

19 November 2021

To: Members of the Partnership Committee (Councillors C Palmer, T Morris, S Hemmings, S Owen, F Kharawala, A L Dodwell, V Harvey, E Wallace, K Ferguson and D Bowater)

S Hughes, Central Bedfordshire Council, G Borelli, LB First, B Chandler, LB Connect, T Humber, Community Forum Steering Group.

(Copies to all Town Councillors for information)

## NOTICE OF MEETING

You are hereby summoned to attend a meeting of **Partnership Committee** to be held on **Thursday, 2 December 2021** commencing at **7.30 pm** in The White House, Hockliffe Street, Leighton Buzzard, LU& 1HD..

*Mark Saccoccio*

**THIS MEETING MAY  
BE RECORDED \***

M Saccoccio  
Town Clerk

*Please do not attend this meeting if:*

- *You, anyone you live with or anyone in your support bubble has tested positive for Covid-19 or has symptoms of Covid-19.*
- *You have been advised to self-isolate by NHS Test and Trace, the NHS app or for any other reason.*
- *You are within the required quarantine period having returned to the UK from a non-exempt country.*

## AGENDA

### 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Schedule 12 of the Local Government Act 1972 requires a record be kept of the Members present and that this record form part of the minutes of the meeting. Members who cannot attend a meeting should tender apologies to the Town Clerk.

**2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

- (i) Under the Localism Act 2011 (sections 26-37 and Schedule 4) and in accordance with the Council's Code of Conduct, Members are required to declare any interests which are not currently entered in the Member's Register of Interests or if he/she has not notified the Monitoring Officer of it.
- (ii) Should any Member have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest in an item on the agenda, the Member may not participate in consideration of that item unless a Dispensation has first been requested (in writing) and granted by the Council (see Dispensation Procedure).

**3. QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC (3 MINUTES PER PERSON; MAXIMUM 15 MINUTES)**

To receive questions and statements from members of the public in respect of any item of business included in the agenda, as provided for in Standing Order No.s 3(e) (f) (g) and 3(h).

**4. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING (Pages 1 - 8)**

- (a) To receive and approve as a correct record the minutes of the Partnership Committee meeting held on 9 September 2021.
- (b) To receive any updates arising from the minutes.

**5. TIDDENFOOT WATERSIDE PARK**

To receive a report on proposals for the waterside park and consider the recommendations therein.

**6. COMMUNITY FORUM YOUTH SURVEY RESULTS (Pages 9 - 24)**

To receive a report on the recent youth survey and consider the recommendations therein (attached).

**7. CENTRAL BEDFORDSHIRE COUNCIL UPDATE REPORT**

To receive and note an information report from Central Bedfordshire Council on matters affecting the locality (to follow).

**8. STANDING ITEMS**

To receive verbal updates on:

- i. Section 106 - Town Council request for further information
  - ii. Welcome Back Fund – update on delivery progress
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- iii. Land South of the High Street – update regarding next steps for a working group
- iv. High Street ETRO – update on engagement activity

**9. COMMITTEE OBJECTIVES AND WORKPLAN (Pages 25 - 28)**

To consider items to be programmed into Committee's work for 2021–2022 (**attached**).

**10. ITEMS FOR REQUESTING ATTENTION BY CENTRAL BEDFORDSHIRE COUNCIL**

To identify and confirm if any requested items for CBC's attention.

**11. BUDGET REPORT (Pages 29 - 30)**

- a) To receive Committee's budget financial monitoring report (**attached**).
- b) To receive Committee's proposed budget for 2022/23 for consideration (**to follow**).

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