

GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE

THURSDAY, 15TH JUNE 2017, 6.30 PM
COMMITTEE ROOM, TOWN HALL, CHORLEY

AGENDA

APOLOGIES

1 DECLARATIONS OF ANY INTERESTS

Members are reminded of their responsibility to declare any pecuniary interest in respect of matters contained in this agenda.

If you have a pecuniary interest you must withdraw from the meeting. Normally you should leave the room before the business starts to be discussed. You do, however, have the same right to speak as a member of the public and may remain in the room to enable you to exercise that right and then leave immediately. In either case you must not seek to improperly influence a decision on the matter.

2 MINUTES OF MEETING MONDAY, 24TH MAY 2010 OF GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE

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3 EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS

To consider the exclusion of the press and public for the following items of business on the ground that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972.

By Virtue of Paragraph 3: Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)
Condition:

Information is not exempt if it is required to be registered under-

The Companies Act 1985

The Friendly Societies Act 1974

The Friendly Societies Act 1992

The Industrial and Provident Societies Acts 1965 to 1978

The Building Societies Act 1986 (recorded in the public file of any building society, within the meaning of the Act)

The Charities Act 1993

Information is exempt to the extent that, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

Information is not exempt if it relates to proposed development for which the local planning authority may grant itself planning permission pursuant to Regulation 3 of the Town & Country Planning General Regulations 1992(a).

4 **PRIMROSE GARDENS RETIREMENT LIVING: AWARD OF CONTRACT**

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To consider a report of the Director of Business, Development and Growth.

5 **ANY URGENT BUSINESS PREVIOUSLY AGREED WITH THE CHAIR**

GARY HALL
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

Electronic agendas sent to Members of the General Purposes Committee Councillor Gordon France (Chair), Councillor Anthony Gee (Vice-Chair) and Councillors Aaron Beaver, Eric Bell, Charlie Bromilow, Jean Cronshaw, Alan Cullens, John Dalton, Margaret France, Tom Gray, Paul Leadbetter, Marion Lowe, Mark Jarnell, June Molyneaux, Alistair Morwood, Greg Morgan and Ralph Snape.

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General Purposes Committee

Monday, 24 May 2010

Present: Councillor Peter Goldsworthy (Chair), Councillor Pat Case (Vice Chair) and Councillors Ken Ball, Judith Boothman, Terry Brown, Alan Cullens, Christopher France, Marie Gray, Hasina Khan, Peter Malpas, Simon Moulton, Beverley Murray, Alan Platt, Rosemary Russell and Ralph Snape.

Officers Present: Donna Hall (Chief Executive), Gary Hall (Director of Transformation), Lesley-Ann Fenton (Director of Partnerships, Planning and Policy), Jamie Carson (Director of People and Places), Simon Clark (Head of Environment), Paul Lowe (Merged Crime and Disorder Reduction Manager) and Tony Uren (Democratic and Member Services Officer)

10.GP.05 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

An apology for absence was submitted on behalf of Councillor June Molyneaux.

10.GP.06 DECLARATIONS OF ANY INTERESTS

None of the Committee Members declared an interest in the principal agenda item.

10.GP.07 MINUTES OF LAST MEETING

The minutes of the last meeting of the General Purposes Committee held on 17 March 2009 were confirmed as a correct record for signature by the Chair.

10.GP.08 DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACES ORDER FOR CHORLEY TOWN CENTRE AND ASTLEY PARK - OUTCOME OF CONSULTATION

The Committee received and considered a report of the Director of People and Places on the outcome of the statutory consultation exercise on the Council's proposal to impose a Designated Public Places Order under Section 13 of the Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001 in respect of the area within the Chorley Town Centre and Astley Park identified on the submitted plan.

The Executive Cabinet, at its meeting on 3 December 2009, had approved the making of the Order for consultation purposes. The proposal had been supported by the Responsible Authorities Group of the Safer Chorley and South Ribble Partnership as a tool by which to combat nuisances associated with anti-social behaviour and disorder, and problems caused by drunken adults. The Order would not impose a ban on alcohol consumption, but would empower Police Officers and Police Community Support Officers to require individuals to surrender the alcohol and any opened or sealed containers in appropriate circumstances.

The responses to the statutory consultation had been generally positive, with the Order being well supported by residents, local businesses and licensed premises holders.

Consequently, the Committee were recommended to authorise the making of the Designated Public Places Order for implementation in advance of the commencement of the World Cup Football Tournament on 11 June 2010 as a preventative measure for any alcohol-related incidents or disorder in the town centre.

A number of Members considered that other vulnerable areas close to the town centre (eg the Coronation Recreation Ground on Devonshire Road) should be afforded similar protection. In response, the Head of Environment reminded the Committee of

the intention to undertake a review of the impact of the planned Order after a period of 15 months and to consider any alteration of the boundaries of the area covered by the Order which may be deemed necessary.

It was proposed by Councillor Ken Ball, seconded by Councillor Ralph Snape, and subsequently **RESOLVED:**

(1) That a Designated Public Places Order in respect of the area identified as Chorley Town Centre and Astley Park and defined on the plan appended to the submitted report be made under Section 13 of the Criminal Justice and Police Act 2001.

(2) That the Order be implemented and the Secretary of State be notified of implementation not later than 10 June 2010.

(3) That a review of the impact of the Designated Public Places Order be conducted by the Executive Member (Places) at the expiry of a period of 15 months from the commencement of the Order to allow consideration by the General Purposes Committee of any suggested revision of the Order.

Chair

By virtue of paragraph(s) 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A
of the Local Government Act 1972.

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