

## **Meeting of the Full Council - 26 May 2022**

### **Report on the External Scrutiny Committee Meeting Held on 1 March 2022**

**Chair: County Councillor Peter Britcliffe**

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#### **Climate Change and Flood Risk in Lancashire**

The committee received a report and a presentation that provided members with an understanding of climate change and flood risk management in Lancashire, along with an update on the previous scrutiny review on, 'Strengthening flood risk management and preparedness'.

**Resolved:** That;

- i. An update on climate change and flood risk management be presented to the External Scrutiny Committee in twelve months to report on progress;
- ii. The Environment Agency provide a briefing to the External Scrutiny Committee on nature-based schemes;
- iii. The Lead Local Flood Authority considers developing a councillor communication programme with the county council's Communications Service; and
- iv. The External Scrutiny Committee review the roles of the Lead Local Flood Authority and the Highway Authority.