



# Penrith Town Council

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Minutes of the meeting of (video conference Zoom event)

## PLANNING COMMITTEE

Held virtually via Zoom video conference on Monday 14 September 2020 at 1.00 p.m.

### COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

Cllr. Jackson	North Ward	Cllr. Shepherd	East Ward
Cllr. Kenyon	North Ward	Cllr. Snell	West Ward
Cllr. Knaggs	West Ward		

Mrs V. Tunnadine, Town Clerk

The Town Council resolved from 20 May 2019, until the next relevant Annual Meeting of the Council, that having met the conditions of eligibility as defined in the Localism Act 2011 and SI 965 The Parish Councils (General Power of Competence)(Prescribed Conditions) Order 2012, to adopt the General Power of Competence.

# **DRAFT MINUTES FOR THE EXTRA ORDINARY MEETING OF**

## **PLANNING**

**Monday 14 September 2020**

The Local Authorities and Police and Crime Panels (Coronavirus) (Flexibility of Local Authority and Police and Crime Panel Meetings) (England and Wales) Regulations 2020 ("the 2020 Regulations") come into force on 4 April 2020.

Section 78 of the 2020 Regulations enable local councils to hold remote meetings (including by video and telephone conferencing) for a specified period until May next year. The Regulations apply to local council meetings, committees, and sub-committees.

### **PART I**

#### **PL20/43 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

There were no apologies for absence for this meeting

#### **PL20/44 DECLARATION OF INTERESTS AND REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS**

Members were asked to disclose their interests in matters to be discussed whether disclosable pecuniary or other registrable interest, and to decide requests for dispensations.

There were no declarations of interest made at this meeting.

#### **PL20/45 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Members noted that there were no questions or representations that had been received from members of the public prior to the meeting.

#### **PL20/46 EXCLUDED ITEM: PUBLIC BODIES (ADMISSION TO MEETINGS) ACT 1960**

Members considered whether any items on the agenda should be considered without the presence of the press and public, pursuant to Section 1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admission to Meetings) Act, 1960, and agreed that there the item to be considered should be done in public.

#### **PL20/47 PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE**

Members considered the draft response to the Government White Paper 'Planning for the Future' and suggested some minor amendments.

**RESOLVED THAT** the draft response should be amended and recommended to Council for adoption as the Town Council response.

#### **PTC20/48 NEXT MEETING**

Members noted that the next meeting was scheduled for 5 October 2020 at 1.00pm at Unit 2, Church House, 19-24 Friargate, Penrith, Cumbria, CA11 7XR or that the meeting may be convened on this date via video conferencing.

**CHAIR:**

**DATE:**

**FOR THE INFORMATION OF ALL MEMBERS OF  
THE PLANNING COMMITTEE  
AND FOR INFORMATION FOR ALL REMAINING MEMBERS OF THE TOWN COUNCIL**