

## Clerk's Report to Haigh Parish Council 9 May 2022

### LG Boundary Commission Proposals for Wigan Council's Ward Boundaries

The Commission were due to publish their final recommendations on 3 May, but this has been delayed to 10 May.

### Potential Future Projects

The design and purchase of two pop-up banners and installation of a new notice board at Leyland Mill Lane are being looked into.

### Bench in Red Rock Lane

A claim has been submitted to our insurer for the damage to the bench. Because it was suspected that the bench had been damaged as a result of a vehicular collision, the Police had to be informed before a claim could be submitted.

### Future Airspace MAN

The Manchester Airport Future Airspace team are working through Stage 2 of the seven stage, fourteen step, four gateway Airspace Change process outlined in the [Civil Aviation Authority CAP1616 document](#). At this stage, a comprehensive list of route options will be produced, developed through reference to the [design principles that were agreed through stakeholder engagement at Stage1](#). The leader of the team managing the consultation have written:

“During our phase one engagement sessions, in November/December 2021, we outlined the process that we followed to determine ‘envelopes’ where routes options could be drawn.

I am contacting you to invite to you to attend one of our phase two engagement sessions, where we will explain the changes we made because of stakeholder feedback received in phase one, and present specific route options that align with the design principles and take account of stakeholder views. We would like you to join one of the six virtual sessions held through Microsoft Teams. Each session is expected to run for around 2½ hours and will include a 15-minute break between discussion of the arrival and departure route options. **Please choose from one of the following sessions, follow the link and enter the details requested:** <https://forms.office.com/r/VHMHD2kNqN>

- Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2022, 6pm – 8.30pm
- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2022, 2pm – 4.30pm
- Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2022, 2pm – 4.30pm
- Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2022, 10am – 12.30pm
- Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2022, 2pm – 4.30pm
- Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022, 2pm – 4.30pm

***Please note that the sessions will be recorded for feedback analysis purposes.***

**Please act on this email as soon as possible to confirm your attendance. Once we have received your preferred timeslot, we will send you a meeting invitation that will include a link to join the MS Teams meeting.** You will also receive a pre-read document, glossary, and Microsoft Teams “how to” guide.

In our January survey most stakeholders specified that they would prefer to attend a virtual session. A minority expressed a desire to attend a face-to-face session. We are providing a face-to-face session at 10am on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> May at the Manchester Airport Marriott Hotel. The format will

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be the same as the virtual sessions, to ensure consistency, using a pre-recorded electronic presentation with documents e-mailed to stakeholders after the session. If you wish to attend the session, [please e-mail us](#) and we will try and accommodate you. This will be on a first-come-first-served basis.

If you are on the YouGov mailing list as a member of the general public and receive an invitation to attend their phase 2 focus group, please choose which you wish to attend. **You should not attend one of these stakeholder sessions and a YouGov session.**

For those who were unable to attend our phase one engagement session or would like to recap on phase one and the work we have completed, we have a drop-in session available for anyone on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April between 2pm – 3.30pm.

**Please bear in mind whichever session you attend the deadline for feedback remains 17:00 hrs on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2022.”**

### **Adoption of Houses in Multiple Occupation Supplementary Planning Document – Wigan Council**

This is notification that Wigan Council has adopted its Houses in Multiple Occupation (HMO) Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) today, Thursday 17 March.

The SPD can be viewed on the LA's website via a link from [www.wigan.gov.uk/spd](http://www.wigan.gov.uk/spd). An Adoption Statement and Consultation Statement can also be viewed online, the latter setting out how consultation on the SPD was undertaken, the comments received, and how it informed the SPD.

The SPD has been produced to better manage the provision of HMOs, improve the standards of accommodation provided and reduce detrimental impacts on neighbours. It assists in the interpretation of policies within the adopted development plan and sets out guidance and good practice for planning applicants to enable the delivery of better planning outcomes. The SPD does not address issues in relation to existing HMOs but will be an important material consideration in the determination of planning applications for new and expanded HMOs.

If you have any queries regarding the Houses in Multiple Occupation SPD, please get in touch with the council's Strategic Planning team at [planningpolicy@wigan.gov.uk](mailto:planningpolicy@wigan.gov.uk).

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The Planning for Health SPD will provide valuable guidance and supporting information to facilitate the delivery of healthier developments in the borough and to positively influence the impact that planning decisions have on health and wellbeing. To help achieve this, the SPD:

- Is based around ten key topic areas, which are integral to the application of a Health Impact Assessment, for schemes subject to Environmental Impact Assessment screening, and a Planning for Health Checklist for all other major developments.
- Sets out a consistent process for calculating developer contributions to address capacity issues in the health care system that result from new development proposals;

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- Applies a framework for managing the provision of new hot food takeaways in the borough to help tackle obesity and other related health issues.

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**K.M.P.: 04.05.22**