#### COUNCIL 12/02/2025 at 7.55pm



**Present:** The Mayor – Councillor Chauhan (in the Chair)

Councillors Akhtar, Al-Hamdani, M Ali, Z Ali, Arnott, Aslam, Azad, Ball, Bashforth, Bishop, Brownridge, Byrne, Charters, Chowhan, Cosgrove, Davis, Dean, Ghafoor, Goodwin, Hamblett, Harkness, Hince, Hindle, Hobin, Hughes, Hurley, A Hussain, F Hussain, J. Hussain, S. Hussain, Ibrahim, Iqbal, Islam, Jabbar, Kenyon, Kouser, Lancaster, Marland, McLaren, Moores, Murphy, Mushtaq, Nasheen, Navesey, Quigg, Rustidge, Shah, Sharp, Sheldon, Shuttleworth, Sykes, Taylor, Wahid, Wilkinson, Williamson and Woodvine

#### 1 TO RECEIVE APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Malik.

# 2 TO RECEIVE DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST IN ANY MATTER TO BE DETERMINED AT THE MEETING

There were no declarations of interests.

# 3 OLDHAM COUNCIL REQUESTS TO WITHDRAW FROM PLACES FOR EVERYONE

Councillor Sykes MOVED and Councillor Al-Hamdani SECONDED the following MOTION:

Following recently published reports and debates, this council resolves to:

Instruct the Leader of the Council and the Acting Chief Executive to write to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government requesting that they remove Oldham Borough from the 'Places for Everyone' development plan.

Councillor Hince Spoke in support of the Motion.

Councillor Shah spoke on the Motion.

Councillor Sharp spoke in support of the Motion

Councillor Charters spoke on the Motion

Councillor Harkness spoke in support of the Motion

Councillor Marland spoke in support of the Motion

Councillor Shuttleworth spoke on the Motion

Councillor Hamblett spoke in support of the Motion

Councillor Dean spoke on the Motion

Councillor Hindle spoke on the Motion

Councillor Davis spoke on the Motion

Councillor Murphy spoke in support of the Motion

Councillor Jabbar spoke on the Motion

Councillor Ghafoor spoke in support of the Motion

Councillor Byrne spoke in support of the Motion

Councillor Lancaster spoke in support of the Motion

Councillor Brownridge spoke on the Motion

Councillor Akhtar spoke in support of the Motion

Councillor Taylor spoke on the Motion.

## Councillor Sykes exercised his right of reply



A recorded vote, in line with the Regulations was then taken on the MOTION as follows:

COUNCILLOR		COUNCILLOR	
Adams	FOR	Hussain Junaid	AGAINST
Christine			
Akhtar Shoab	FOR	Hussain Sajed	AGAINST
Al-Hamdani	FOR	Ibrahim Nyla	FOR
Sam			
Ali Mohon	AGAINST	Iqbal Nadeem	AGAINST
Ali Zaheer	FOR	Islam	AGAINST
		Mohammed	
		Nazrul	
Arnott Dave	FOR	Jabbar Abdul	AGAINST
Aslam Naseem	AGAINST	Kenyon Mark	FOR
Azad Montaz	FOR	Kouser Aisha	FOR
Ali			
Ball Sandra	FOR	Lancaster Luke	FOR
Bishop Helen	FOR	Malik Abdul	APOLOGIES
Bashforth	AGAINST	Marland Alicia	FOR
Marie		_	
Brownridge	AGAINST	McLaren Colin	AGAINST
Barbara			
Byrne Pam	FOR	Moores Eddie	AGAINST
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Charters Josh	AGAINST	Murphy Dave	FOR
Cosgrove	AGAINST	Mushtaq Shaid	AGAINST
Angela Chowhan	FOR	Nasheen Umar	AGAINST
Naveed	FUK	Nasheen Omai	AGAINST
Davis Peter	AGAINST	Navesey Lisa	FOR
Dean Peter	AGAINST	Quigg Lewis	FOR
Ghafoor	FOR	Rustidge Ken	AGAINST
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Goodwin Chris	AGAINST	Shah Arooj	AGAINST
Hamblett Louie	FOR	Sharp Beth	FOR
Harkness Garth	FOR	Sheldon	FOR
		Graham	
Harrison Holly	AGAINST	Shuttleworth	AGAINST
		Graham	
Hince Marc	FOR	Sykes Howard	FOR
Hindle Neil	AGAINST	Taylor Elaine	AGAINST
Hobin Brian	AGAINST	Wahid Abdul	FOR
Hughes Jade	FOR	Wilkinson Mark	FOR
Hurley Maggie	FOR	Williamson	FOR
	_	Diane	
Hussain Aftab	AGAINST	Woodvine Max	FOR
Hussain Fida	AGAINST	Chauhan Zahid	AGAINST
		(MAYOR)	

On a recorded VOTE being taken 31 VOTES were cast in FAVOUR of the MOTION with 28 VOTES cast AGAINST and there were 0 ABSTENTIONS. The MOTION was therefore CARRIED.



### **RESOLVED:**

That the Leader of the Council and the Acting Chief Executive be instructed to write to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government requesting that they remove Oldham Borough from the 'Places for Everyone' development plan.

The meeting started at 7.55pm and ended at 9.00pm