

Meeting of: The Council

Special Meeting of: The Council to confer the title Honorary Alderman

Wednesday 8th July 2026 at 6.30pm or at the conclusion of Question Time and Public Engagement whichever is the later.

Venue: Council Chamber, The Business Centre, Futures Park, Bacup. OL13 0BB



The meeting will also be live streamed at the following link:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCrLsMDOP7AYxik5pNP0gTIA/streams>

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ITEM		Lead Member/Contact Officer
A.	BUSINESS MATTERS	
A1.	Apologies for Absence	Clare Birtwistle, Head of Legal/ Monitoring Officer 01706 252438 clarebirtwistle@rossendalebc.gov.uk
A2.	To approve and sign as a correct record the minutes of the meeting on 22 nd May 2026.	
A3.	Declarations of Interest <i>Members are advised to contact the Monitoring Officer in advance of the meeting to seek advice on interest issues if necessary.</i> Members are requested to indicate at this stage, any items on the agenda in which they intend to declare an interest. Members are reminded that, in accordance with the Local Government Act 2000 and the Council's Code of Conduct, they must declare the nature of any personal interest and, if the interest is prejudicial, withdraw from the meeting during consideration of the item.	
A4.	Urgent Items of Business To note any items which the Chair has agreed to add to the Agenda on the grounds of urgency.	
B.	Communications from the Mayor, the Leader or Head of Paid Service To receive any communications from the Mayor, the Leader, or the Head of the Paid Service that they may wish to lay before the Council.	The Mayor, Councillor Liz McInnes, The Leader, Councillor A.Barnes and Rob Huntington, Chief Executive 01706 252447 robhuntington@rossendalebc.gov.uk

C.	SPECIAL MEETING ITEMS	
C1.	Honorary Aldermen To consider the nominations and to confer the title of Honorary Alderman of the Borough of Rossendale to the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Janice Johnson • Brian Essex 	Rob Huntington, Chief Executive. Tel: (01706) 252447 Email: robhuntington@rossendalebc.gov.uk
D.	ORDINARY BUSINESS	
D1.	Designation of new Conservation Area and Adoption of the Waterfoot Conservation Area Appraisal and Management Plan (CAAMP) To consider and adopt the Waterfoot CAAMP.	Councillor S.Barnes/ David Smurthwaite, Director of Economic Development 01706 252429 davidsmurthwaite@rossendalebc.gov.uk
D2.	Director of Operations To consider the redesignation of the Head of Operational Services to Director of Operations	Councillor A Barnes/ Rob Huntington, Chief Executive. Tel: (01706) 252447 robhuntington@rossendalebc.gov.uk
E.	RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE CABINET AND OTHER COMMITTEES	
E1.	Recommendation of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee Overview and Scrutiny Annual Report for 2025/2026 and Work Programme for 2026/2027.	Councillor Lythgoe/Clare Birtwistle, Head of Legal/ Monitoring Officer (01706) 252438 clarebirtwistle@rossendalebc.gov.uk
F.	NOTICES OF MOTION	
F1.	Notice of Motion To consider a notice of motion submitted by Councillors A. Barnes and Walmsley regarding the City Valley Rail Link and Lancashire Local Transport Plan (2026–2030).	Councillor Alyson Barnes Councillor Andrew Walmsley



Rob Huntington
Chief Executive

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