

Report to the Cabinet

Meeting to be held on Thursday, 8 September 2022

Report of the Director of Corporate Services

Part I

Electoral Divisions affected:
Accrington North; Accrington
South; Accrington West &
Oswaldtwistle Central; Great
Harwood, Rishton & Clayton-le
Moors; Oswaldtwistle;

Corporate Priorities:
Protecting our environment;

Appointment to Outside Body - Prospects Foundation Management Committee

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Brief Summary

This report proposes to add Prospects Foundation Management Committee to the county council's list of outside bodies and to appoint County Councillor Peter Britcliffe as the county councillor representative.

Recommendation

Cabinet is asked to approve:

- (i) The addition of Prospects Foundation Management Committee to the county council's list of outside bodies; and
- (ii) The appointment of County Councillor Peter Britcliffe as the county council's representative on the Prospects Foundation Management Committee until the next Lancashire County Council elections in May 2025.

Detail

Outside bodies play an important part in fulfilling the county council's statutory responsibilities, meeting its corporate and strategic objectives and in building positive relationships with the communities it serves. The list of outside bodies that county council representatives are appointed to is monitored and reviewed by Democratic Services.

The county council has been approached by the Prospects Foundation based in Hyndburn for an elected representative to be appointed to its Prospects Foundation Management Committee.

The Prospects Foundation is an environmental charity based in Hyndburn and its work includes conservation projects and distributing grants to community groups for environmental projects in the area. Their mission is to be the key movement in Hyndburn for environmental sustainability and to use their collective knowledge, skills, work and experience to secure this for current and future generations.

This report therefore requests approval for the Prospects Foundation Management Committee to be added to the county council's list of outside bodies and proposes that County Councillor Peter Britcliffe be nominated as the county council's representative on the body until the next Lancashire County Council Elections in May 2025.

Consultations

The proposed addition of the Outside Body and the appointment to it, has been prepared in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Resources, HR and Property (Deputy Leader).

Implications:

This item has the following implications, as indicated:

Risk management

No significant risks have been identified.

List of Background Papers

Paper	Date	Contact/Tel
None		
Reason for inclusion in Part II, if appropriate		
N/A		

