

DECISION ITEM

REPORT OF	MEETING	DATE	ITEM NO
RESOURCES DIRECTORATE	TOURISM AND LEISURE COMMITTEE	10 MARCH 2022	6

NOMINATIONS TO OUTSIDE BODIES/WORKING GROUPS

PUBLIC ITEM

This item is for consideration in the public part of the meeting.

SUMMARY

The report deals with nominations to Outside Bodies and Working Groups.

Appointments to Outside Bodies are made at Full Council following recommendations from the various programme committees.

It is timely for the programme committees to review the current Outside Body appointments and put forward any recommended changes to membership to the next Council meeting scheduled for 25 April 2022.

In line with the Protocol for Members on Outside Bodies (Part 5f of the Council's Constitution), every member serving on an outside body is required to complete a reporting form every six months, which is submitted to the relevant programme committee to which the external partnership relates. The last reports were submitted to the September 2021 cycle of meetings.

This report covers those nominations that relate to the Tourism and Leisure Committee.

At the same time, it seems prudent for this committee to review the current appointments to the working groups that relate to the terms of reference of the Tourism and Leisure Committee. The establishment of working groups is within the responsibility of the individual programme committees and does not require the approval of Council.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Committee is invited:

- 1. To recommend to Council any nominations to the outside bodies within the remit of the Tourism and Leisure Committee,
- 2. To recommend to Council the removal of the Arts Working Group Outside Body from the list of outside bodies due to the recent conclusion of its work,
- 3. To confirm the membership to any working groups that relate to the terms of reference of the Committee,
- 4. To note the reports from members currently serving on Outside Bodies.

SUMMARY OF PREVIOUS DECISIONS

Full Council approves appointments to Outside Bodies annually, following nominations from the programme committees.

CORPORATE PRIORITIES		
Economy - To create a vibrant and healthy economy		
Environment - To deliver services customers expect		
Efficiency - By spending money in the most efficient way		
Tourism - To create a great place to live or visit		

REPORT

- 1. The Council makes a number of appointments to outside bodies in each municipal year. In an election year, these appointments are made at the AGM. In non-election years, these appointments are made at the last Council meeting of the municipal year.
- 2. Programme committees are asked to review the current appointments to the Outside Bodies within the remit of their committee and at the same time, consider the value, in terms of contribution to the council, of retaining representation i.e. should the council continue to dedicate a resource.
- 3. Any changes in representation or appointments on the Outside Bodies represented will be put forward to the next scheduled Council meeting for confirmation.
- 4. This report deals with the outside bodies that relate to the terms of reference for the Tourism and Leisure Committee. The first table below includes the name of the body/group, the role/purpose and which elected member is the current appointee. The committee is invited to recommend nominations for consideration by Full Council.
- 5. Programme committees may wish to establish their own subject specific working groups to be set up when required in order to advise the parent programme committee on a particular topic/issue.
- 6. The second table below lists those working groups that relate to the terms of reference of the Tourism and Leisure Committee that are currently established.
- 7. The establishment of working groups is within the responsibility of the individual programme committees and does not need the approval of Council.
- 8. It is important that the members nominated to represent the Council on outside bodies/working groups have an appropriate interest in the body/partnership/subject, can commit to positively represent the Council and be available to commit the time to attend the majority of the meetings involved.
- 9. The members nominated should ideally be a member of the programme committee to which the matter relates
- 10. The current protocol is that members are required to produce regular reports about the outside bodies on which they serve, currently every six months. It is the intention that this information will be made available to the programme committee members to which the external partnership relates.
- 11. The Arts Working Group outside body is recommend for removal from the outside body list as it this body has recently concluded its work and is in the process of being replaced by a different internal arrangement via a Service Level Agreement..
- 12. The conclusion of any working group would be brought to committee in a formal report.
- 13. The following appended reports from members currently serving on Outside Bodies are provided to maintain an understanding of the work of the Outside Body, and to remain abreast of any issues that may have an impact on the residents of the borough or the council.

Outside body / partnerships	Role/Purpose	Frequency of meetings	Current representation
Lowther Trust	To represent the Council as a Trustee in the management of Lowther Trust	Monthly (12xp/a)	Councillor Sue Fazackerley
Lytham Town Trust	To represent the Council as a Director on the Lytham Town Trust	Quarterly (4xp/a)	Councillor Ray Thomas
Fylde Coast YMCA Partnership Board	Fylde Coast YMCA Partnership Board dealing with leisure and sporting activities including swimming, provided by the YMCA on the Fylde Coast	Quarterly (4xp/a)	Councillor Gavin Harrison
Fylde Arts Association	To encourage the study, practice and enjoyment of the arts in the Fylde area.		Councillor Michael Sayward
St George's Day Festival Committee	To ensure effective links and liaison with the St George's Day Festival Committee	When required	Councillor Cheryl Little
Arts Partnership for Fylde	The APfF is a working group of local artists and arts organisations committed to increasing the profile and importance of arts in Fylde and developing partnerships to create new opportunities in the arts.		Councillor Michael Sayward
Fairhaven Lake & Gardens Restoration Project Board	The role of the Project Board is to provide corporate support, have a strategic overview of the project and have the authority to make strategic decisions. The minutes of these minutes will be shared with the Heritage Lottery Fund	Quarterly	Councillor Michael Sayward
Lytham Hall Partnership	to rebuild relationships, structures and a new strategy for the Heritage Lottery Fund (HLF) bid to redevelop Lytham Hall through the new partnership arrangement between the tenant, Heritage Trust North West (HTNW) and the landlord, Lytham Town Trust (LTT) leading to the formation of the Lytham Hall Partnership (LHP)	As required	Councillor Shirley Green
Park View 4U Group	To ensure effective links and liaison with the group		Councillor Michael Sayward

Tourism and Leisure Committee– Working groups			
Working group	Role/purpose	Notes	Current representation
Arts Service Review	To review the Arts Service and in particular the Lytham St Annes Art Collection	Current	Councillors Peter Anthony, Sue Fazackerley, Gavin Harrison, Cheryl Little, Roger Lloyd, Michael Sayward, Vince Settle, Ray Thomas

Finance	No implications arising from this report
Legal	No implications arising from this report
Community Safety	No implications arising from this report
Human Rights and Equalities	No implications arising from this report
Sustainability and Environmental Impact	No implications arising from this report
Health & Safety and Risk Management	No implications arising from this report

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BACKGROUND PAPERS			
Name of document	Date	Where available for inspection	
None			

Appendix 1 -Summary and returned reporting forms.