

Our February committee meeting had an interesting and varied agenda. Committee members were very pleased to be able to delegate to officers to approve Calico's extra care housing scheme planned for the land adjacent to Burnley Hospital off Briercliffe Road. The scheme will make a significant contribution to Burnley's housing offer for older people with 93 units of affordable housing with care that promotes independent living, health and wellbeing.

Committee also approved a temporary hoarding on St James Street that will help support the Heritage Action Zone Project and a listed building consent to carry out some repair and conservation work to Towneley Hall.

These important decisions contribute to improving Burnley's housing offer, promoting our town centre and preserving our valuable heritage."