

## REPRESENTATIONS

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RESOURCES DIRECTORATE	COUNCIL	7 FEBRUARY 2022	5

### QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

#### PUBLIC ITEM

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

#### SUMMARY

One question has been received from Members of the Council before the requisite deadline, as outlined in Procedural Standing Orders for Council and Committees of Part 4 of the Council's Constitution, and before the statutory deadline for publication of the agenda.

If any further questions are received before the constitutional deadline, as outlined above, they will be circulated prior to the meeting for members' information, under separate cover.

Any questions will be heard during the Council meeting on 7 February 2022 and a response will be given by the Leader of the Council or any other member nominated by her.

#### Question 1 - From Councillor Gill - received 27 January 2022

*"Fylde Borough Council are about to embark on spending in excess of £2m on new sea defences at St Annes. These have been designed to enhance the social amenity of the beach which includes better access and a stepped arrangement to allow residents and visitors to sit and enjoy the view.*

*Unfortunately, at the rate of progress of the spartina grass encroaching the beach it will be only a matter of time before we all enjoy the grassy and mud flats of St Annes. The council failed to act to save Lytham's sandy beaches, which disappeared due to the silt and grass. Attempts have been made to reintroduce sand to Granny's Bay, all to no avail.*

*Can the Leader please explain what steps are being taken to eradicate this threat to the future prosperity of St Annes."*