# **Council Forum**

# Thursday, 20 April 2017 18:00 Council Chamber, Blackburn Town Hall,

# AGENDA

### PART I: ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION IN PUBLIC

 Chief Executive to read the notice convening the meeting
 Prayers by the Mayor's Chaplain
 Apologies for Absence
 Minutes

 To receive and confirm the Minutes of the Finance Council meeting held on 27th February 2017
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#### 5 Declarations of Interest

A form is attached. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST FORM

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## 6 Mayoral Communications

#### 7 Council Forum

To consider questions from members of the public received under Procedure Rule 10.

### 8 To consider motions submitted under Procedure

Rule 12. One Notice of Motion has been

submitted under Procedure Rule 12 as follows:

'This Council calls on the Government to abandon its 'National Funding Formula' proposals, and to make a commitment to maintaining schools' funding so as to ensure both sustainability and the quality of our children's education. On average every primary school pupil in England stands to lose approximately £400 in funding and every secondary school pupil stands to lose approximately £550 per pupil. Many schools in Blackburn with Darwen will lose considerably more than these averages. Children across our borough will lose out as a result of these proposals and this

	Council condemns the short-sighted failure to recognise the importance to the economy of investing in our next generation'.	
9	Proposed by: Cllr Dave Harling, Seconded by: Cllr Damian Talbot. <b>The Mayoralty 2017/18</b>	
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13	To consider any questions received from	
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PART 2: ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION IN PRIVATE

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