28th March 2023

YOU ARE DULY SUMMOND to attend a meeting of the Blackrod Town Council to be held in the Council Chamber, Blackrod Library/ Council Building on Monday 24th April 2023 commencing at 7pm (May in advance due to Bank Holiday)

Signed

Town Clerk

AGENDA

- 1. Prayers if Clergy are in attendance
- 2. Housekeeping
- **3.** To receive apologies and approve the reasons for absence.
- **4.** To record Declarations of interest from members on any item to be discussed (Members are requested to declare any interest they may have in the business as set out on the Agenda, to which the Code of Practice appears.)

5	Councillors to attend a meeting of the Town Council Planning Committee on and agree written comments to be forwarded to Bolton Planning Committee					
	15801/23	16, Latham road	Erection of single Storey ext to rear and 2 storey extto Side & raised Platform to rear			
6.	Councillors to rec	eive a list of planning decisions made	e by Bolton Council			
7.	To submit for signature and accuracy, the Minutes of the proceedings of the following meetings:					
	 Meeting of the Town Council held on 3rd April 2023 Minutes of R & B School (from representative information only) 					
	(Councillors please note you are only voting on accuracy of minutes. There can be no matters arising from these minutes under this heading and only members present at the said meeting can confirm accuracy)					
8.	Councillors to consider their response, if any, to the following <u>correspondence/</u> <u>items relating to various planning matters</u> and discuss any matters arising where appropriate					
	None available for meeting a time of preparing agenda					

9. .Councillors to receive correspondence & consider relevant actions

Local resident Vauze house Close issues

Bolton Council Responses Dark Lane Issues

10. Council to adjourn the meeting for approximately 15 minutes to allow for public participation

<u>Please note information from Town Clerk in relation to public participation attached.</u>

(Councillors please note:_Members of the public present may put questions or make observations regarding matters in relation to the Parish. However, can I remind all members that questions or matters raised do not require any response from members nor should matters no on the Agenda be debated since no decision can lawfully be made during this time but may be added to the following monthly agenda if considered relevant. Town Clerk)

- **11.** Councillors to receive an update if available from Blackrod Neighbourhood Plan (Cllr Bury)
- **12.** Councillors to receive a copy of 1 of 2 reports in regard to pollution report for Station Road (as requested by local resident at meeting on 3rd April)
- 13. **Finance 1**.That the Chairman Clerk and two Members sign an Authorisation amounting to £7263.80 (seven thousand two hundred and sixty three pounds 80p only and dated ^{24th} April 2023 2.That the Chairman, Clerk and two members authorise the payment of cheques as listed and received by members

16	Councillors to consider the condition of various Roads & Footpaths for either
	reporting themselves or through the office of the Town Clerk.

14. Site Visits. Councillors to arrange if required.

- 15. Councillors are requested to use this opportunity to report minor matters of Information, not included elsewhere on the Agenda, and to raise items for future Agendas.(Councillors are respectfully reminded that this is not an opportunity for debate or decision making
- 16. `Councillors to receive verbal/ written reports from Ward Councillors if present on matters which have not been included on this Agenda and of interest to Blackrod Residents.

- 17. Confirmation of the date for the next meeting of the Town Council will take place on Monday 5th June 2023 at 7pm.
- 18. The following part of the meeting Agenda will take place under closed conditions and will contain two items. Confidential discussion papers will be provided at that point of the meeting.

Reminder: The Annual General Meeting will take place in the council chambers on Monday 15th May 7.15pm 2023

The Town Clerk will advise members on protocol for the AGM in the closed part of the meeting.