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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr Gail Goodman - Member
Email	cllr.ggoodman@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	29 November 2017
Name of Outside Body:	Fylde, Lancs and Wyre Children's Partnership Board
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	This organisation meets every four months and I attended this meeting.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	Safeguarding issues - Hayley Clarke Children and Family Wellbeing Service (formerly Wellbeing, Prevention and Early Help), Charlotte Iddon. Supporting Care Leavers into Employability - Charlotte Iddon. Opportunities for Care Leavers - Chair. Wyre Participation Report - Debbie Terras.
	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?	Kathy Winstanley attended.
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	In light of our more vulnerable children, including those with SEND, and their families within the Fylde, it is critical that we maintain the contact with this Body, and act upon any issues which directly affect our children and young people.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr. Gail Goodman - Rep for FBC
Email	cllr.ggoodman@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	18 October 2017
Name of Outside Body:	Children's Services Scrutiny Committee - Lancs CC
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Every two months, and I have attended two out of three meetings to date.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	Tracking of Care Leavers - Overview of new process. Homelessness Protocol and Supported Accommodation. (There is a power point presentation available for information, if required, by Tracy Poole-Nandy, HOS Central Lancs CC) Children's Services Scrutiny Committee Work Plan 2017/18.
	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?	Reported back via the Partnership Board
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	In the Autumn of 2017, a vacancy became available on this Scrutiny Committee, held at County Hall, Preston, for a representative from the Children's Partnership Board. I was elected upon expressing an interest and this is the first meeting.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr. Gail Goodman - Rep for FBC
Email	cllr.ggoodman@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	6 December 2017
Name of Outside Body:	Children's Services Scrutiny Committee - Lancs CC
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	This organisation meets every two month and I have attended 2 out of the last 3 meetings.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	Secure accommodation. Recruitment and Retention - Children's Social Care. Children's Services Scrutiny Committee Work Plan 2017/18 - for ongoing debate and discussion.
	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?	Informed through the Children's Partnership Board
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	The Work Plan is critical in ensuring the ongoing effectiveness of this Organisation. It covers issues such as identified areas for Savings 2018/19 - 2020/21. e.g. Family Information Service Children's Social Care, Fostering and Residential. and the Newton Europe Diagnostic. SEND- Information and Advice and Support. Youth Offending Team Children and Family Wellbeing Service. Special Guardianship Order Section 17 Payments. etc.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr.Gail Goodman - Rep for FBC
Email	cllr.ggoodman@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	31 January 2018
Name of Outside Body:	Children's Services Scrutiny Committee - Lancs CC
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Every two months and I have attended 2 out of the last 3 meetings, as a newly elected representative.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>Scrutiny of Budget Proposals for 2018/19.</p> <p>Joint Local Area SEND/ Inspection in Lancashire - this issue has given some cause for concern as Ofsted have deemed Lancashire SEND Services to 'have room for improvement'.</p> <p>A detailed discussion and a close scrutiny of the Ofsted Report by Offices highlighted those areas which were of most concern. There were a good number of questions from the Councillors present and a clear promise that there would be much work put into the issues raised.</p> <p>Children's Services Scrutiny Committee's Work Plan 2017/18. (See previous meeting 6 December 2017)</p>
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Who did you inform of these issues within Fylde Borough Council?	Informed through Children's Partnership Board
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	<p>The results of the Ofsted Report on Lancashire's SEND services caused concern and affect all local areas - East Lancs, Chorley, Greater Preston and South Ribble, Morecambe Bay, Fylde and Wyre,, West Lancashire, Blackpool, Blackburn with Darwen.</p> <p>Many queries and questions were taken away by the Officers for close perusal.</p>

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Ben Aitken
Email	
Period this report covers (date):	January 2018
Name of Outside Body:	Fylde Safety and Community Partnership
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Every four months regular attender
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	Particular attention is given to crime and disorder in Fylde. Crime reduction initiatives. Looking after the most vulnerable, particularly substance misuse. Fylde has more alcohol related problems than drugs. Road safety, domestic abuse and reoffending initiatives with input from the Probation Service. Also input from Public Health and Fire Service. From March there will be 8 new PSBO's beginning 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?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	Asking questions about cyber bullying i.e. on line death threats etc.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr. Gail Goodman - Representative
Email	cllr.ggoodman@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	27 September 2017
Name of Outside Body:	Blackpool, Wyre and Fylde Council for Voluntary Se
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	This organisation meets quarterly, and I attended on this date.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>The Chair of this organisation is retiring at its AGM on 12 October 2017. Consequently, there appears to be no-one to be taking his place, and to date, there have been no notification of further meetings.</p> <p>At this meeting, key issues involved Finance and the Gateway Grant for Fylde and Wyre.</p> <p>A meeting was to take place with Simon Lawton of LACVS in order to look at the best bid in relation to the Health and Well Being Fund and the Connected Communities Innovation - the second being more appropriate for volunteers.</p>
	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?	-
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	It is worthwhile to continue to have a representative on this Body, providing regular meetings continue, following the Chair's resignation.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr. Viv Willder
Email	cllr.vwillder@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	Oct 17-Feb 18
Name of Outside Body:	Face to Face (YMCA HOUSING)
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	About 4 times a year. All of them.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>The YMCA Housing has areas that do and have funding from FBC.</p> <p>For instance....the new "PATERSON HOUSE" build had a grant allocated from 106 monies and their own YMCA funding.</p> <p>A beautiful build that will and has helped 18/25 year old young (working) people who had nowhere to live independently from various "homeless" areas.</p> <p>"Harbour House" that looks after vulnerable young people, has and is losing grant monies over the next two years. A decision on this is ongoing!</p>
	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?	Committee, Chairman and FBC officers
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	A wonderful YMCA Sub Committee, who are dedicated to help "young people" find housing, work etc

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Email	cllr.vwillder@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	Oct 17-Feb 18
Name of Outside Body:	Fylde & Wyre Health & Wellbeing Partnership
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Regularly, missed one last August but a FBC officer also there.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>As this is a Partnership, with clinical/support officers from NHS, Progress Housing, Regenda, Wyre and Fylde Council LCC, YMCA and the Police, many subjects are discussed thoroughly for all of F&W residents.</p> <p>One issue that was pertaining to ALL was the " Fylde Coast Accountable Care" arrangements (ACS) and this was also being used in Lancashire and South Cumbria.</p> <p>Therefore to be changed to " Accountable Care Partnership" (ACP). A commitment to empowering people and to take greater responsibility for their own health.</p> <p>This noted that funding would possibly be reduced in the future. and would need to tap into other organisations, such as the private sector, football clubs and other support groups in Lancashire to review joint strategic needs and to avoid duplication.</p>
	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?	Committee, Chairman
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	The Partnership, are fully informed by Fylde officers giving "their" ideas and "what" Fylde has/is doing for the past and the future.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr. Linda Nulty
Email	cllr.lnulty@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	Up to 22/02/2018
Name of Outside Body:	Citizen's Advice Fylde
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Every 6-8 weeks. I have attended nearly all meetings, though there are sometimes clashes with other commitments
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	Advice given on many different aspects and challenges of life for our residents, often FBC issues, including benefits.
	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?	Reports are sent to the Council directly via Tracy
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	There have been some changes to the Management Committee with new Trustees and a newly elected Chairman. Good use is being made of the appointment system for clients in Lytham St. Annes being held at the Town Hall. Manning the Bureau all day every day including the telephone advice line, is a challenge, but new volunteers are being recruited constantly. There are many complex issues being dealt with very effectively by the C.A. and it is hard to imagine where else many clients could turn to for help with their problems. It also helps both organisations that Fylde Foodbank is located in the same building allowing Foodbank vouchers to be issued and fulfilled easily when necessary.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	John Singleton C.A.B.
Email	johnsingleton1@outlook.com
Period this report covers (date):	February 2018
Name of Outside Body:	C.A.B. Kirkham
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	4 times per 12 months Have not attended since I became Mayor due to Civic and fundraising duties.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	Other Councillors are also on this outside body and will be providing reports
	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?	n/a
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	The next meeting is on the 6th March which I will be free to attend.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr Gail Goodman- Representative
Email	cllr.ggoodman@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	6 September 2017
Name of Outside Body:	Just Good Friends
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	This organisation meets almost daily for its members - offering many varied activities and events. As new representatives of JGF, we are invited to the AGM and any of the regular meetings.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>A new organisation now belonging to the Outside Bodies and represented by Cllr. Viv Willder and myself.</p> <p>It is noted that new residents, within our Wards, particularly those who may be alone and/or vulnerable be advised of this facility and encouraged to drop in for coffee and a chat.</p> <p>On the day of the AGM, we were welcomed and a Guest Speaker from United Utilities gave information upon saving water and special arrangements for those who may be affected by a water shortage, and access to bottled water.</p>
	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?	Group Meeting of Conservatives
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	This is a worthwhile Body with regard to ensuring friendship and contact for those who may be new to the area or, indeed, recently bereaved.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr. Viv Willder
Email	cllr.vwillder@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	Oct 17-Feb 18
Name of Outside Body:	Just Good Friends
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	They meet 4 times a week in various places in St Anne's. I have been to see them 3 times. At the Palace.....and at the Vic Hotel since November to present date! Always welcomed and lovely people!
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	None.
	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?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	A great group who have now expanded into Fleetwood. Although early days...the small group were welcomed by THE HEALTHY FLEETWOOD initiative through Wyre Council in conjunction with Fylde & Wyre Health and Wellbeing Partnership. If anyone wants to see what "Just Good Friends" are doing and where.....go to.... www.justgoodfriends.org.uk

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Ben Aitken
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Period this report covers (date):	Nov 2017
Name of Outside Body:	Fylde Coast Water Quality
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Every two or three months
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>Looked at the recently released water quality issues. Conclusion is that the quality has improved but could be better. Input from UU and the EA.</p> <p>A day is being prepared in B/pool to review everything pertaining to the group, including frequency of meetings.</p>
	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?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Councillor Viv Willder
Email	cllr.vwillder@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	Oct 17-Feb 18
Name of Outside Body:	LCC Health and Wellbeing Board
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Regularly, only missed one meeting and a substitute attended in my place (Cllr Aitken)
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	Ensuring that Fylde's health needs are recognised due to its age profile and the mostly rural nature of the borough. This is stark contrast to many other of the Lancashire authorities, a lot of the focus is on urban areas.
	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?	Committee, Chairman and officers
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	Need to ensure that Fylde gets a proportion of grant monies in the future to offset any health needs.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Ben Aitken
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Period this report covers (date):	Summer 2017
Name of Outside Body:	Springfield Liaison Committee
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Every four months, I try to attend all.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	Extra meeting at Lea Golf Club looking at the implications of fallout in the areas around the plant. This was to allow Councillors to checkout what was to be released to the public.
	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?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Roger Lloyd Observer
Email	r.lloyd@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	Oct 17
Name of Outside Body:	Springfields
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	6 months ,I have missed one
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>29% of UKs electricity is provided by the nuclear industry Westinghouse is the US. LTD Company that runs The reprocessing at Springfield. Westinghouse USA LTD went into administration on the 29th of march 2017 There have been no inquiries from Cuadrilla to remove Uranium from their waste production to Springfield for reprocessing, and we were assured that possible earthquakes from Cuadrillas activities would not be a problem to Springfields site security. On the whole now there is less low level waste in the Nuclear Industry due to technological advances and more efficient clean up practices There was one leak of low level radiation on site as a weld failed on a storage unit ,resulting in a Kilo of waste not being contained.</p> <p>The recent safety record of the facility has been improving year on year ,resulting in the facility gaining 2 awards for safety practices for this year alone.</p>
	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?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Roger Lloyd observer
Email	R.lloyd@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	Aug /sept
Name of Outside Body:	Tasking and Co-Ordinating
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Usually once a month
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>* 80% of police work is attributed to mental health issues.</p> <p>*. St Annes and Klrkham police stations front desks will now close in april 2018</p> <p>*. The police in Lancashire have 75 million pounds less than they had in 2010</p> <p>* From April 2017 the ways crimes are reported has changed,previously the police had 3 days to report a crime,now they have 24 hours,which has led police to report more crime initially until they determine if a crime has occurred after further investigation .crimes reported can be negated.</p> <p>*. However violent crime is despite the changes of police reporting procedure on the increase</p>
	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?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	This is a very worthwhile and informative committee,one that gives a real insight into police activities on a monthly basis.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Roger Lloyd
Email	Cllr.rhlloyd@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	Sept / Oct
Name of Outside Body:	Tasking and Coordinating
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Usually once a month nearly all of them
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>There is a shortage of community beat police managers in the Fylde. (Four have been identified) .CBMs are usually responsible for specific areas and their role is similar to old fashioned policing being seen and connecting with their respective communities, and enhancing quality of life issues for local residents</p> <p>The police and crime commissioner has released funds for voluntary street wardens for patrols in targeted areas</p> <p>"The Harbour " has usually up to 5 police in attendance on call there .</p> <p>Crime figures suggest that things are levelling out and in some cases decreasing this month.</p>
	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?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Roger Lloyd
Email	Cllr.rlloyd@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	Oct/Nov
Name of Outside Body:	Tasking and coordinating
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Once a month ...nearly all of them
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>Drink Drive Xmas campaign to be launched soon it will also include this year roadside testing for drugs such as cannabis and cocaine and other substances</p> <p>A worrying trend in the Fylde is the steep rise in domestic abuse up 29% on last years figures</p>
	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?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Cllr Roger Lloyd
Email	Cllr.rlloyd@fylde.gov
Period this report covers (date):	January February
Name of Outside Body:	Police tasking and coordinating
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Usually every month
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>There will be 8 more PCSOs on duty in the summer effectively doubling their numbers.. The police in Lancashire have seen 100 million pounds reduction of their funding since 2010</p> <p>There has been a significant increase in neighbour disputes in the Fylde since Xmas Domestic abuse was up on last year by 27%</p> <p>Nitrous oxide containers are being used by youngsters in the Ansdell area Lytham in particular has become a Mecca for cocaine dealers and users and is rapidly becoming one of the worst areas in Lancashire for its abuse. The police are now targeting the town.</p> <p>Car theft particularly in the rural areas has seen a significant increase Also of note is the increase in Lead thefts.</p>
	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?	
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?	

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Call Angela Jacques Trustee
Email	Cllr.ajacques@fylde.gov.uk
Period this report covers (date):	Oct to Feb
Name of Outside Body:	Ormerod trust
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Mainly every two months . Extra have been necessary due to developments regarding the organisation. Of the 6 meetings have attended 5. The missed one due to a clash with a hearing at F B C.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	None apart from an inspection of the old council offices for maybe new office premises but was thought the cost of converting for suitable use was not viable.
	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?	Up the the chief exec to do this.
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	No

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Ben Aitken
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Period this report covers (date):	Nov-Jan2018
Name of Outside Body:	PCC Panel
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	Fairly regularly every two months, regular attender.
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	<p>Previous November meeting was to look at the implications for the Jan budget meeting and future developments.</p> <p>At the January meeting the budget was agreed despite strong questions about the £10m IT spend and the reasons for the PCC not outlining each item of spend. The £1.4m PCC Office costs were queried. It is expected that the PCC consultation on raising the precept will be accepted allowing continuous increases of income from local taxpayers.</p>
	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?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	PCC Forum is dysfunctional and is dealt with at other meetings.

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Councillor Name and Role on Outside Body (for example, Observer, Trustee, Director)	Ben Aitken
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Period this report covers (date):	Nov 2017
Name of Outside Body:	Registered Providers (RSO)
How often does the organisation meet? And how often have you attended?	At present every two months
Key issues arising for Fylde Borough Council	Everything is proceeding satisfactorily with the six RPs. However changes are required. Questions are being asked as to the regularity of meeting and having each RP committed to the Choice Based Letting policy.
	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?	
In the light of these meetings, is it worthwhile for the Council to continue to have a representative/representatives on this body?	Yes
Any further comments?	Expect a statement after the next meeting