

OLDHAM METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL**APPOINTMENT TO OUTSIDE BODIES – 2017-18****GM BODIES****RA – Ruling Administration****OPP – Main Opposition**

Greater Manchester Forests Partnership – 2 places RA Contact: Anne Carpenter, Finance & Admin Officer, Tel: 0161 872 1660. Red Rose Forest, 6 Kansas Avenue, Salford M50 2GL Anne@redroseforest.co.uk			
Lab 2	Lib Dem 0		Notes
BALL BROWNRIDGE			Usually Cabinet member for Planning and Environment
<p>Purpose The role of the GM Forests Partnership is to bring synergies and focus to a number of key areas for Greater Manchester including-</p> <p>Highlighting the importance of trees and woods for Greater Manchester for;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • climate change adaptation and mitigation • image and inward investment • community health • managing water quality and quantity • biodiversity • timber products <p>Supporting and championing the development of the Manchester: City of Trees movement</p>			
<p>Benefits to Council The Council may contribute via donations or on a commissioned project basis.</p>			
<p>Commitment The Group will meet on quarterly basis</p>			
<p>Financial Commitment (if any)</p>			
<p>Attendance – Requirement</p>			

<p>Greater Manchester Pension Fund – 1 place RA Contact: Mrs C Eaton, Senior Democratic Services Officer, Tel: 0161 342 3050. Democratic Services, Tameside MBC, Room 8, Town Hall, King Street, Dukinfield, Tameside SK16 4LA Carolyn.eaton@tameside.gov.uk</p>
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Lab 1	Lib Dem 0		Notes
To be confirmed			
Purpose To manage the pension fund			
Benefits to Council			
Commitment The Greater Manchester Pension Fund Management/Advisory Panel meet 4 times in a municipal year. In addition to this, Members are appointed to Working Groups (usually 2 working groups per Member) which also each meet quarterly. Meetings are held at Guardsman Tony Downes House, 5 Manchester Road, Droylsden, Manchester. M43 6SF. Panel meetings usually commence at 10.00am and are approximately 2 ½ hrs in duration. Working Groups meetings have commence at a varying times – but are usually in the morning (Thursday/Friday) and can be anywhere between 1 – 2 ½ hrs duration, depending on the Group and the agenda.			
Financial Commitment (if any)			
Attendance – Requirement			

Greater Manchester Waste Disposal Authority – 2 places 2 RA Contact: Mrs S Mellor, Clerk of the GMWDA, Tel: 0161 770 1759. Clerk of the GMWDA, Media Chambers, 5 Barn St, Oldham OL1 1LP Sarah.Mellor@gmwda.gov.uk			
Lab 2	Lib Dem 0		Notes
HEWITT (S) BROCK			No requirement for political balance
Purpose The Greater Manchester Waste Disposal Authority (the Authority) was established on 1st January 1986 to dispose of waste collected by its constituent Waste Collection Authorities (WCAs) (namely Bolton MBC, Bury MBC, Manchester CC, Oldham Council, Rochdale MBC, Salford CC, Stockport MBC, Tameside MBC and Trafford MBC) and provide household waste recycling centres (HWRCs) for the use of members of the public. We are England's largest Waste Disposal Authority dealing with around 1.1 million tonnes of waste produced each year from 1,017,000 households and resident population of over 2.42 million (AGMA 2015). This waste comes from Council kerbside collection services and 20 HWRCs. We handle around 4% of England's waste.			
Benefits to Council			

It is a statutory requirement for the Council to be involved with the decision making processes of waste disposal.

Commitment

The Authority meets 5 times a year usually on the Friday morning (group meetings start from 9.30am. There is also 3 Committees, 2 of which meet during the day and 1 which meets on the evening.

Financial Commitment (if any)

The Council pays a levy (through monthly instalments) to the Authority plus the Council is responsible for paying the Authority Member allowances.

Attendance – Requirement