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**TO: COUNCILLORS**

Dear Councillor,

Please see below late information as listed below for the meeting of **COUNCIL** tonight, **WEDNESDAY, 16 OCTOBER 2019** at **7.30 PM**.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Kim Webber", written over a horizontal line.

Kim Webber  
Chief Executive

**AGENDA**  
**(Open to the Public)**

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|           | 2. TREASURY MANAGEMENT INCOME – QUESTIONS RECEIVED FROM COUNCILLOR DAVID WHITTINGTON |           |

**14. PUBLIC SPEAKING PROTOCOL (WITHDRAWN)**

This item has been withdrawn by officers, due to an error. A report will be submitted to Corporate & Environmental Overview & Scrutiny Committee on 5 December 2019.

**17. SKELMERSDALE TOWN CENTRE REDEVELOPMENT**

927 - 928

Additional Information.

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### COUNCIL 16 OCTOBER 2019

#### DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

The following declarations were received:

1. Councillors Aldridge and O'Toole declared a non pecuniary interest in relation to Agenda Item 18(a) 'On-Street Parking In Ormskirk - Motion' as Members of Lancashire County Council (LCC) as did Councillors Coughlan and Gagen as employees of LCC, (but did not consider this was affected) and indicated that they would not participate in any detailed discussions which affected LCC.
2. Councillors Delaney, Devine, Owen, Nixon, West and J Wilkie (Tenant of a Council flat/house) Aldridge and Coughlan (Tenant of a Council garage) declared disclosable pecuniary interests in relation to item 9 'Council Housing Asset Management Strategy & Capital Programme Procurement Approach' for the reasons indicated but were entitled to speak and vote by virtue of an exemption (nothing in these reports relates particularly to their respective interests arising from the tenancy or lease).
3. Councillors Aldridge, Blane, Mee and Wright declared non-pecuniary interests in relation to item 9 "Council Housing Asset Management Strategy & Capital Programme Procurement Approach' as they have a connected person who is a tenant of rented Council accommodation. Insofar as that interest becomes a pecuniary interest (as it would affect the financial position of their relative and a member of the public with knowledge of the relevant facts would reasonably regard this as so significant that it is likely to prejudice their judgement of the public interest) they declared that interest but considered that they were entitled to speak and vote by virtue of an exemption as nothing in these reports relates particularly to the relevant tenancy or lease.
4. Councillors Ashcroft, Baybutt, Blundell, Coughlan, Cummins, Delaney, Dereli, Devine, D Evans, S Evans, Finch, O'Toole, Pope, Pritchard, Thompson, Mrs M Westley and Witter (members of the Planning Committee) advised that in relation to item 18(a) 'On-Street Parking In Ormskirk Motion' that a planning application from Edge Hill for extended parking would be considered at tomorrow's Planning Committee meeting, and that they would approach any such planning applications as that proposed without a closed mind and that any views expressed by them in relation to this motion should not be seen as committing them as to how they may vote at the appropriate time:



## AGENDA ITEM 6

### TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE 10.2

#### 1. Damaged Wheelie Bins – Questions received from Councillor Jane Thompson

- a. How many residential wheelie bins used for general waste; recyclates; or green waste have been damaged during the bin emptying/collection process and had to be replaced as a result since 1st October 2018? I believe new bins were bought 18 months ago by the Council that are not up to the same standard.
- b. What is the total cost to the council of replacing the bins/lids damaged and replaced at a) above?
- c. What is the total cost charged to residents of West Lancashire for replacing the bins damaged and replaced at a) above?
- d. What steps the council has or will take to ensure that this problem does not continue to occur?
- e. How many new bins have been reported damaged by the bin wagons and how many reported to customer services over the last year and a half?

#### 2. Treasury Management Income – Questions received from Councillor David Whittington

- a. In percentage terms, how was the Treasury Management income in 2018/19 split between the GRA & the HRA?
- b. What were the percentages for 2017/18?
- c. Approximately what would be the percentages if all other factors remained the same, but the rate of return increased to, say, 3% per annum due to a change in our approach to risk when investing cash?
- d. Why do the percentages change with the amount of interest earned & how is the split calculated?
- e. Could the answers please be circulated to all councillors so that they can understand the effect on the GRA of the extra risk being taken when investing our cash?



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