

DECISION ITEM

| REPORT OF | MEETING | DATE | ITEM NO |
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| RESOURCES DIRECTORATE | COUNCIL | 20 JULY 2020 | 16 |

OUTSIDE BODIES – UPDATE

PUBLIC ITEM

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

SUMMARY

At the meeting of the Tourism and Leisure Committee held on 12 March 2020, consideration was given to a request to include the Park View 4 U Group on the list of Outside Bodies for Fylde Council. The formalisation of the body has emerged from discussions between the Council, the Trust and the Friends Group with a view to having a Council representative attending the Park View joint meetings. The Committee was also asked to nominate an appropriate member to represent the Council on the new outside body.

The Committee agreed to recommended to Full Council the inclusion of the Park View 4 U Group on the approved list of Outside Bodies for Fylde Council. In addition, the Committee nominated Councillor Michael Sayward as the Council's representative on the Group.

The report also outlines the circumstances behind the recommendation to change the nominated representative on the Lowther Trust.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1. To agree to the Tourism and Leisure Committee's recommendation of Park View 4U Group being added to the approved list of Outside Bodies for Fylde Council.
2. To agree to the nomination of Councillor Michael Sayward as the Council's representative on Park View 4 U Outside Body.
3. To agree that Councillor Susan Fazackerley replaces Councillor Roger Small as the appointed representative for the Lowther Trust.

SUMMARY OF PREVIOUS DECISIONS

Tourism and Leisure Committee – 12 March 2020

1. To recommend to Full Council that the Pak View 4U Group is added to the approved list of Outside Bodies for Fylde Council.
2. To seek Full Council's approval to nominate Councillor Michael Sayward the Council's representative on Park View 4 U Outside Body.

| CORPORATE PRIORITIES | |
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| Spending your money in the most efficient way to achieve excellent services (Value for Money) | |
| Delivering the services that customers expect of an excellent council (Clean and Green) | |
| Working with all partners (Vibrant Economy) | √ |
| To make sure Fylde continues to be one of the most desirable places to live (A Great Place to Live) | √ |
| Promoting Fylde as a great destination to visit (A Great Place to Visit) | √ |

REPORT

- Members will be fully aware of the work that Park View 4 U have undertaken over the years. The Council has been approached about the feasibility of Park View 4 U being recognised as a formal outside body with a view to having a Council representative attending the Park View Trust meetings
- The Tourism and Leisure Committee at its meeting on 12 March 2020 agreed to recommended to Full Council the inclusion of the Park View 4 U Group on the approved list of Outside Bodies for Fylde Council. In addition, the Committee nominated Councillor Michael Sayward as the Council's representative on the Group.
- In response to changes in roles and responsibilities over recent weeks Councillor Roger Small has taken on additional tasks and is also no longer a member of the Tourism & Leisure committee. Councillor Small has been the appointed representative for the council on Lowther Trust however, with the additional challenges as a Chairman and Deputy Leader as a result of COVID 19 it is proposed that a new appointment is made for Lowther Trust.
- Appointments to Outside Bodies are proposed by the respective committee and approved by Full Council. After discussion with the Chairman of the Tourism & Leisure Committee it is proposed that Councillor Susan Fazackerley is appointed as the council representative for Lowther Trust.
- The Trust is facing significant challenges as a result of the impact on live performances from COVID 19, the recovery plan for the theatre is in already in development. It is important and appropriate that the council representative is fully engaged in the recovery program and that a new appointment is made at this meeting rather than the October council.

| IMPLICATIONS | |
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| Finance | There are no financial implications arising from this report |
| Legal | None as a result of this report |
| Community Safety | None as a result of this report |
| Human Rights and Equalities | None as a result of this report |
| Sustainability and Environmental Impact | None as a result of this report |
| Health & Safety and Risk Management | None as a result of this report |

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| BACKGROUND PAPERS | | |
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| Name of document | Date | Where available for inspection |
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