

## **Agenda for a meeting of the Regulatory and Appeals Committee (Meeting as Trustees) to be held on Thursday 24 November 2022 at 10.00 am (Reconvened meeting held on 27 October 2022) or at the rising of the Regulatory and Appeals Committee in the Council Chamber - City Hall, Bradford**

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### **Members of the Committee – Councillors**

<b>LABOUR</b>	<b>CONSERVATIVE</b>	<b>GREEN</b>
<b>Salam Alipoor S Hussain</b>	<b>Brown Sullivan</b>	<b>Edwards</b>

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- If any further information is required about any item on this agenda, please contact the officer named at the foot of that agenda item.
- A legal briefing for all Members will take place at 0930 in the Council Chamber on the day of the meeting.

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## A. PROCEDURAL ITEMS

### 1. ALTERNATE MEMBERS (Standing Order 34)

The Director of Legal and Governance will report the names of alternate Members who are attending the meeting in place of appointed Members.

### 2. DISCLOSURES OF INTEREST

(Members Code of Conduct – Part 4A of the Constitution)

To receive disclosures of interests from members and co-opted members on matters to be considered at the meeting. The disclosure must include the nature of the interest.

An interest must also be disclosed in the meeting when it becomes apparent to the member during the meeting.

#### **Notes:**

- (1) *Members must consider their interests, and act according to the following:*

<b>Type of Interest</b>	<b>You must:</b>
<i>Disclosable Pecuniary Interests</i>	<i>Disclose the interest; not participate in the discussion or vote; and leave the meeting <u>unless</u> you have a dispensation.</i>
<i>Other Registrable Interests (Directly Related)</i> <b>OR</b> <i>Non-Registrable Interests (Directly Related)</i>	<i>Disclose the interest; speak on the item <u>only</u> if the public are also allowed to speak but otherwise not participate in the discussion or vote; and leave the meeting <u>unless</u> you have a dispensation.</i>
<i>Other Registrable Interests (Affects)</i> <b>OR</b> <i>Non-Registrable Interests (Affects)</i>	<i>Disclose the interest; remain in the meeting participate and vote <u>unless</u> the matter affects the financial interest or well-being</i>  <i>(a) to a greater extent than it affects the financial interests of a majority of inhabitants of the affected ward, and</i>  <i>(b) a reasonable member of the public knowing all the facts would believe that it would affect your view of the wider public interest; in which case speak on the item <u>only</u> if the public are also allowed to speak but otherwise not do not participate in the discussion or vote; and leave the meeting <u>unless</u> you have a dispensation.</i>

- (2) *Disclosable pecuniary interests relate to the Member concerned or their spouse/partner.*
- (3) *Members in arrears of Council Tax by more than two months must not vote in decisions on, or which might affect, budget calculations, and must disclose at the meeting that this restriction applies to them. A failure to comply with these requirements is a criminal offence under section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992.*
- (4) *Officers must disclose interests in accordance with Council Standing Order 44.*

### **3. INSPECTION OF REPORTS AND BACKGROUND PAPERS**

(Access to Information Procedure Rules – Part 3B of the Constitution)

Reports and background papers for agenda items may be inspected by contacting the person shown after each agenda item. Certain reports and background papers may be restricted.

Any request to remove the restriction on a report or background paper should be made to the relevant Strategic or Assistant Director whose name is shown on the front page of the report.

If that request is refused, there is a right of appeal to this meeting.

Please contact the officer shown below in advance of the meeting if you wish to appeal.

(Yusuf Patel - 07970 411923)

### **B. BUSINESS ITEM**

#### **4. THE 1887 ALFRED SHARP BINGLEY EDUCATIONAL TRUST AND THE ALLOCATION OF FUNDING FOR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES**

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The Assistant Director of Neighbourhoods and Customer Services will submit a report (**Document “H”**) which provides information on processes for providing grant funds to institutions and groups in Bingley.

**Recommended –**

**That the Trustees note the following and agree on an option:**

- (1) **The Community Chest model has been widely used for grant giving to local community groups and is a tried and tested mechanism that provides local accountability. It also reduces the bureaucracy in administering local funds.**

- (2) The Transformation Fund method of distributing funds allows the panel to be unique to the funding criteria and specialist knowledge required to award grants. This method has been used to fund grants for different objectives and with funds from different council departments. It is easily adapted and flexible in its operation.**
  
- (3) The Community Chest process is recommended due to its versatility and operation with Area Offices. The Shipley Area Coordinators Office will provide a strong connection with ward councillors and the knowledge of community organisations by ward based staff.**

(Mahmood Mohammed - 01274 437339)

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