

# Longton Parish Council

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## MEETING 6<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2009

### **CLERKS REPORT:**

- A report is attached from Cllr Fox for your information relating to her recent attendance at the LALC area meeting and the recent LANCS LOCALS meeting.
- The Clerks salary rise for 2009/10 has been nationally agreed at 1% backdated to 1<sup>st</sup> April 2009 and will be implemented with immediate effect in accordance with contractual arrangements.
- The LALC Conference Agenda is enclosed for your information (Cllr Artis is due to attend for this Council)
- New Longton received a 'highly commended' in this years BKV competition whilst The Brambles New Longton won in the Residential/Nursing Home Certificate of merit section. The proprietors, residents and staff have been informed of their success and have been invited to the awards Ceremony to pick up their Trophy and Certificate. A copy of the village assessments has been requested.
- The demand responsive service to Chorley hospital has been reinstated (see attached)
- Initial details concerning area community planning are enclosed for your information. Details of any of the proposed events are not yet available.
- Dog control orders have been adopted by SRBC under the Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005. These cover dog fouling, dog restriction from certain land, areas where dogs are required to be kept on leads and areas where dogs have to be kept on leads when instructed.(see enclosed)

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