

Blackpool Council

21 June 2022

To: Councillors Collett, Galley, Hutton, Jackson, Kirkland, M Mitchell, R Scott and Walsh

The above members are requested to attend the:

TOURISM, ECONOMY AND COMMUNITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Wednesday, 29 June 2022 at 6.00 pm
In Committee Room A, Town Hall, Blackpool

A G E N D A

1 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are asked to declare any interests in the items under consideration and in doing so state:

(1) the type of interest concerned either a

- (a) personal interest
- (b) prejudicial interest
- (c) disclosable pecuniary interest (DPI)

and

(2) the nature of the interest concerned

If any member requires advice on declarations of interests, they are advised to contact the Head of Democratic Governance in advance of the meeting.

2 MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING HELD ON 30 MARCH 2022 (Pages 1 - 6)

To agree the minutes of the last meeting held on 30 March 2022 as a true and correct record.

3 PUBLIC SPEAKING

To consider any applications from members of the public to speak at the meeting.

- 4 EXECUTIVE AND CABINET MEMBER DECISIONS** (Pages 7 - 20)
- To consider the Executive and Cabinet Member Decisions within the remit of the Committee, taken since the last meeting.
- 5 FORWARD PLAN** (Pages 21 - 26)
- To consider the content of the Council's Forward Plan, July 2022 – October 2022, within the remit of the Committee.
- 6 LEISURE SERVICES ANNUAL REPORT** (Pages 27 - 60)
- To review the performance of Leisure Services, with an emphasis on service delivery across leisure facilities and community delivery, performance in key areas and recovery of the service following the COVID-19 pandemic. The report provides an update on performance for the 2021/22 financial year compared to the 2019/20 financial year, the last full year ahead of the Covid outbreak.
- 7 ENGAGEMENT OF CONSULTANTS ANNUAL REPORT** (Pages 61 - 74)
- To consider the annual report, detailing consultancy spend across all Council services during the 2021/22 financial year.
- 8 CLIMATE EMERGENCY UPDATE** (Pages 75 - 142)
- To update the Committee on the progress of the actions within the Climate Action Plan, as part of the agreed reporting cycle.
- 9 PUBLIC RIGHTS OF WAY UPDATE** (Pages 143 - 154)
- To consider an update on the work of maintaining the 47 public rights of way in Blackpool.
- 10 SCRUTINY WORKPLAN** (Pages 155 - 164)
- To consider the Workplan and to monitor the implementation of Committee recommendations, together with any suggestions that Members may wish to make for scrutiny review topics.
- 11 DATE OF NEXT MEETING**
- To note the date and time of the next meeting as Wednesday, 28 September 2022, commencing at 6pm.

Venue information:

First floor meeting room (lift available), accessible toilets (ground floor), no-smoking building.

Other information:

For queries regarding this agenda please contact John Greenbank, Senior Democratic Governance Adviser, Tel: 01253 477229, e-mail john.greenbank@blackpool.gov.uk

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