





## 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 5<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 2021

AT 7.00 P.M.

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item in which they have a direct interest.	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.			

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For further information and to make a request to speak please contact Joanne Eccles tel: 01282 661654 joanne.eccles@pendle.gov.uk

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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 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2020.

## 4. Police and Community Safety Issues

The Police have been invited to the meeting to discuss the crime statistics for December, which will be circulated as soon as they are available. There will also be an opportunity for members of the public to raise police and community safety issues.

## **PLANNING MATTERS**

## 5. Planning applications

## (a) Planning applications for decision

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

Application No.	Proposal and Location	Recommendation	Page No.
20/0550/REM	Reserved Matters: Major: Erection of 10 No. dwelling houses (Appearance, Landscaping, Layout and Scale) of Outline Permission 17/0001/OUT at Land to the west of Birtwistle Court, Kelbrook Road, Barnoldswick	Approve	2

## (b) Appeals

The Planning, Economic Development and Regulatory Services Manager reports that there are no outstanding planning appeals.

## 6. <u>Enforcement Action</u>

**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 2020/21

The Housing, Health and Engineering Manager reports that the current balance for the Committee's Capital Programme for 2020/2021 is: £6,329

Barnoldswick balance: £500

• Earby balance: £5,829

Following the question raised at the last meeting, we can confirm that the Mill Race improvement works have been completed to schedule. However, tests are ongoing on an alternative solution to the installation of a new screen (cage). Whist tests are ongoing the old screen will remain in situ. Should the current solution work effectively, there will be no need for a new screen. This will be monitored over the next few weeks. We will not deallocate the anticipated underspend of £280 until we are certain that a new screen is not required.

**Enc.** Members are asked to consider the attached bid from Kelbrook & Sough Village Hall seeking £1,200 to extend the existing fire alarm into the older parts of the Hall.

#### **MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS**

8. Re-opening of Barnoldswick and Earby Town Centres

An update will be given by the Chairman.

- 9. <u>Environmental Blight</u>
- **Enc.** The Housing, Health and Engineering Services Manager submits the attached report on environmental blight sites in West Craven.
- 10. Bus Services in the West Craven area
- **Enc.** The Housing, Health and Engineering Services Manager submits the attached report with an update on comments from Transdev and Lancashire County Council on late and cancelled bus services for the West Craven area.
- 11. Residents-only parking, Park View Terrace, Salterforth
- **Enc.** The Housing, Health and Engineering Services Manager submits the attached report following a traffic survey to see if it this would further support the introduction of residents-only parking scheme on Park View Terrace.

## 12. Residents only parking, Long Ing Lane, Barnoldswick

**Enc.** The Housing, Health and Engineering Services Manager submits the attached report following a traffic survey to see if it this would further support the introduction of residents-only parking scheme on Long Ing Lane.

## 13. Items for Discussion

The Chairman has indicated he would like the Committee to discuss the following issues –

- Rollout of fibre to the property broadband in West Craven.
- To give further consideration to tree planting, with a view to consenting to the use of Woodland Trust whips being planted on Council land.

## 14. Outstanding Items

(a) Impact of large scale redundancies on local economy (03.09.2020)

## 15. 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**

## 16. <u>Outstanding Enforcements</u>

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

## 17. Problem Sites

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