5public/Meetings/tabid/70/ctl/ViewMeetingPublic/mid/397/Meeting/6318/Committee/1114/Default.aspx>

Hope that works for you? We will aim to get the extract of the minutes to you today.

Kind regards

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109 Notice of Motion (Ref 12.2)

(a) It was proposed by Councillor Stephens, seconded by Councillor Wynn and unanimously:

Resolved:

This Council:

Recognises the vital role that London Luton Airport plays in the provision of income, charitable and community funding and jobs for the residents of Luton.

Understands that appropriate and proportionate expansion of the airport will help to increase, both income and the availability of jobs for the Town's population.

Equally recognises that more stringent measures are urgently needed to reduce the impact of noise pollution and worsening air quality that the airport, surface access traffic, and associated airline companies cause to Luton residents in general, and in particular, to those living in South, Wigmore, Stopsley, Vauxhall, Round Green and Central Wards.

Therefore requests, the Chief Executive, together with other relevant Council Officers, to initiate discussions with London Luton Airport Ltd (Luton Rising), London Luton Airport Operations Ltd and the Civil Aviation Authority to seek solutions to reduce the effects of detrimental pollutants and noise blight for the residents.

Consideration in these discussions should be given to the possibility of:

- Moving the western flight paths further to the South
- Setting a firm deadline for airlines to replace older, noisier aircraft with more modern less noisy planes
- Placing more permanent noise monitors nearer to the populated areas of Luton, being mindful that readings from monitors currently located in residents' gardens cannot be used to take legal action against airlines found to be in breach of statutory and locally imposed noise and pollution targets.

[Note: Councillors Hanif, Javeria Hussain, Isles, Miller, Nicholls and James Taylor declared a prejudicial interest in the above item (12.2) due to being Directors of Luton Rising and the Service Director LLAL and Monitoring Officer left the room during consideration of the item.]