



# Penrith Town Council

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**DATE: 7 October 2020**

You are summoned to attend a special meeting of the

## PLANNING COMMITTEE

to be held virtually via Zoom video conference on

**Monday 14 September 2020**, at 1.00p.m.

### COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

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

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'V. Tunnadine'.

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.

# AGENDA FOR THE MEETING OF

## PLANNING COMMITTEE

14 September 2020

Due to the current restrictions in place this meeting will be a virtual meeting and therefore will not take place in a physical location. The meeting be held virtually via video conferencing using Microsoft Teams. Therefore, this is a meeting in public, not a public meeting.

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

#### 1. Apologies for Absence

Receive apologies from Members

#### 2. Declarations of Interest and Requests for Dispensations

Receive declarations by Members of interests in respect of items on this agenda and apply for a dispensation to remain, speak and/or vote during consideration of that item.

#### ADVICE NOTE:

Members are reminded that, in accordance with the revised Code of Conduct, they are required to declare any disclosable pecuniary interests or other registrable interests which have not already been declared in the Council's Register of Interests. (It is a criminal offence not to declare a disclosable pecuniary interest either in the Register or at the meeting.) Members may, however, also decide, in the interests of clarity and transparency, to declare at this point in the meeting, any such disclosable pecuniary interests which they have already declared in the Register, as well as any other registrable or other interests. If a Member requires advice on any item involving a possible declaration of interest which could affect his/her ability to speak and/or vote, he/she is advised to contact the Interim Monitoring Officer at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting

#### 3. Public Participation

Receive any questions or representations which have been received from members of the public

#### ADVICE NOTE:

Members of the public may make representations, answer questions and give evidence at a meeting which they are entitled to attend in respect of the business on the agenda. The public must make a request in writing to the Town Clerk **PRIOR** to the meeting, when possible. A member of the public can speak for up to three minutes. A question shall not require a response at the meeting nor start a debate on the question. The chairman of the meeting may direct that a written or oral response be given

#### **4. EXCLUDED ITEM: Public Bodies (Admissions To Meetings) Act 1960**

To determine whether item/s 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, as publicity relating to that (any of those) matter/s may be prejudicial to the public interest by reason of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted or for the other special reasons noted in relation to that matter on the agenda.

#### **6. Planning for the Future**

To consider and recommend a response to the Government White paper 'Planning for the Future' for consideration by Council on 28 September 2020  
– TO FOLLOW

#### **7. Next Meeting**

To confirm that the next scheduled meeting of the Committee will be held at 1.00pm on 5 October 2020 either by video conferencing or in Unit 2, Church House, depending on the circumstances at that time.

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

#### **ACCESS TO INFORMATION**

Copies of the agenda are available for members of the public to inspect prior to the meeting. Agenda and Part I reports are available on the Town Council website or, in the case of planning applications, the link to applications on the Eden District Council Website can be found above:

[www.penrithtowncouncil.co.uk](http://www.penrithtowncouncil.co.uk)

#### **Background Papers**

Requests for the background papers to the Part I reports, excluding those papers that contain exempt information, can be made to the Town Clerk address overleaf between the hours of 9.00 am and 3.00 pm, Monday to Wednesday via [office@penrithtowncouncil.co.uk](mailto:office@penrithtowncouncil.co.uk)