

Report Title	Progress Report – For Information
Meeting	Colne and District Committee
Meeting Date	9 th July 2026
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Directorate	Resources – Legal and Democratic Services
Lead Executive Member(s)	Corporate and Human Resources
Wards Affected	Boulsworth and Foulridge, Vivary Bridge, Waterside and Horsfield
Public. Part Exempt, or Fully Exempt	Public
Appendices (if any)	None

1. Executive Summary

- 1.1 To report, for information, progress on action arising from Colne and District Committee on 11th June 2026.

1.	<p><u>Planning applications</u></p> <p>25/0569/FUL Full (Major): Erection of 11 no. dwellings with altered vehicular access and parking at land off Laithe Street, Colne Delegated authority to grant consent</p> <p>26/0131/FUL Full: Replacement of existing perimeter fencing and gates at Primet Primary School, Tatton Street, Colne Refused</p>	<p>Decision Notice to be issued.</p> <p>Decision Notice issued.</p>
2.	<p><u>Planning Reforms – Determination of Planning Applications and Changes to the Scheme of Delegation</u></p> <p>RECOMMENDATION</p> <p>That the Executive be asked to support this Committee in its view on the proposed planning reforms and asks that a formal objection be submitted to the Prime Minister.</p>	<p>The Executive noted the views of the Committee and advise that the matter will be considered under a Notice on Motion at Full Council on 16th July, 2026.</p>

3.	<p><u>Area Committee Budget 2026/27</u></p> <p>RESOLVED</p> <p>That –</p> <p>(1) Trawden Man Shed be awarded £250 to support the expansion of services;</p> <p>(2) further to this Committee agreeing the use of £10,000 from the Committee’s allocation of the Legacy Fund to create ten funds of £1,000 each, Trawden Man Shed be encouraged to apply to the Legacy Fund for a further £1,000;</p> <p>(3) £1,000 be allocated to Colne Dramatic Society for stage surround improvements and installation of visual aids at The Little Theatre, Colne.</p>	<p>Noted and actioned accordingly. Awaiting clarification on the administration of the Legacy Fund.</p>
4.	<p><u>Representatives on Outside Bodies</u></p> <p>RESOLVED</p> <p>That the following nominations onto outside bodies be agreed –</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trawden and District Agricultural Society - Councillor Sarah Cockburn-Price • Colne Business Improvement District - Councillor Sarah Cockburn-Price 	<p>Organisations notified.</p>
5.	<p><u>Outstanding Items</u></p> <p>(a) Land to the rear of Red Lane, Colne (b) Greenfield Road, Colne</p> <p>(At this point of the meeting, following an announcement from Roger Bucknell that he was stepping down from his role as the Laneshaw Bridge Parish Council co-optee on the Committee, Members gave a vote of thanks for his contribution to the work of Colne and District Committee over many years.)</p>	<p>To be considered at a future meeting.</p> <p>A letter of thanks sent to Roger Bucknell.</p>