

COUNCIL

TUESDAY, 14TH APRIL 2015, 6.30 PM COUNCIL CHAMBER, TOWN HALL, CHORLEY

I am now able to enclose, for consideration at the above meeting of the Council, the following information which was not available when the agenda was published.

Agenda No Item

10 TO CONSIDER A NOTICE OF MOTION GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 10

The following notice of motion has been submitted by Councillor Alistair Bradley:

"Chorley Council congratulates Lancashire County Council on achieving an allocation of 92% of first choice Secondary School places for the 2015 intake on the initial applications and note that it is hoped that this figure will probably rise further as the process concludes.

This compares well with the Lancashire average of 87%, and is despite the legacy left to the new Labour led administration by the former Conservative Leadership, who patently have failed to forward plan for increasing student numbers in our area.

We are also concerned as to the forthcoming allocation of Primary places due to be released shortly. It is also even more surprising that the Conservative parliamentary candidate appears to be attempting to make short term political capital out of his colleagues failure to adequately plan for the well documented increase in Chorley's population, and can only assume that this is a direct criticism of the former Executive Member for Young People Services at LCC.

The Council therefore will write to LCC to highlight ongoing public concern around the allocation of local school places and to encourage a cross party support of their attempts to deal with the difficult situation inherited from the Conservative former leadership".

GARY HALL CHIEF EXECUTIVE

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