

RTW TOWN FORUM - AGENDA Item 9 – Thursday 22 March 2007

**THE FUTURE OF THE HABITAT PREMISES**  
(Mount Pleasant Road / York Road)

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Matt Goodwin  
Chair, Royal Tunbridge Wells Town Forum

21 December 2006

Dear Matt

Thank you for your recent letter concerning the Town Forum's Resolution on the future of the Habitat premises.

You may well know that Rob Cottrill has been monitoring developments closely and he tells me that there has been active commercial interest in taking over the Habitat Lease, with the expectation that this will result in a new tenant.

Hence, it currently seems most unlikely that the owners will be putting the Lease on the market, which in turn would seem to preclude the realisation of the Town Forum's Resolution.

With best wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

Yours,

Melvyn Howell  
Leader of the Council