



MEETING OF THE NELSON COMMITTEE

(Members: Councillors George Adam, Nadeem Ahmed, Mohammed Ammer, Eileen Ansar, Wayne Blackburn, Tommy Cooney, Julie Henderson, Mohammed Iqbal, Asjad Mahmood, Brian Parker, Mohammad Sakib, Kathleen Shore, David Whalley, Sheila Wicks and Nadeem Younis)

TO BE HELD ON
MONDAY 9TH JANUARY, 2017
AT 7.00 P.M.

IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER AT NELSON TOWN HALL

The meeting will commence with **PUBLIC QUESTION TIME**. Members of the public are invited to attend and ask questions of the Committee.

Members of the public may also speak on any agenda item in which they have a direct interest. Petitions may also be presented.

If the item is a planning application then you must make your request **in writing or by telephone by 12 noon on the day of the meeting**.

For other items you should try to make your request in **writing or by telephone by 12 noon on the day of the meeting**. If you are unable to do this the Chairman may still allow you to speak if you turn up at the meeting.

For further information and to make a request to speak please contact
Sarah Waterworth tel: 01282 661654

If you would like this information in a way which is better for you, please telephone us.



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آپ کے لئے زیادہ مفید ہو تو براہ مہربانی ہمیں بتائیے۔

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AGENDA

1. Declaration of Interests

Members are reminded of the legal requirements concerning the declaration of interests.

A Member must declare a disclosable pecuniary interest which he/she has in any item on the agenda. A Member with a disclosable pecuniary interest in any item may not participate in any discussion of the matter at the meeting and must not participate in any vote taken on the matter at the meeting.

In addition the Council's Standing Orders require a Member with a disclosable pecuniary interest to leave the room where the meeting is held while any discussion or voting takes place.

2. Public Question Time

To receive, for a maximum of 15 minutes, questions from members of the public on issues which do not appear on the agenda.

3. Minutes

Enc. To approve or otherwise, the Minutes of the meeting held on 7th November, 2016.

4. Progress Report

Enc. The attached progress report on action arising from the last meeting is attached for information.

5. Police and Community Safety Issues

A Police representative has been invited to the meeting to discuss issues relevant to Nelson.

EXECUTIVE ISSUES

PLANNING MATTERS

6. Planning Applications

(a) Applications to be determined

Enc. The Planning and Building Control Manager submits the attached report of the planning applications to be determined.

| Application No. | Proposal and Location | Recommendation | Page No. |
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| 16/0721/ADV | Advert Consent: Erection of 2 illuminated fascia signs and 1 illuminated projecting sign (retrospective | Refuse | 2 |

at 68-70 Manchester Road, Nelson.

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| 16/0731/OUT | Outline: Major; residential development up to 21 dwelling houses (0.46ha) access only at land at Coleman Street, Nelson. | Refuse | 5 |
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(b) Planning Appeals

The Planning, Building Control and Licensing Services Manager reports, for information, that there are no new appeals or appeal decisions and one outstanding appeal:-

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| 16/0396/FUL | Appeal against refusal of planning permission for existing retail (A1) unit at ground floor level to create retail unit and cafe/restaurant (A3), with alterations to shop front and installation of flue to rear roof slope at 115 Manchester Road, Nelson, BB9 7HB. | Sub-division of |
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FINANCIAL MATTERS

7. Capital Programme 2016/17

The Engineering and Special Projects Manager reports that the current balance for the Committee's Capital Programme for 2016/17 is £14,275

Enc. New bid attached for 'Improvements to Back Streets'

A full report will be submitted to the next meeting.

8. General Fund revenue Budget 2017/18

Enc. The Financial Services Manager submits the attached report asking the Committee to consider its base budget for 2017/18, identify any options for budget reductions and pass on any comments to the Executive.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS

9. Former Taxi Rank, Sagar Street, Nelson

Enc. The Strategic Director submits the attached report which asks members to determine if the taxi rank can be revoked in view of the objections to the notice.

10. Public Spaces Protection Orders: Alley Gates

Enc. The Neighbourhood Services Manager submits the attached report regarding a statutory consultation on proposals to maintain the closure of footways by alley gate schemes.

11. Parks Update

Enc. The Neighbourhood Services Manager submits the attached report on parks in Pendle for information

12. Environmental Blight

Enc. The Neighbourhood Services Manager submits the attached report on environmental blight sites in Nelson.

13. Overview and Scrutiny Work Programme 2017/18

The Scrutiny Management Team is seeking suggestions for topics for scrutiny for the next municipal year.

The Scrutiny Team offers a genuine channel of communication with Pendle people providing an excellent opportunity for public engagement. This is reflected in a large proportion of its work which is prompted or informed by local people.

The Committee is invited to submit suggestions for topics which it would like to see the Scrutiny Team have an impact on next year. The new programme will be the focus of a work planning workshop in March and suggestions are therefore invited by the end of February.

14. Items for Discussion

- (a) Rear Albert Street/ Mosley street (Cllr N Ahmed)
- (b) Condition of footpath outside 3B systems, Every Street (Cllr N Ahmed)
- (c) Metal Sheet Works, St Marys Street

15. Outstanding Items

- (a) Condition of back West Street