COUNCIL 18 JULY 2018

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

The following declarations were received:

- Councillors Aldridge, Hennessy, O'Toole and Pope declared a non pecuniary interest in relation to Agenda Item 8 'Council Plan Annual Report 2017/18' and item 19 (f) 'Community Transport – Motion' as Members of Lancashire County Council (LCC) as did Councillors Gagen as an employee of LCC, and indicated that they would not participate in any detailed discussions which affected LCC.
- 2. Councillors Ashcroft, Mrs Blake, Blane, Dereli, Gordon, Kay, Mrs Marshall, Mee, Moran, Owen, Pope and Whittington declared a non pecuniary interest in relation to Agenda Item 8 'Council Plan Annual Report 2017/18' in relation to Parish Council matters in view of their membership of a Parish Council and indicated they would not participate in any detailed discussions which affected the finances of those bodies specifically.
- 3. Councillor Hennessy declared a pecuniary interest in relation to Agenda Item 16. 'Leisure Facility and Contract Procurement' in respect of her appointment to West Lancashire Community Leisure.
- 4. Councillors Delaney, Devine, Forshaw, Owen, Nixon and West (Tenant of a Council flat/house) Aldridge (Tenant of a Council garage) declared disclosable pecuniary interests in relation to item 9 'Housing Account Revenue and Capital Outturn' 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).
- 5. Councillors Aldridge, Blaine, Mee, Pendleton and Wright declared non-pecuniary interests in relation to item 9 'Housing Account Revenue and Capital Outturn' 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.
- 6. Councillor Wynn declared a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest in relation to item 14 'Recycling Update' and agenda item 19(a) 'Collection of Recyclables from Blue Boxes and Blue Bins Motion' as he is employed by Essential Fleet Services Ltd to maintain Council vehicles and works at the Robert Hodge Centre and indicated he would leave the room and would not participate in any detailed discussions which affected his employer or employment.

7. Councillor Pendleton declared a personal interest in agenda item 19 (f) 'Community Transport in view of his appointment by the Council to West Lancs. Dial-A-Ride Association, as did Councillor Mee in view of his appointment to the Management Committee.