

ROYTON DISTRICT EXECUTIVE Agenda

Date Monday 5 March 2018

Time 6.00 pm

Venue Royton Town Hall, Rochdale Road, Royton, Oldham, OL2 6QG

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MEMBERSHIP OF THE ROYTON DISTRICT EXECUTIVE IS AS FOLLOWS:

Councillors M Bashforth, S Bashforth, Chadderton, J Larkin (Chair), Phythian and Roberts

Item No

1 Apologies For Absence

2 Urgent Business

Urgent business, if any, introduced by the Chair

3 Declarations of Interest

To Receive Declarations of Interest in any Contract or matter to be discussed at the meeting.

4 Public Question Time

To receive Questions from the Public, in accordance with the Council's Constitution.

5 Minutes of Previous Meeting (Pages 1 - 2)

The Minutes of the Royton District Executive meeting held on 15th January 2018 are attached for approval.

6 Royton Community Forum minutes (Pages 3 - 6)

Minutes of the Community Forum meeting held on 15th January 2018 to note

7 Budget Report (Pages 7 - 12)

8 Petitions

Standing item

9 Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Royton District Executive will be held on Monday 4th June 2018 at 6pm. This date is subject to the approval of Annual Council on 23rd May 2018.

ROYTON DISTRICT EXECUTIVE
15/01/2018 at 6.00 pm



Oldham
Council

Present: Councillors M Bashforth, S Bashforth, Chadderton, Phythian and Roberts

Also in Attendance:

Elizabeth Fryman

Royton District Co-ordinator

Fabiola Fuschi

Constitutional Services Officer

1 **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Larkin.

In the absence of Councillor Larkin, Councillor Roberts chaired the meeting.

2 **URGENT BUSINESS**

There were no items of urgent business received.

3 **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

There were no declarations of interest received.

4 **MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING**

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Royton District Executive meeting held on 27th November 2017 be approved as a correct record.

5 **ROYTON COMMUNITY FORUM MINUTES - 27TH NOVEMBER 2017**

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Royton Community Forum meeting held on 27th November 2017 be noted.

6 **ROYTON, SHAW AND CROMPTON HEALTH AND WELLBEING MINUTES 7TH DECEMBER 2017**

RESOLVED that the minutes of the Royton, Shaw and Crompton Health and Wellbeing sub-group held on 7th December 2017 be noted.

7 **ROYTON BUDGET REPORT AND APPENDIX A**

Consideration was given to a report of the Royton District Coordinator which provided an update on the allocation of resources for the current municipal year.

It was reported that a delegated decision had been taken by the Chair of the Royton District Executive and the Executive Director Economy, Skills and Neighbourhoods, following consultation with the Elected Members for Royton South. The decision concerned an allocation of £600 from the Royton South ward capital budget towards the cost of a road safety scheme at Hilbre Avenue, bringing the combined total allocation to £6,100. The District Executive was asked to note the decision.

RESOLVED that:

1. The content of the report be noted.

2. The delegated decision concerning an allocation of £600 from the Royton South ward capital budget towards the cost of a road safety scheme at Hilbre Avenue, bringing the combined total allocation to £6,100 be noted.
3. The allocations made from individual councillors budgets since the last meeting be noted.

8 **PETITIONS**

There were no petitions to note.

9 **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

RESOLVED that the next meeting of the Royton District Executive take place on 5th March 2018 at 6pm.

The meeting started at 6.00 pm and ended at 6.05 pm



ROYTON COMMUNITY FORUM MEETING
Monday 15 January 2018
6.00pm
 Royton Town Hall, Rochdale Road, Royton

Minutes

Present	
Cllr H Roberts	Royton North
Cllr J Larkin	Royton North
Cllr C Phythian	Royton North
Cllr M Bashforth	Royton South
Cllr S Bashforth	Royton South
Cllr A Chadderton	Royton South
Liz Fryman	R,S & C District Coordinator
Linda Cain	Business Support Officer
Members of the public x 10	
Apologies	
PS Steve Hall	GMP

1. Welcome and Apologies:

- Cllr Hannah Roberts welcomed everyone to the meeting. Cllr James Larkin has been delayed in traffic.

2. Minutes of the last meeting for approval:

- Noted and agreed

3. Matters arising from the minutes of the last meeting.

Action 4.3: *Cllr S Bashforth -Community meeting to discuss house burglary and car crime – Cllr Bashforth unable to confirm dates as yet.*

Action 3.1: LF and LC to confirm dates for the burglary/car crime meeting

Action 5.4: *Royton Town Hall front door to be a second entrance – This has been considered, but will decrease Library floor space. The doors will be kept as an original feature.*

Action 5.5: *Request for old clinic site could the land be top soiled and seeded – Site to be marketed in the next couple of months. Cllrs requested sight of the quotes for the top soil/seeding options.*

Action 3.2: LF to obtain the quotes given for top soil/seeding old clinic site

Action 7.7: *James is organising a speed survey at Middleton Road/High Barn St junction and will report back - Ongoing*

Action 7.9: *LF to request a stronger PA system for next year from the Mayors' office – Requested for next time*

Action 7.10: *LF to check progress regarding the Tandle Hill monument with Environmental Services - We now have competitive quotes and will action the following works: Replace railings around the memorial, Renew crushed stone surfacing around immediate vicinity of the memorial, Reinstatement to grass areas on completion of works.*

The plaque on the memorial to be looked at to see what can be done; in consultation with planning conservation officer Karen Heverin

Action 7.12: *LF to obtain Council Tax figures for the next meeting* – Completed and passed to resident. Printer is not working at this time and further copies will be available for the public at the next meeting.

4. Police Update:

No Police attended the meeting although a report was provided

- Increases in both violent crime and assault without injury compared to previous year
- Increases in robbery, burglary, theft of motor vehicle compared to previous year
- Decrease in residential burglary compared to previous year
- Decrease overall with ASB issues in Royton South and Royton North

5. Royton Regeneration – Royton Town Hall & Library

Q: MEN article about Royton Hall being improved? What is happening?

A: The article was referring to the Royton Masterplan, which sets out improvement ambitions for the town. There are many ideas in the document, but as yet, there is no budget available. It is a vision document so that if and when budgets become available we have a strong idea of what could be done.

Q: Is Wetherspoons coming to Royton?

A: Gossip and rumour

Q: How many books will there be in the Library

A: Design of the Library will be done by a specialist company. The Library is not just about books anymore, there is high demand for activities and ITC equipment too, which is being planned into the layout. As yet we do not have that level of detail available.

Q: Resident asked if Royton has been the beneficiary of any of the funding available to local authorities from landfill sites or development sites, for example.

A: Yes, we have benefitted a number of times from this type of funding, most recently for improvements at Shaw Rd end park and Royton Park.

Q: Residents asked if there were going to be any changes to the zebra crossing following the accident before Christmas?

A: We are waiting for accident report following which all options will be looked at again.

6. Councillor Updates:

Cllrs gave a flavour of the work they have been involved in since the last meeting:

Royton North:

Cllr H Roberts:

- Redevelopment of Royton Town Hall/Library
- Brownfield sites and register available online. Shows sites available for development within the next 5 years; some have planning permission but not all.
- Enforcement action taken at Thornham Mill regarding A boards and banners
- Warm Homes Oldham – Funds available for central heating in a home where there is none at present; by referral

Cllr J Larkin:

- Meetings are continuing with Regeneration regarding the library and town hall development.
- Enforcement action at Thornham Mill with Cllr Roberts
- Thorpe Road/ Holly Estate development
- 402 Bus route

Cllr C Phythian:

- Busy with case work
- Redevelopment of Royton Town Hall/Library
- Value for money and performance board meeting attended.

Royton South:

Cllr M Bashforth:

- Busy with casework
- Redevelopment of Royton Town Hall/Library
- Warm homes Oldham – referral
- Planning issues, Public Health and Get Oldham Working
- Urgent Care in Oldham - improvements

Cllr S Bashforth:

- Case work busy
- Redevelopment of Royton Town Hall/Library
- Plans for new homes in the town are looking good. Town houses with off road parking.

Cllr Chadderton:

- Redevelopment of Royton Town Hall/Library
- Licensing issues and Royton PSPO
- Plans for new homes at old Police station and Byron St area
- Casework is busy

7. Public Questions

7.1 Q: 412 bus being changed

A: Cllr Phythian is to send an email and find out what is happening

Action: 4 Cllr Phythian to find out information about change to 412 bus route

7.2 Q: What is being done about the bus shelters that are being kicked in. Can we get cameras.

A: These are being replaced as quickly as possible. Cameras are not cost effective and these people will destroy them even if a camera is there

7.3 Q: The Dog and Partridge pub is being vandalised. What is the future of this building

A: Don't know what is happening with this but can be checked.

Action 5: LF to check what is happening with the Dog and Partridge pub

7.4 Q: Fly tipping at the shops/supermarket at the bottom of Haggate. Who owns the spare land and what is being done about this.

A: Cllr Larkin requested we look into where this is and who owns the land

Action 6: LF to check who owns the land at the bottom of Haggate and the area where people are fly tipping. (Haggate OL2 5DU)

7.5 Q: Can we stop young people using gas canisters at Tandle Hill park

A: They are not illegal and can be bought from the internet.

7.6 Q: Hindle Drive flooded again today after heavy rain. This is a regular occurrence.

Gutters are cleared and UU comes now and again to look at this but just a short fix.

A: Cllr Larkin said this is the first he has heard about this problem (St Pauls School area) and this will be looked into.

Action 7: LF to look at the flooding issue at Hindle Drive and what is being done about this.

8. Any Other Business

Resident advised of a scheme for ex-service men – To have passes which will allow them priority with jobs, housing etc.

Cllr S Bashforth gave thanks to the District Team for the Christmas Lights switch on event saying what a fantastic day it turned out to be.

9. Date of Next Meeting:

Monday 05 March 2018, 6.00pm at Royton Town Hall



Report to Royton District Executive

Budget Report

Portfolio Holder:

Cllr B Brownridge, Cabinet Member for Cooperatives & Neighbourhoods

Officer Contact: Liz Fryman, District Co-ordinator
Ext. 5161

Date: 5 March 2018

Reason for Decision

For the District Executive to approve budget allocations.

Recommendations

1. For the District Executive to note allocations made from individual Cllr budgets since the last meeting.

- Royton District Events: each Councillor has allocated £1,000 towards the cost of events in the District over the coming year, for example Christmas, Summer, Town Hall open Day.
- Environmental Improvement Schemes: All ward Cllrs have contributed to a combined allocation of £9,183.86 towards the cost of environmental improvement schemes.

2. For the District Executive to approve the following Royton North ward revenue allocations:

- £1,000 Latics Community Programme: this will provide 16 football sessions for young people during the school holidays.
- £1,000 towards projects which promote and enhance the refurbished library and Town Hall when it re-opens.
- £5,500 towards the cost of additional benefit advice sessions.

3. For the District Executive to approve the following Royton South ward revenue allocations:

- £5,000 towards the cost of improving Royton Park play area.
- £2,500 towards the cost of environmental improvements within the ward.

4. For the District Executive to approve the following Royton North capital ward allocation:

- £5,000 towards the cost of improving Royton Park play area.

5. For the District Executive to approve the following Royton South capital ward allocation:

- £3,900 towards the cost of environmental improvement schemes.

1 Current Position

1.1 District Executive Ward Budgets

The District Executive has a total allocation of £40,000 (£10,000 revenue per ward and £10,000 capital per ward) which is available to help meet the priorities set out in the District Plan.

Decisions on this funding will be made by the District Executive.

1.2 Individual Councillor Allowance

Each Borough Councillor has an allowance of £5,000 on which they may take decisions. Councillors may also decide to pool their individual allowance in order to joint fund agreed projects.

2. 2017/18 Ward Revenue Budget allocations

Since the last meeting, there have been no new allocations proposed from the ward revenue budgets.

The Royton North Cllrs would like to recommend the following allocations:

2.1 £1,000 Latics Community Programme: this will provide 16 football sessions for young people during the school holidays.

2.2 £1,000 towards projects which promote and enhance the refurbished library and Town Hall when it re-opens.

2.3 £5,500 towards the cost of additional benefit advice sessions.

The Royton South Cllrs would like to recommend the following allocations:

2.4 £5,000 towards the cost of improving Royton Park play area.

2.5 £2,500 towards the cost of environmental improvements within the ward.

3. 2017/18 Ward Capital Budget allocations

The Royton North Cllrs would like to recommend the following allocations:

3.1 £5,000 towards the cost of improving Royton Park play area.

3.2 £5,000 towards the cost of environmental improvement schemes.

The Royton South Cllrs would like to recommend the following allocations:

3.3 £3,900 towards the cost of environmental improvement schemes.

4. 2017/18 Individual Councillor Budget allocations

Since the last meeting of the District Executive, the following allocations have been made from individual Cllr budgets.

Royton District Events: each Councillor has allocated £1,000 towards the cost of events in the District over the coming year, for example Christmas, Summer, Town Hall open Day.

Environmental Improvement Schemes: All ward Cllrs have contributed to a combined allocation of £9,183.86 towards the cost of environmental improvement schemes.

5. Financial Implications

	<u>Ward Revenue</u>	<u>Ward Capital</u>	<u>Councillor 's Budget</u>	<u>Total</u>
Budget Allocation	20,000	20,000	30,000.00	70,000.00
Previously approved spend	5,000	6,100	13,316	24,416
Proposed Spend	15,000	13,900	16,683	45,583
Remaining Allocation	0	0	0	0

Royton District Partnership 2017-18

Project/Initiative	Project Lead	Project Cost	Councillor Budget						Royton North	Royton South revenue	Royton North	Royton South capital
			£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00	£ 10,000.00	£ 10,000.00	£ 10,000.00	£ 10,000.00
			Royton North			Royton South						
Councillor Budget £5k per Cllr	Cllr Budget	Committed	James Larkin	Hannah Roberts	Clint Phythian	Amanda Chadderton	Marie Bashforth	Steven Bashforth				
		£ 30,000										
Grit bin Kirkdale Dr / Wensleydale Cl (4 refills x £76.39)	RN Cllrs	£ 305.56	£ 101.86	£ 101.85	£ 101.85							
Grit bin Dendbydale Way / Harewood Dr (4 refills x £76.39)	RN Cllrs	£ 305.56	£ 101.86	£ 101.85	£ 101.85							
Grit bin Rainshaw St / Cecil St / Church St (4 refills x £76.39)	RN Cllrs	£ 305.56	£ 101.86	£ 101.85	£ 101.85							
Summer/Winter planting based (Actual 16/17 costs)	All Cllrs	£ 3,041.81	£ 506.97	£ 506.97	£ 506.97	£ 506.97	£ 506.97	£ 506.96				
Heyside Summer/Winter planting (Actual 16/17 cost)	Royton South	£ 702.65				£ 234.22	£ 234.22	£ 234.21				
Christmas Lights and tree at Shaw Rd end Price increase on tree 2017 (Total £934.91) - Taken from CF Ref 67/69	All Cllrs	£ 5,000.00	£ 833.34	£ 833.33	£ 833.33	£ 833.33	£ 833.33	£ 833.34				
Tandle Hill memorial event - Stage hire	All Cllrs	£ 1,400.00	£ 233.33	£ 233.33	£ 233.33	£ 233.33	£ 233.33	£ 233.35				
Dr Kershaws Christmas tree Price increase 2017 (Total £575)	RS Cllrs	£ 575.00				£ 191.66	£ 191.67	£ 191.67				
Royton RBL branch	RS Cllrs	£ 300.00				£ 100.00	£ 100.00	£ 100.00				
Heyside Neighbourhood Council	RS Cllrs	£ 300.00				£ 100.00	£ 100.00	£ 100.00				
Royton Veterans Bowling Club	RS Cllrs	£ 300.00				£ 100.00	£ 100.00	£ 100.00				
Royton Town AFC	RS Cllrs	£ 300.00				£ 100.00	£ 100.00	£ 100.00				
Heyside Christmas poster printing	RS Cllrs	£ 130.00				£ 43.33	£ 43.33	£ 43.34				
Perth Street & Cavendish Way clean up work	Cllr S Bashforth	£ 150.00						£ 150.00				
Royton Historical Society - Audio/Visual equipment		£ 200.00		£ 40.00	£ 40.00	£ 40.00	£ 40.00	£ 40.00				
Royton Events (eg. Christmas, Summer event, Town Hall open day)	All Cllrs	£ 6,000.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00	£ 1,000.00				
Celbrating 100 years of some women getting the vote	Cllr Roberts	£ 1,500.00		£ 1,500.00								
Environmental Improvement Schemes	All Cllrs	£ 9,183.86	£ 2,120.78	£ 580.82	£ 2,080.82	£ 1,517.16	£ 1,517.15	£ 1,367.13				
Total Councillor Budget		£ 30,000.00	£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00				
Remaining		£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -	£ -				
Ward Revenue Budget		£ 20,000										
Secure Homes Royton £540 AT Alarms	RS & RN	£ 5,000.00						£ 2,500.00	£ 2,500.00			
Latics Community Programme in Royton	RN	£ 1,000.00						£ 1,000.00				
Library and Town Hall re-opening projects	RN	£ 1,000.00						£ 1,000.00				
Benefit Advice sessions	RN	£ 5,500.00						£ 5,500.00				
Environmental Improvements	RS	£ 2,500.00							£ 2,500.00			
Royton Play Park Improvements	RS	£ 5,000.00							£ 5,000.00			
Total Ward Budget		£ 20,000.00										
Remaining		£ -										
Ward Capital Budget		£ 20,000										
Hilber Ave, traffic calming scheme	RS	£ 6,100.00										£ 6,100.00
Royton Play Park Improvements	RN & RS	£ 5,000.00									£ 5,000.00	
Royton North Environmental Improvement Scemes	RN	£ 5,000.00									£ 5,000.00	
Royton South Environmental Improvement Scemes	RS	£ 3,900.00										£ 3,900.00
Total Capital Budget		£ 20,000.00							£ 10,000.00	£ 10,000.00	£ 10,000.00	£ 10,000.00
Remaining		£ -							£ -	£ -		

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