

COUNCIL

TUESDAY, 21ST JULY 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 reports that were unavailable when the agenda was published.

Agenda No Item

18 **TO CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING NOTICE OF MOTION GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 10**

A second Notice of Motion has been submitted by Councillor Greg Morgan

Chorley Borough Council is concerned at the failure of Lancashire County Council to provide appropriate support to the Fleet Street Extra care Scheme.

The report that was presented to Council on 19th may outlined the care scheme proposal and recommended that approval in principle be given to Option 3 of the scheme which had been subject to the development of a full business case. Funding for the scheme was to come from CBC, LCC and the Homes and Communities Agency and all 3 partners were aware of, and briefed on, the scheme. Given the obvious benefits that the scheme held for the residents of Chorley it carried the full support of all councillors.

Subsequently LCC has withdrawn their specific funding commitment and are currently unwilling to place a figure on whatever support they may eventually choose to offer. This withdrawal obliged CBC to submit a bid to the HCA containing finance proposals that they find unattractive, thus jeopardising the entire scheme.

The Council will therefore write to the LCC requesting urgent clarification of their position together with a firm commitment to the provision of the funds that had previously been agreed in principle.

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CHIEF EXECUTIVE

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