

**COUNCIL
14 OCTOBER 2020**

DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

The following declarations were received:

1. Councillor Coughlan declared a pecuniary interest in relation to Agenda Item 17 'Leisure Contract Options as a Consequence of Covid19' in respect of his appointment to West Lancashire Community Leisure.
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 11 '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).
3. Councillors Aldridge, Blane, Mee, Sutton and Wright declared non-pecuniary interests in relation to item 11 '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 could 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 Blane, G Hodson, Mrs Marshall and Rigby declared a non-pecuniary interest in relation to agenda item 15(a) Housing Evictions - Motion ' as landlords, as did Councillor Furey as an employee of a housing association, Councillor Mrs Baybutt as a benefactor from a Property Management company and Councillor Davis, whose wife rents out agricultural land.