

12 May 2022

**To: The Chair and Members of the County
Council Local Committee for Copeland**

Agenda

COUNTY COUNCIL LOCAL COMMITTEE FOR COPELAND

A meeting of the County Council Local Committee for Copeland will be held as follows:

Date: Friday 20 May 2022
Time: 10.15 am
Place: Cleator Moor Civic Hall

Dawn Roberts
Executive Director – Corporate, Customer and Community Services

Group Meetings:

Labour: 9.30 am
Conservative: Thursday 19 May 2022 at 5 pm via Teams

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MEMBERSHIP

Labour (4)

Mr M Hawkins
Mr FI Morgan
Mr DE Southward
Mrs EL Williamson

Conservative (8)

Mr MS Barbour
Mr K Hitchen (Chair)
Mr AWC Lamb
Mr GRPM Roberts
Mr CP Turner
Mr CJ Whiteside
Mr D Wilson (Vice-Chair)
Mr AW Wonnacott

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Agenda and Reports

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Background Papers

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A G E N D A

PART 1: ITEMS LIKELY TO BE CONSIDERED IN THE PRESENCE OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC

1 ELECTION OF CHAIR

To elect a Chair of the Local Committee for the ensuing year.

2 ELECTION OF VICE CHAIR

To elect a Vice Chair for the ensuing year.

3 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive any apologies for absence

4 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are invited to disclose any disclosable pecuniary interest they have in any item on the agenda which comprises:-

- 1 Details of any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain.
- 2 Details of any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from the authority) made or provided within the relevant period in respect of any expenses incurred by you in carrying out duties as a member, or towards your election expenses. (This includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992.
- 3 Details of any contract which is made between you (or a body in which you have a beneficial interest) and the authority
 - (a) Under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed; and
 - (b) Which has not been fully discharged.
- 4 Details of any beneficial interest in land which is within the area of the authority.
- 5 Details of any licence (alone or jointly with others) to occupy land in the area of the authority for a month or longer.
- 6 Details of any tenancy where (to your knowledge)

- (a) The landlord is the authority; and
- (b) The tenant is a body in which you have a beneficial interest.

7 Details of any beneficial interest in securities of a body where

- (a) That body (to your knowledge) has a place of business or land in the area of the authority; and
- (b) Either –
 - (i) The total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body; or
 - (ii) If that share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which the relevant person has a beneficial interest exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.

In addition, you must also disclose other non-pecuniary interests set out in the Code of Conduct where these have not already been registered.

Note

A “disclosable pecuniary interest” is an interest of a councillor or their partner (which means spouse or civil partner, a person with whom they are living as husband or wife, or a person with whom they are living as if they are civil partners).

5 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

To consider whether the press and public should be excluded from the meeting during consideration of any item on the agenda

6 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

There are no public questions, statements or petitions to be considered at this meeting.

7 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

To confirm as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Local Committee held on 22 March 2022 (copy enclosed).

(Pages 7 - 14)

8 COPELAND HIGHWAYS WORKING GROUP

[Electoral Divisions: All Copeland]

To consider a report by the Executive Director – Economy and Infrastructure (copy enclosed).

This report provides details of the meeting of the Highways Working Group held on 20 April 2022 and presents recommendations for the Local Committee to consider.
(Pages 15 - 110)

9 AREA PLANNING REPORT

[Electoral Divisions: All Copeland]

To consider a report by the Executive Director – Corporate, Customer and Community Services (copy enclosed).

This report provides Local Committee with an update on the activity undertaken by the Communities Team since its last meeting. It is also to advise Members on their current budget position.

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10 COPELAND CHAMPIONS UPDATE

To receive updates from the following Copeland Champions:-

Armed Forces Champion
Autism Champion
Children's Champion
Dementia Champion
Fire Champion
Health Champion

11 VERBAL UPDATE FROM MEMBERS ON OUTSIDE BODIES/EXTERNAL COMMITTEES

To receive a verbal update from members serving on any outside bodies/external committees they attend on behalf of Copeland Local Committee.

12 NUCLEAR ISSUES

To discuss any relevant nuclear issues.

13 DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

To note that the next meeting of Copeland Local Committee will be held on 20 July 2022 at 10.15 am at Cleator Moor Civic Hall.