

MEETING OF THE

POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE

(Members: Councillors Nadeem Ahmed, Musawar Arshad, David Clegg, Sarah Cockburn-Price, Tommy Cooney, Mike Goulthorp, Julie Henderson, Mohammed Iqbal, Yasser Iqbal, Asjad Mahmood, Brian Newman, Jonathan Nixon and David Whipp)

TO BE HELD ON

THURSDAY 17th SEPTEMBER, 2020

AT 7.00 p.m.

The meeting is being held remotely and will be live streamed on the Council's <u>Youtube Channel</u>

Members of the public may speak on any agenda item in which they have a direct interest.	All requests to speak must be made in writing or by telephone by 12 noon the day before the meeting.

Members of the public that have made a request to speak will be invited to join the meeting either by video or telephone conference or can make a submission in writing which will be shared with the Committee.

For further information and to make a request to speak please contact Jane Watson on 01282 661648 or 07808 200992

PHILIP MOUSDALE, CORPORATE DIRECTOR

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AGENDA

1. <u>Declarations of Interest</u>

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 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. <u>Public Question Time</u>

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

- 3. <u>Minutes</u>
- **Enc.** To approve, or otherwise, the minutes of the Special Budget Policy and Resources Committee meeting held on 20th August, 2020.
- 4. <u>Planning Applications</u>

(a) 19/0620/FUL Full: Major: Erection of 12 semi-detached dwellings and associated hardstanding and landscaping on land to the west of the playing fields, Bailey Street, Earby for PEARL Together Ltd.

At a meeting of the West Craven Committee on 4th February, 2020 the decision to refuse this application was referred as a recommendation to this Committee as this decision would lead to a significant risk of costs being awarded against the Council in the event of an appeal.

A decision was deferred at the July meeting to enable an outstanding site visit to be carried out.

Enc. To consider the attached report from the Planning, Economic Development and Regulatory Services Manager.

(b) 20/0369/FUL Full: Change of use of a social club (sui generis) to retail (Use Class A1) at the Palatine Working Men's Club, Norfolk Street, Nelson for Mr. Muhammad Iqbal

At a meeting of Nelson Committee on 7th September, 2020 the decision to approve this application was referred as a recommendation to this Committee as this decision was a significant departure from policy.

Enc. To consider the attached report from the Planning, Economic Development and Regulatory Services Manager.

- 5. Treasury Management Outturn 2019/20
- **Enc.** To consider the attached report from the Financial Services Manager.
- 6. Business Recovery Plan
- **Enc.** To consider the attached report from the Corporate Director.
- 7. <u>Tackling Contamination in Recycling Bins</u>
- **Enc.** To consider the attached report from the Environmental Services Manager.
- 8. Changes to the Planning System

To consider the attached report from the Planning, Economic Development and Regulatory Services Manager. **TO FOLLOW**

9. <u>Tree Planting on Council Owned Land</u>

To consider the attached report from the Planning, Economic Development and Regulatory Services Manager. **TO FOLLOW**

- 10. Land adj., 1 Kirby Road, Lomeshaye Industrial Estate, Nelson
- **Enc.** To consider the attached report from the Chief Executive.
- 11. <u>Annual Emissions</u>
- **Enc.** To consider the attached report from the Chief Executive.
- 12. <u>Tenders</u>
- **Enc.** To consider the attached report from the Corporate Director.
- 13. <u>Matters Referred from Area Committees</u>

(a) Redundancies at local companies

At a meeting of the West Craven Committee on 8th September, 2020 it was noted that over the past few weeks more than 1,000 redundancies had been announced in the West Craven area alone. Most of these were very well paid skilled jobs. It was resolved "that this issue be referred to the Policy and Resources Committee to see if anything could be done to combat this huge impact on the local economy."