



# MEETING OF THE WEST CRAVEN COMMITTEE

(Members: Councillors David Whipp (Chairman), Marjorie Adams, Rosemary Carroll, Colin Carter, Mike Goulthorp, Kenneth Hartley, Jayne Mills, Jennifer Purcell, and Tom Whipp)

TO BE HELD ON

TUESDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> MARCH, 2020

AT 6.45 P.M.

**AT THE RAINHALL CENTRE, BARNOLDSWICK**

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  
**Joanne Eccles on tel: 661654**

**PHILIP MOUSDALE, CORPORATE DIRECTOR**

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 کریں۔

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## AGENDA

### PART I – OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

#### 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 4<sup>th</sup> February, 2020.

#### 4. Police and Community Safety Issues

The Police have been invited to the meeting to discuss the crime statistics for February which will be circulated prior to the meeting. There will also be an opportunity for members of the public to raise police and community safety issues. **TO FOLLOW**

### PLANNING MATTERS

#### 5. Planning applications

##### (a) Planning Applications for Determination

**Enc.** The Planning, Economic Development and Regulatory Services Manager submits the attached report on the following planning application for determination –

Application No.	Proposal and Location	Recommendation	Page No.
19/0692/FUL	Full: Erection of a two-storey dwelling at land to the rear of 21-25 Duxbury Street, Earby	Approve	2

##### (b) Planning Appeals

**Enc.** The Planning, Economic Development and Regulatory Services Manager submits the attached report on outstanding planning appeals.

6. Enforcement Action

**Enc.** The Head of Legal Services submits the attached report giving the up-to-date position on prosecutions for information.

## **FINANCIAL MATTERS**

7. Capital Programme 2019/20

The Housing, Health and Engineering Services Manager reports that the balance for the Committee's Capital Programme for 2019/20 is £4,334:

- Barnoldswick balance: £440
- Earby balance: £3,894

**Enc.** Attached are the following bids for consideration –

- Earby Town Council £2,500 - resurfacing & new drainage at Birley Playing Fields Car Park
- Barnoldswick Town Football Club £1,000 – improvements to pitch

## **HIGHWAYS ISSUES**

8. Traffic Liaison Meeting

**Enc.** The minutes of the Traffic Liaison Meeting held on 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 are attached for information.

## **MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS**

9. Problem sites

**Enc.** The Planning, Building Control and Licensing Services Manager submits the attached report on problem sites in the West Craven area.

10. Uniroyal Global

A meeting of the Uniroyal Global/Residents Working Group took place on 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. It was confirmed that all the lines are now going through the thermal oxidiser (RTO), resulting in the stack no longer being in use. A number of sections of the stack are to be removed in the summertime. At that point both the Uniroyal Global and the residents intend to do a joint press release and have a celebration. The cooling towers are no longer in use. The residents reported that, in general, there are now no problems with noise, odour or deposits.

11. Vacant Commercial properties

The Economic Development Team is in the process of arranging meetings with some of the owners of vacant properties in the Town Centre. An update will be provided to a future meeting.

12. Items for Discussion

- To consider an update on the Barnoldswick Town Square improvement programme;
- To consider the impact of recent storms in West Craven.

The Committee is asked to consider if it would like reports on these items to come to a future meeting.

13. Exclusion of the Public and Press

To consider excluding the public and press from the meeting during the next following items of business in pursuance of the power contained in Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act, 1972 as amended when it is likely, in view of the nature of the proceedings or the business to be transacted, that there will be disclosure of exempt information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual.

**PART II – EXEMPT ITEMS**

14. Outstanding Enforcements

**Enc.** The Planning, Economic Development and Regulatory Services Manager submits the attached report on outstanding enforcements in West Craven.