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Meeting of: The Council

Wednesday 22nd March 2023 at 6.30pm or at the conclusion of Question Time and Public Engagement whichever is the later.

Venue: Council Chamber, The Business Centre, Futures Park, Bacup. OL13 0BB



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ITEM		Lead Member/Contact Officer
A.	BUSINESS MATTERS	
A1.	Apologies for Absence	
A2.	To approve and sign as a correct record the minutes of 28 th February 2023.	Clare Birtwistle, Monitoring Officer 01706 252438 clarebirtwistle@rossendalebc.gov.uk
A3.	Urgent Items of Business To note any items which the Chair has agreed to add to the Agenda on the grounds of urgency.	
A4.	Declarations of Interest Members are advised to contact the Monitoring Officer in advance of the meeting to seek advice on interest issues if necessary.	
	Members are requested to indicate at this stage, any items on the agenda in which they intend to declare an interest. Members are reminded that, in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000 and the Council's Code of Conduct, they must declare the nature of any personal interest and, if the interest is prejudicial, withdraw from the meeting during consideration of the item.	
B.	Communications from the Mayor, the Leader or Head of Paid Service To receive any communications from the Mayor, the Leader, or the Head of the Paid Service that they may wish to lay before the Council.	The Mayor, Councillor Cheetham, The Leader, Councillor A.Barnes and Adam Allen, Acting Chief Executive 01706 252428 adamallen@rossendalebc.gov.uk

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C.	ORDINARY BUSINESS	
C1.	Shared Prosperity Fund Update To consider the Shared Prosperity Fund Update	Councillor A Barnes/ David Smurthwaite, Director of Economic Development 01706 252429 davidsmurthwaite@rossendalebc.gov.uk
C2.	Armed Forces Covenant To consider the Armed Forces Covenant report	Councillor Ashworth/ Adam Allen, Acting Chief Executive/Director of Communities 01706 252428 adamallen@rossendalebc.gov.uk
C3.	Council Achievements 2022/23 To consider the Council Achievements 2022/23	Councillor A Barnes/ Adam Allen, Acting Chief Executive/Director of Communities 01706 252428 adamallen@rossendalebc.gov.uk

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