Pendle Borough Council

PENDLE LOCAL DEMOCRACY AT WORK

MEETING OF THE

NELSON, BRIERFIELD & REEDLEY COMMITTEE

(Members: Councillors Mohammed Adnan, Faraz Ahmad, Sajjad Ahmed (Chair), Zafar Ali, Mohammad Ammer, Naeem Ashraf, Mohammad Aslam, Riaz Bashir, Mohammad Hanif, Mohammed Iqbal, Yasser Iqbal, Asjad Mahmood, Mohammed Sakib and Yvonne Tennant)

TO BE HELD ON

MONDAY 30th NOVEMBER 2026
AT 6.30 P.M.

IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER AT NELSON TOWN HALL

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The meeting will commence with Public Question Time. Members of the public may ask questions, present petitions or speak on agenda items in which they have a direct interest. Requests to speak should be made by 12 noon on the day of the meeting.

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اردو

اگر آپ یہ معلومات کسی ایسی شکل میں چاہتے ہیں، جو کہ آپ کے لئے زیادہ مُفید ہو تو برائے مہربانی ہمیں ٹیلیفون کریں۔

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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.

Members' attention is also drawn to the requirements of the Council's Code of Conduct relating to the disclosure of Other Registrable Interests and Non-Registrable Interests.

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 2nd November 2026.

4. Progress report

Enc. A progress report on action arising from the last meeting of Nelson, Brierfield & Reedley Committee is attached for information.

5. Police Matters and Community Safety Issues

Enc. The Police have been invited to the meeting to discuss the latest crime statistics for November. ***(To follow).*** There is also the opportunity to discuss any police matters and community safety issues.

FINANCIAL MATTERS

6. Area Committee Budgets

(a) Area Committee Budget

Enc. The Head of Legal and Democratic Services submits the attached report on the area committee budget for 2026/27 which has all been committed.

Enc. **(b) Legacy Fund**

The Legal Services Manager reports that the uncommitted amount of the Committee's Legacy Fund is £99,690.

The following bids have been received for consideration by the committee:

Bid £8,500 – Victoria Park Pavilion CI – Community Room

Bid £1000 – The Impact Hub – Women's Indoor Tennis

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

7. Enforcement Action

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

8. Enforcement Policy – NPPF Changes to intentional developments

Enc. The general guide to enforcement that the Council has had in place needs updating in light of changes in the National Planning Policy Framework. The Committee are asked for comments and views on the draft Enforcement Plan before it is consulted on and taken forward for formal adoption.

9. Resilience Services for residents

Enc. The Head of Policy and Partnerships submits the attached report on the help available for residents in their community. ***(To follow).***

10. Provision of Litter/Dog Waste Bins

£82.68 was brought forward from 2025/26.

£1,500 bid agreed and allocated at the 6th July 2026 Area Committee meeting.

£1,582.68 total budget from 6th July.

3 litter bins were newly installed during the quarter costing a total spend of £735.54, leaving a balance of **£847.14.**

LOCATION	TOWN	DESCRIPTION	BIN TYPE	NO.	TOTAL £
Stanley Street	Brierfield	INSTALLED NEW FREE STANDING LITTER BIN - 3567	LITTER	1	£ 302.26
Tunstill Square	Brierfield	INSTALLED 40L LITTER BIN AT THE CAR PARK - 3566	LITTER	1	£ 216.64
Holme Street	Nelson	INSTALLED NEW 40L LITTER BIN AT THE HOLME STREET CAR PARK - 3568	LITTER	1	£ 216.64
TOTAL					**£ 735.54**

Members are advised that due to wear, damage or reduced need for the facility, **4** litter bins have been replaced/removed/repaired during the quarter.

LOCATION	TOWN	DESCRIPTION	BIN	NO.	TOTAL £

			TYPE		
Quarry Hill Nature Reserve	Nelson	REPLACED THE DAMAGED POST FOR 2 DOG BINS 455 & 3564	DOG	2	£ 100.00
Branch Street	Nelson	REPLACED THE DAMAGED POST AND REMOUNTED THE DOG BIN	DOG	1	£ 50.00
Walton Lane	Nelson	REPLACED MISSING F/S LITTER BIN 3564	LITTER	1	£ 294.45
TOTAL					**£444.45**

11. Outstanding Items

The following items have been requested by the Committee. A report/update will be submitted to a future meeting.

- 9 Parsonage Drive, Brierfield (07.09.2026)

12. 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

13. Environmental Crime

Enc. The Assistant Director Operational Services submits the attached report on environmental crime in Nelson, Brierfield & Reedley.