

MEETING OF THE BARROWFORD & WESTERN PARISHES COMMITTEE

Members: Councillors Nadeem Ahmed, David Gallear, Brian Newman and Martyn Stone

TO BE HELD ON
WEDNESDAY 5TH FEBRUARY, 2025
AT 7.00 P.M.

AT HOLMEFIELD HOUSE, BARROWFORD

The meeting will commence with PUBLIC QUESTION TIME . Members of the public are invited to attend and ask questions of the Committee.	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 .
Members of the public may also speak on any agenda item in which they have a direct interest. Petitions may also be presented.	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.

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

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A G E N D A

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 8th January, 2025.

4. Police Matters and Community Safety Issues

An opportunity to discuss any police matters and community safety issues.

PLANNING MATTERS

5. Planning Applications

Planning appeals

Enc. The Assistant Director Planning, Building Control and Regulatory Services submits, for information, the attached report on planning appeals.

6. Enforcement Action

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

FINANCIAL MATTERS

7. Area Committee Budget 2024/25

Enc. The Head of Housing and Environmental Health submits the attached report which advises Members on the Committee's 2024/25 Budget.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

8. Provision of Litter/Dog Waste Bins and Substation Sites

(a) New Bins

No new bins have been erected during Quarter 3 for the period 1st October, 2024 to 31st December, 2024.

(b) Replaced/Removed Bins

The Assistant Director Operational Services advises that due to wear, damage or a reduced need for the facility, two bins have been replaced / removed by Operational Services in Quarter 3 for the period 1st October, 2024 to 31st December, 2024, as follows:

LOCATION	DESCRIPTION	TYPE OF BIN	COST PER BIN
Cross Lane, Barley	Replace missing dog bin at passing place, just coming down into Barley village on left	DOG	£165.68
Spenbrook Road, Newchurch	Replace dog bin and post	DOG	£165.68

(c) Substation Sites

Members of the Committee are encouraged to report if there are any substations within their area that may need tidying up. Members are asked to provide location details of any substations that are causing a problem with litter and/or fly tipping to Operational Services.

9. Flooding Issues/Risks

To receive the following updates on drainage/flooding issues raised at previous meetings.

Drainage Issues Outside Bay Horse Pub, Roughlee

United Utilities have accepted that there is a problem within the area and are going to re-line the drain outside the Bay Horse Pub, Roughlee. They have identified a fault near the substation further downstream, which they will fix. They have also installed new monitors in the area so they can better track what is happening, and they are trying to identify illegal connections. Works are still ongoing, and further updates will be provided.

Flooding Issue on Harpers Lane, Fence

This issue was reported to Lancashire County Council (LCC) via the Love Clean Streets website. LCC have since advised that, following assessment by their Inspector, works have been programmed to be undertaken.

Flooding Issue on Wheatley Lane Road, Fence

This issue was reported to Lancashire County Council (LCC) via the Love Clean Streets website. LCC have since advised that, following assessment by their Inspector, works have been programmed to be undertaken.

10. Item for Discussion

It has been requested that the following item is discussed –

(a) Decision by ELHT to scrap the free hospital bus shuttle

The Committee is asked to consider whether it would like a report to come to a future meeting or where applicable, the matter be referred elsewhere.

11. Exclusion of Public and Press

To consider excluding the public and press from the meeting during the next following item 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 ITEM

12. Environmental Crime – Quarter 3

Enc. To consider the attached report from the Assistant Director Operational Services.