

PRESCOT TOWN COUNCIL

A meeting of the **FINANCE AND GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE** for the **TOWN OF PRESCOT** was held on **FRIDAY, 18th JANUARY 2019** in the **PRESCOT TOWN HALL, 1 WARRINGTON ROAD, PRESCOT**, commencing at **3.00 P.M.**

ELECTED MEMBERS PRESENT

Councillors J. Chadwick, J. Molloy, S. Pimblett, D. Friar and D Rigby.

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE

D. Wilson (Town Clerk)
L. Sephton (Deputy Town Clerk)

52. TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES

There were no apologies of absence submitted.

53. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest received

54. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS COMMITTEE MEETING

It was **UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED** that the minutes of the Finance and General Purposes Committee held on 9th November 2018 be agreed as a true and accurate record of the business transacted and signed by the chair.

55. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

The following comments were **UNANIMOUSLY AGREED**.

Application Ref	Location	Comments
18/00626/FUL	29 Sinclair Avenue, Prescot	No Objections
18/00721/FUL	30 Derwent Avenue, Prescot	No Objections
18/00804/FUL	29 & 31 Sinclair Avenue, Prescot	No Objections
18/00730/FUL	Clock Face Public House, 54 Derby Street, Prescot	No Objections
18/00731/LBC	Clock Face Public House, 54 Derby Street, Prescot	No Objections
18/00765/FUL	Former Red Lion Public House, 21 Market Place, Prescot	No Objections
18/00760/FUL	10 Vicarage Road, Prescot	No Objections
18/00761/LBC	10 Vicarage Road, Prescot	No Objections
18/00762/FUL	10 Vicarage Road, Prescot	No Objections
18/00763/LBC	10 Vicarage Road, Prescot	No Objections
18/00799/TCA	5 Market Place, Prescot	No Objections
18/00806/PDE	5 Steley Way, Prescot	No Objections
18/00807/PDE	72 Hughes Avenue, Prescot	No Objections

56. **PLANNING DECISIONS**

It was **UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED** to **NOTE** the following planning decisions

Application Ref	Location	Decision
18/00615/COU	Former Natwest Bank, 40 Eccleston Street, Prescot	Granted
18/00444/FUL	High Street Restaurant, 18 High Street, Prescot	Granted
18/00603/FUL	13-15 Atherton Street, Prescot	Granted
18/00637/FUL	The Wool Shop, 32 Eccleston Street, Prescot	Granted
18/00679/ADV	18 High Street, Prescot	Granted
18/00645/COU	Hairport Hairdressing, 5 Hall Lane, Prescot	Granted

57. **MONTHLY BUDGET MONITORING STATEMENT**

It was **UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED** to **APPROVE** the budget monitoring statement up to 31st December 2018.

58. **ORDERS AND PAYMENT AUTHORISATION**

It was **UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED** to **APPROVE** the payment list.

59. **FACILITIES BOOKINGS**

The Town Clerk provided Members with the month's list of facilities bookings and the current projected income as at 31st March 2019.

It was **UNANIMOUSLY AGREED** to **NOTE** the Town Hall Booking list presented.

60. **TOWN COUNCIL CHARGING POLICY**

It was **UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED** to **APPROVE** the recommendations in the report with amendment being:

4.1 Using the powers granted under the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1976 s.19 members resolve to:-

4.1.1 Maintain the hire charges at their current levels as detailed in 1.2 and review the policy in six months.

The meeting closed at 3.47 p.m.

Dated: 8th February 2019

Signed:.....
(Cllr Joan Molloy – Chair of Finance and General Purpose Committee)