



Penrith Town Council

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Minutes of the meeting of the

EXTRA ORDINARY PLANNING COMMITTEE MONDAY 8 SEPTEMBER 2025

Held on **Monday 8 September 2025**, at 5:15 pm, Boardroom, Church House, 19-24 Friargate, Penrith, Cumbria, CA11 7XR.

PRESENT

Cllr Bowen	Pategill Ward
Cllr Holden	Carleton Ward
Cllr Jackson	North Ward
Cllr. Shepherd	East Ward

Deputy Town Clerk

The Town Council resolved from 15 May 2023, 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.

MINUTES FOR THE EXTRA ORDINARY MEETING OF THE PLANNING COMMITTEE

8 SEPTEMBER 2025

Members were advised that an urgent late item had been received regarding an amendment to the Public Space Protection Order 2024 No.002 (Dogs) which required a response.

RESOLVED THAT the item be considered at the end of the meeting to enable a response to be returned.

PART I

PL25/46 Apologies For Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Lawson.

Councillors Davies, B Jayson and D Jayson were absent without apologies.

PL25/47 Declarations of Interest 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.

No interests or dispensations were received.

PL25/48 Public Participation

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

PL25/49 EXCLUDED ITEM: Public Bodies (Admissions 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 were no applications to be considered without the press or public.

PL25/50 Westmorland and Furness Council (Off Street Parking Places)(Eden Locality)(Consolidation) Order 20><

Members considered the proposed off street parking order which sought to revoke all entries relating to mansion House front and rear car parks. Members were advised that following a query to the Parking Manager, it was advised that the rear car park to Mansion House is to be retained and will therefore still be useable however there are no plans about its operation.

RESOLVED THAT:

A response be returned to Westmorland and Furness Council based on the comments made at the meeting.

The following item was considered as a matter of urgency as a response was required prior urgently and prior to any meeting taking place.

PL25/51 Public Spaces Protection Order 2025 No.001 (Dogs) Variation to Public Spaces Protection Order 2024 No.002 (Dogs)

Members considered the variation consultation relating to Dogs on Leads and were advised that the proposed Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) for Dogs on Leads in the Eden area of Westmorland and Furness was not a 'new' PSPO but a re-instatement of a law which was in force from 2008 until it was mistakenly omitted from the new Westmorland and Furness PSPO in November 2024.

RESOLVED THAT:

A response be returned to Westmorland and Furness Council based on the comments made at the meeting and stating that the Town Council felt that the proposed amendment was un-enforceable and that point 4 in particular was poorly worded and caused confusion.

CHAIR:

DATE:

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