PRESCOT TOWN COUNCIL

A meeting of the COUNCIL for the TOWN OF PRESCOT was held on THURSDAY, 25th MARCH 2021 via ZOOM, commencing at 6.00 P.M.

ELECTED MEMBERS PRESENT

Councillors M. Burke, C. Krelle, T. Large, L. Rigby, I. Smith, T. Smith, F. Wynn, J. Burke, P. Cook, T. Murray and K. Taylor.

TOWN COUNCIL OFFICERS PRESENT

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

OTHERS

Steve – Member of the public

127. TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES

There were no apologies received for the meeting.

128. PUBLIC OPEN FORUM

There were no questions from members of the public in attendance.

129. <u>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</u>

There were no declarations of interest received.

130. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS COUNCIL MEETING

It was **UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED** that the minutes of the previous council meeting held on 25th February 2021 be **APPROVED AND SIGNED** as a true and accurate record of the business transacted.

131. MINUTES OF COUNCIL COMMITTEES

It was **UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED** to **NOTE** the minutes of the following committee meeting:

 Extra-Ordinary Finance, General Purposes and Human Resource Committee – 5th March 2021 (Draft)

MANY

132. ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE LEADER

The Leader stated that the Shakespeare North Theatre was looking amazing and that there had been a lot of people invited to see the works over the last few weeks. The Leader requested the Town Clerk to contact Knowsley Council on behalf of the Town Council to ask if a visit can be arranged for Town Councillors to see the progress.

133. ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE TOWN CLERK

There were no announcements from the Town Clerk.

134. REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS FROM REPRESENTATIVES AT CONFERENCES OR OUTSIDE BODIES

There had been no attendances to conferences or outside bodies.

135. MAYORAL ENGAGEMENTS

There were no mayoral engagements to be noted.

136. PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Application Ref	Location	Comments
21/00016/FUL	Whitakers Garden Centre, Liverpool Road, Prescot	 Object on the grounds of Detrimental to the visual amenity Highway Safety The land that the cabins have been erected on is unsafe.
		The developer has erected the cabins prior to approval. There is contamination on site which could lead to death and there have been no satisfactory answers from Knowsley Council.
		A recorded vote was held with 6 members objecting Cllrs I Smith, Wynn, Rigby, Krelle, Cook and Murray and 4 members not objecting Cllrs Taylor, J Burke, T Smith and Large. The motion to object to the planning application



		on the grounds as stated above was carried.
21/00017/ADV	Whitakers Garden Centre, Liverpool Road, Prescot	Object on the grounds of • Detrimental to the visual amenity • Highway Safety
21/00066/FUL	53 Eccleston Street, Prescot	No objections
21/00120/FUL	10 Vicarage Place, Prescot	Object on the grounds of Conservation area Visual amenity Properties being overlooked Congestion in West Street Lack of space No garden area Lack of parking Over development High risk area for coal
21/00121/LBC	10 Vicarage Place, Prescot	Object on the grounds of
21/00122/FUL	10 Vicarage Place, Prescot	No objections although the members would like to make a comment that as it is a listed building the necessary materials must be used.
21/00200/LBC	10 Vicarage Place, Prescot	No objections although the members would like to make a comment that as it is a listed building the necessary materials must be used.
21/00087/FUL	22 Ash Grove, Prescot	No objections



137. PLANNING DECISIONS

There were no planning decisions for noting.

138. FUNDING APPLICATIONS

There were no funding applications.

139. ELECTED MEMBER MODEL CODE OF CONDUCT

It was **UNANIMOUSLY RESOLVED** to **APPROVE** the recommendations under 3.1 being:

In accordance with the requirements of the Localism Act 2011 members resolve to

• Agree to adopt the new model code of conduct with immediate effect.

The meeting closed at 6.53 p.m.

Dated: 29th April 2021

Cllr Mark Burke (Maxor of Prescot)