	Outside Body	Councillor	Report Status	
Operational Management Committee, 11/9/18 meeting				
	Fairhaven and Church Scar Coastal Defence Project Board	Thomas ThreIfall	Attached	
	Lancashire Waste Partnership	Vice-Chairman, Sandra Pitman on behalf of	Attached	
	PATROL	Chairman, Roger Small John Kirkham	Nil Return-no meetings	
	Sintropher Working Group	John Kirkham	Nil Return-no meetings	

Outside Bodies - Member Reporting Form

Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Councillor Thomas Threlfall
Period this report covers (date):	
Name of Outside Body:	Fairhaven and Church Scar Coastal Defence Project Board
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	In recent weeks the project has gone exceedingly well
affect decisions regarding budget setting, challenges for residents, policy changes that	Good management and excellent weather has helped - also it is ahead of schedule in that I have put it to the board that consideration should be discussed re finance returns to help finance the Granny's bay additional work which is in the process of being funded.
(continue on a separate sheet if necessary).	
Who did you inform of these issues within Fylde Borough Council?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	
Any further comments? (continue on a separate sheet if necessary)	

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Details	
Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Sandra Pitman, Vice Chairman Op. Management
Email	cllr.spitman@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	March - August 2018
Name of Outside Body:	Lancashire Waste Partnership
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Quarterly I attended on behalf of the Chairman, on March 22 & July 26 2018
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	Any further increased costs incurred in waste collection as a result of new initiatives to improve household recycling rates eg food waste reduction targets by end of 2023. LCC decision to suspend/cease the acceptance of hard plastic waste at their Household Recycling Centres and increase Fylde's residual wa Publicity for reducing, reusing and recycling waste - campaigns launched by LCC which can be disseminated in Fylde.
	Examples of issues could be those that may affect decisions regarding budget setting, challenges for residents, policy changes that affect partnership working etc
Who did you inform of these issues within Fylde Borough Council?	The Chairman of Operation Management
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the	
Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	
Any further comments?	It must be remembered that the interests of Fylde as a waste collector are not totally consistent with LCC as the waste disposal authority. The impact of the withdrawal of the LCC subsidy has had a very significant impact on Fylde and all other districts. While the amount of unrecyclable waste continues to rise as solutions to the problem of single use plastics are awaited, it is important to remember that district authorities which collect are not going to solve the major issues - industry & manufacturers of packaging etc must take greater responsibility. The difficult tasks of education the public to reduce waste, improve their recycling(and not contaminate their bins) lies with Fylde. Getting the important messages across is not easy. Fly tipping by individuals and irresponsible waste carriers is an important issue for Fylde. The support of the Environment Agency and the police (not always forthcoming) is essential for successful prosecutions. The implications of the Government's Deposit-Return scheme on the household waste collection service is as yet unknown. Please share publicity generated by National Recycling week on social media in late September.