Manchester City Council Report for Information

Report to: Economy Scrutiny Committee – 16 October 2013

Subject: Overview Report

Report of: Governance and Scrutiny Support Unit

Summary

This report provides the following information:

- Recommendations Monitor
- Key Decisions
- Items for Information including the most recent Real Time Economy Dashboard
- Work Programme

Recommendation

The Committee is invited to discuss the information provided and agree any changes to the work programme that are necessary.

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Wards Affected:

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Background documents (available for public inspection):

None

1. Monitoring Previous Recommendations

| Date | Item | Recommendation | Response | Contact Officer |
|------------------------|---|---|--|--|
| 14 | ESC/12/27 | To request that the Regeneration | A response to this | Karin Connell, |
| November 2012 | Update on the Recommendations of the Business Start Up Task and Finish Group | Coordinator enquire whether a member of the Committee could join or attend the meetings of the Greater Manchester Business Start Up Support Steering Group. | recommendation will be reported back to a future meeting of the Committee. | Regeneration Coordinator |
| 14 November 2012 | ESC/12/29 Update on the Manchester Business Survey Group | To request that members be provided with an explanation of main organisations working at a Greater Manchester level, the structure and their role in as simple as possible diagrammatic form. | There is a review of these structures currently taking place, and an explanation of these structures will be provided for members once this review has finished. | Karin Connell, Regeneration Coordinator |
| 12 December 2012 | ESC/12/34 Support for Apprenticeship Activity in Manchester | To request that the Interim Head of Regeneration work with the National Apprenticeship Service to regularly provide members with a list of the apprenticeship vacancies available, with a breakdown by strategic regeneration framework area. | A response to this recommendation will be reported back to a future meeting of the Committee. | Angela Harrington, Interim Head of Regeneration |
| 9 January 2013 | ESC/13/06 The Portas Review of High Streets | To request that the Interim Head of Regeneration approach the relevant officers in Neighbourhood Services over Manchester Markets impeding local community groups from setting up small, volunteer run markets, and report back to the Committee. | A response to this recommendation will be reported back to a future meeting of the Committee. | Angela Harrington, Interim Head of Regeneration |
| 6 March | ESC/13/16 | To request that the Head of the | A response to this | Dave Carter, |

| 2013 | Digital Skills | Manchester Digital Development Agency provide the Committee with an update on creating more capacity at MadLab, when this is available. | recommendation will be reported back to a future meeting of the Committee. | Head of the Manchester Digital Development Agency |
|-----------------|--|--|---|--|
| 6 March 2013 | ESC/13/16 Digital Skills | To request that the Interim Head of Regeneration investigate whether the Council can support groups such as Manchester Girl Geeks to access funding. | A response to this recommendation will be reported back to a future meeting of the Committee. | Angela Harrington, Head of Regeneration |
| 6 March 2013 | ESC/13/16 Digital Skills | To recommend that ward coordination carry out a mapping exercise to determine what activity related to promoting digital skills is taking place on a local level. | A response to this recommendation will be reported back to a future meeting of the Committee. | Angela Harrington, Head of Regeneration |
| 22 May 2013 | ESC/13/24 Manchester's Economy in the Context of Environmental Sustainability Update | To recommend that all councillors carry out the carbon literacy training in the next twelve months. | This recommendation is being taken forward by the Environmental Sustainability Subgroup | Jonny Sadler, Environmental Strategy Manager |
| 19 June 2013 | ESC/13/28 Greater Manchester Strategy Refresh | To request that the Greater Manchester Strategy Coordinator circulate details of the conference through the Scrutiny Support Officer. | This information was circulated on 19 June 2013. Please contact the Scrutiny Support Officer for more information. | Eleanor Fort, Scrutiny Support Officer |
| 19 June 2013 | ESC/13/28 Greater Manchester Strategy Refresh | With regards to the Greater Manchester Strategy, to recommend that: Innovation is made more explicit as a priority; The role schools play is made more explicit; | Officers have been informed of the committee's recommendations. The Scrutiny Support Officer will provide the committee with the results of the consultation and the final strategy when they are | Rebecca Heron GMIST team |

| | | The benefits that being one of the first cities to transition to a low carbon economy would bring; The support that will be available for small and medium enterprises is made more explicit. | available. | |
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| 4 | ESC/13/44 Manchester | To invite the Secretary of State for | This letter was sent on 11 | Eleanor Fort, |
| September | City Council impact on | Work and Pensions to a meeting in | September 2013. | Scrutiny Support |
| 2013 | services response | Manchester to discuss the | | Officer |
| 4 | ESC/13/44 Manchester | evidence heard in today's meeting. To draw the evidence heard in | This recommendation is being | Angola |
| September | City Council impact on | today's meeting into a report, with | taken forward by members, with | Angela Harrington, Head |
| 2013 | services response | case studies of people affected by | support from Council officers in | of Regeneration |
| | 33.7.333.733907100 | welfare reform. To travel to | Regeneration. | o |
| | | Westminster to deliver the report, | | |
| | | and invite affected residents. | | |

2. Key Decisions

The Council is required to publish details of key decisions that will be taken at least 28 days before the decision is due to be taken. Details of key decisions that are due to be taken are published on a monthly basis in the Register of Key Decisions.

A key decision, as defined in the Council's Constitution is an executive decision, which is likely:

- To result in the Council incurring expenditure which is, or the making of savings which are, significant having regard to the Council's budget for the service or function to which the decision relates, or
- To be significant in terms of its effects on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more wards in the area of the city.

The Council Constitution defines 'significant' as being expenditure or savings (including the loss of income or capital receipts) in excess of £500k, providing that is not more than 10% of the gross operating expenditure for any budget heading in the in the Council's Revenue Budget Book, and subject to other defined exceptions.

An extract of the most recent Register of Key Decisions, published on **1 October 2013**, containing details of the decisions under the Committee's remit is included below. This is to keep members informed of what decisions are being taken and, where appropriate, include in the work programme of the Committee.

| Subject Area for Decision | Key Decision Objective /Consultation arrangements /Point of Contact | Anticipated date of decision Documents to be considered | Decision Taker (Executive or Chief Officer) |
|---|--|---|---|
| CHIEF EXECUTIVE West Gorton | Key Decision Objective To approve proposals for West Gorton Documents to be considered: Report Contact Officer: Ian Slater, Strategic Neighbourhood Lead, 234 4582 | October 2013 | Executive |
| CHIEF EXECUTIVE The Sharp Project (West Gorton) | Key Decision Objective To confirm the ERDF grant funding application decision and note next steps. Documents to be considered: Report to Executive 5/12/12 Contact Officer: Eddie Smith, Chief Executive, New East Manchester Ltd, 234 3030 | October 2013 | Executive |
| CHIEF EXECUTIVE Regeneration Subvention | Key Decision Objective Allocation from Capital Reserves of £2.9m over a 5 year period, from 2015/6 – 2019/20 as a funding contribution to Marketing Manchester by way of grant. Documents to be considered: Report Contact Officer: Pat Bartoli | October 2013 | Executive |

3. Items for Information

The June Real Time Economy Dashboard is included below for information.



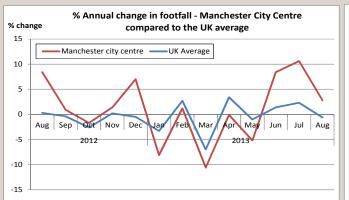


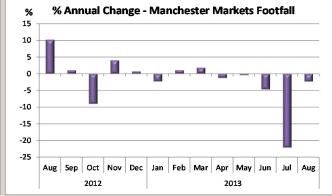
Manchester City Council Real Time Economy Dashboard September 2013

REAL TIME ECONOMY DASHBOARD - GROWTH

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| | Measure | Latest result available | Latest result | Q | onthly / uarterly ange (%) | Annual change (%) | | Biennial nange (%) | rec | -April '08 cession ange (%) |
| Q | Average annual prime retail rents in Manchester (£ per sq. Ft) (Source: Cushman and Wakefield) | Jun-13 | £250.00 | \Rightarrow | 0.0% | → 0.0% | \Rightarrow | 0.0% | 1 | -23.1% |
| | Average annual prime office rents in Manchester (£ per sq. Ft per year) (Source: Cushman & Wakefield) | Jun-13 | £30.00 | \Rightarrow | 0.0% | 1 5.3% | \Rightarrow | 0.0% | 1 | 5.3% |
| | Number of commercial planning applications submitted during the month (Source: MCC Planning System) | Aug-13 (Provisional) | 4 | Ţ | -42.9% | -33.3% | 1 | -60.0% | 1 | -20.0% |
| | Percentage change in total Rateable Value (RV) (Source: MCC Business Rates System) | Aug-13 | actual figures not made available | Ţ | -0.1% | not available | nc | t available | not | available |
| | Total Monthly Footfall at Manchester Markets (Source: Manchester Markets, excludes Longsight and Harpurhey) | Aug-13 | 691,844 | 1 | 8.0% | -2.4% | 1 | 7.63% | not | available |
| | Monthly Footfall in the City Centre (Source: CityCo; Market St, King St, Exchange Sq, New Cathedral St) | Aug-13 | * see note below | Ţ | -7.8% | 2.8% | 1 | 11.4% | ₽ | -0.9% |

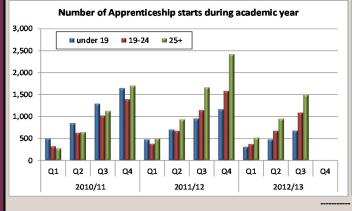
* Actual footfall figures are commercially sensitive and therefore not published. Trend comparisons have been made, based on four city centre footfall counters: Market Street, King Street, Exchange Square and New Cathedral Street.



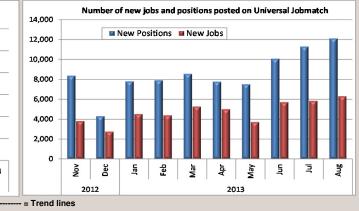


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| | <u>WORK</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Measure | Latest result available | Latest result | Qı | onthly / uarterly inge (%) | | Annual ange (%) | | Biennial ange (%) | Pre-April '08 recession change (%) | | | |
| | nticeship Starts: Under 19 (academic year) *** The Data Service) | Aug 12 - Apr 13 | 684 | Ŷ | 42.2% | Ţ | -28.7% | <u>1</u> | -47.3% | not available | | | |
| | nticeship Starts: 19-24 (academic year) *** The Data Service) | Aug 12 - Apr 13 | 1,095 | ^ | 60.6% | 1 | -4.9% | 1 | -34.4% | not available | | | |
| | nticeship Starts: 25+ (academic year) *** The Data Service) | Aug 12 - Apr 13 | 1,501 | • | 57.0% | Ţ | -10.0% | 1 | 32.6% | not available | | | |
|) | nticeship Achievements: All Ages (academic year) arce: The Data Service) | Aug 12 - Apr 13 | 1,250 | 1 | 78.6% | 1 | -18.3% | 1 | 14.9% | not available | | | |

Aug-13 12,109 7.2% not available not available not available *** Provisional apprenticeship figures reported for August 2012 - April 2013 for Manchester residents, regardless of Local Authority area where based Job Centre Plus vacancy statistics have now been discontinued, a replacement indicator sourced through Universal Jobmatch is now reported



mber of new vacant positions posted on Universal



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|---|--|-------------------------|----------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|----------|----------------|----------|----------------------|----------|-----------------------------------|---|
| | Measure | Latest result available | Latest monthy result | Q | lonthly / uarterly ange (%) | | nual ge (%) | | Biennial ange (%) | rec | -April '08 cession ange (%) | |
| | Percentage of empty residential properties within Manchester (Source: MCC Council Tax Register) | Sep-13 | 5.3% | \Rightarrow | 0.0% | ^ | -0.5% | 1 | -0.1% | 1 | -2.1% | ķ |
| | Median average house prices of properties sold within the month (Source: The Land Registry) **** | Jun-13 | £127,497 | 1 | 2.8% | ^ | 1.6% | ₽ | -1.9% | ₽ | -9.4% | |
| | Number of properties registered as sold within the month by The Land Registry (Source: The Land Registry) | Jun-13 | 370 | | 16.0% | | -5.9% | 1 | -3.9% | 1 | -71.4% | |
| Q | Average asking rents for 2 bed apartments in Manchester (£ per calendar month) (Source: Estate Agent listings) | Jul-13 | £765 | 1 | 4.8% | ^ | 1.5% | 1 | 6.8% | not | available | |
| Q | Number of available 2 bed apartments for rent in Manchester (Source: Estate Agent listings) | Jul-13 | 1,571 | 1 | 49.5% | ^ | 21.9% | 1 | 23.7% | not | available | |
| | Number of new registrations on the housing register (Source: MCC Civica Housing System) ***** | Aug-13 | 2,120 | | -8.5% | 1 | 26.7% | 1 | -16.0% | 1 | -6.8% | |
| | **** This data covers the transactions received at Land Registry | in the period 1st Ju | ine 2007 to 30th J | une 2 | 013. © Crown | copyrigl | nt 2013. | | | | | |

***** New registrations on the housing register were suspended during January 2013 due to the implementation of a new IT system.

| No. Pi | Average House prices and number of sales recorded by The Land rop Registry | Av. Price | N. |
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| 1200 - | | £160,000 £140,000 | : |
| 1000 - | My V Wall was a series of the | £120,000 | : |
| 800 - | 1 | £100,000 £80,000 | : |
| 600 - 400 - | The state of the s | £60,000 | |
| 200 - | sold properties | £40,000 £20,000 | |
| 0 - | Median Average House Prices | £- | |
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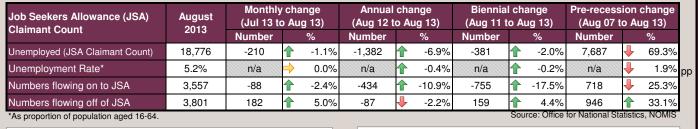
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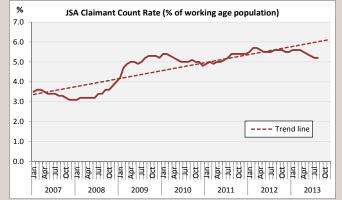
| Measure | Latest result available | Latest monthy result | Monthly change (%) | Annual change (%) | Biennial change (%) | Pre-April '08 recession change (%) |
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| Monthly count of passengers at Manchester Airport (Source: Civil Aviation Authority) | Jul-13 | 2,274,944 | not applicable | 4.3% | 1 6.9% | -4.3% |
| Monthly count of aircraft movements at Manchester Airport (Source: Civil Aviation Authority) | Jul-13 | 16,165 | not applicable | 1 2.2% | 1 3.5% | ↓ -18.9% |

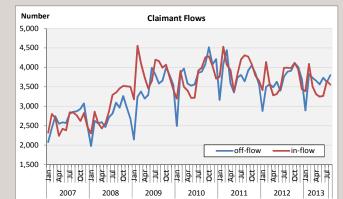




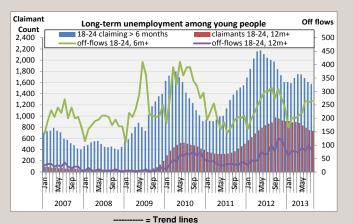
REAL TIME ECONOMY DASHBOARD - WELFARE AND DEPENDENCY

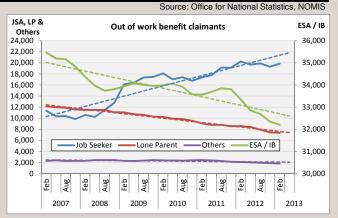






| 18-24 year old JSA claimants (duration of claim) | August 2013 | Monthly change (Jul 13 to Aug 13) | | | Annual change (Aug 12 to Aug 13) | | | Biennia (Aug 11 t | | Pre-recession change (Aug 07 to Aug 13) | | | |
|---|----------------|--------------------------------------|------------|-------|-------------------------------------|---|--------|----------------------|---|---|--------|---|--------|
| (duration of claim) | 2013 | Number | • | % | Number | | % | Number | | % | Number | | % |
| All 18-24 claimants | 4,695 | 15 | 1 | 0.3% | -845 | 1 | -15.3% | -920 | 1 | -16.4% | 1055 | 1 | 29.0% |
| Claimants 6 months + | 1,575 | -35 | 介 | -2.2% | -430 | 1 | -21.4% | 285 | 1 | 22.1% | 1000 | 1 | 173.9% |
| Claimants 12 months + | 735 | -15 | 介 | -2.0% | -150 | 1 | -16.9% | 390 | 1 | 113.0% | 675 | 1 | 1125% |
| Off-flows 6 months + | 265 | 5 | 介 | 1.9% | -50 | 1 | -15.9% | 100 | 1 | 60.6% | 65 | 1 | 32.5% |
| Off-flows 12 months + | 80 | -20 | ♣ - | 20.0% | -20 | 1 | -20.0% | 50 | 1 | 166.7% | 60 | 1 | 300% |



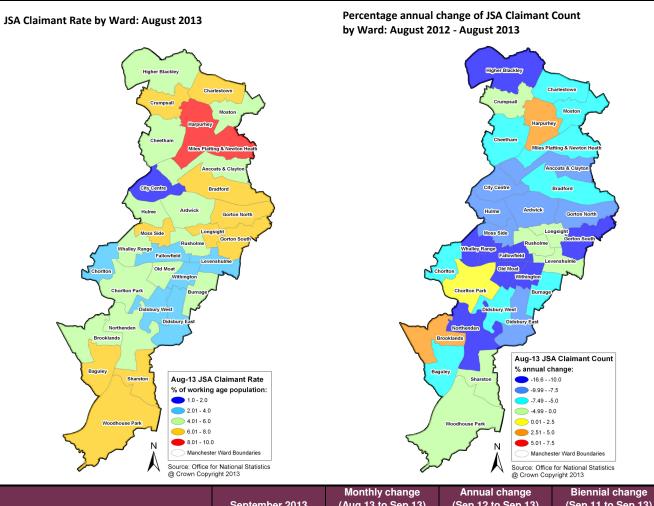


| Out of work benefits (OOWB) | February 2013 | Quarterl (Nov 12 t | | Annual change (Feb 12 to Feb 13) | | | Biennia (Feb 11 t | | Pre-recession change (Feb 08 to Feb 13) | | | | |
|--|------------------|-----------------------|---------------|-------------------------------------|--------|---|----------------------|--------|---|-----------|--------|---|--------|
| | 2013 | Number | | % | Number | | % | Number | | % | Number | | % |
| Job Seeker | 19,850 | 550 | ₽ | 2.8% | -380 | 1 | -1.9% | 2,460 | 1 | 14.1% | 9,270 | 1 | 87.6% |
| ESA / Incapacity Benefit | 32,200 | -150 | 1 | -0.5% | -1,150 | 1 | -3.4% | -1,360 | 1 | -4.1% | -2,170 | 1 | -6.3% |
| Lone Parent | 7,370 | -80 | 1 | -1.1% | -1,210 | 1 | -14.1% | -1,690 | 1 | -18.7% | -4,110 | 1 | -35.8% |
| Others on income related benefit | 1,810 | -70 | 1 | -3.7% | -260 | 1 | -12.6% | -640 | 1 | -26.1% | -490 | 1 | -21.3% |
| Total residents claiming OOWB | 61,230 | 260 | 1 | 0.4% | -3,000 | 1 | -4.7% | -1,220 | 1 | -2.0% | 2,490 | 1 | 4.2% |
| % of residents claiming OOWB* | 17.1% | n/a | \Rightarrow | 0.0% | n/a | 1 | -0.9% | n/a | 1 | -0.4% | n/a | 1 | -0.3% |
| *As proportion of population aged 16-64. | | | | | | | | | Sou | rce: DWP, | NOMIS | | |

| Young people, residing in Manchester, who are Not in Education, Employment or Training** | August 2013 | Annual change (Aug 12 to Aug 13) | | | |
|--|-------------|-------------------------------------|------------------|--|--|
| Thoras Education, Employment of Training | | Number | % | | |
| NEET Rate | 7.8% | n/a | 1 -0.4% p | | |
| Unknown Rate | 6.8% | n/a | ↓ 1.8% բ | | |
| | | Source: Conn | exions | | |

** Please note: due to changes in national reporting requirements the cohort for NEET is now 16-18 year olds, plus those who turn 19 during the academic year. Whilst data is released on a monthly basis from Connexions, the reference date for the year is November.

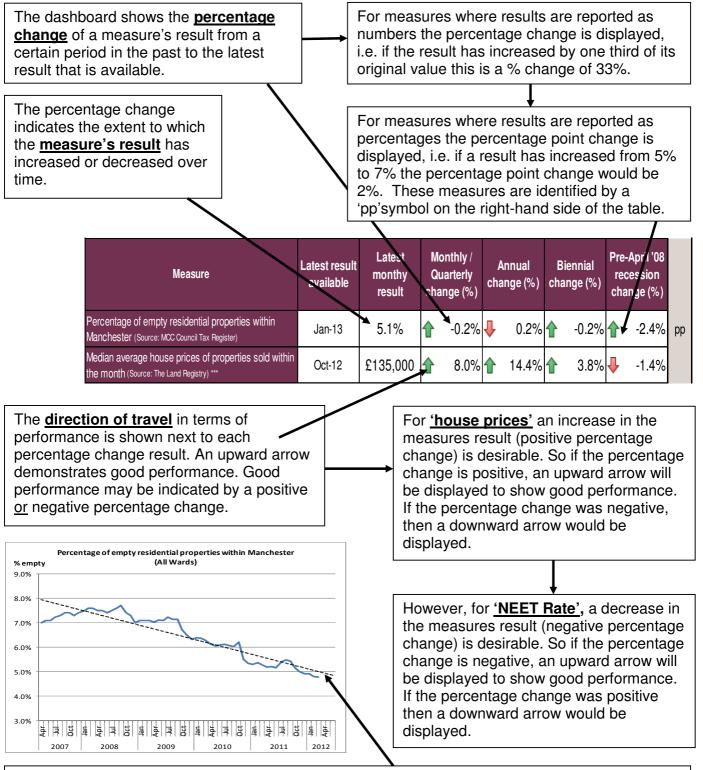
| JSA Claimant Count in Comparator Geographies | 3 | | Monthly change (Jul 13 to Aug 13) | | Annual change (Aug 12 to Aug 13) | | Biennial change (Aug 11 to Aug 13) | | Pre-recession change (Aug 07 to Aug 13) | | | | |
|---|-----------|---------|--------------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|----------|---|--------|---------|---|-------|
| Comparator Geographies | 2013 | Number | | % | Number | | % | Number | | % | Number | | % |
| Manchester | 18,776 | -210 | 1 | -1.1% | -1,382 | 1 | -6.9% | -381 | 1 | -2.0% | 7,687 | 1 | 69.3% |
| Greater Manchester | 76,658 | -2,029 | 1 | -2.6% | -8,380 | 1 | -9.9% | -4,648 | 1 | -5.7% | 33,884 | 1 | 79.2% |
| North West | 175,253 | -4,465 | 1 | -2.5% | -23,655 | 1 | -11.9% | -20,633 | 1 | -10.5% | 65,454 | 1 | 59.6% |
| UK | 1,389,688 | -28,986 | 1 | -2.0% | -180,238 | 1 | -11.5% | -187,147 | 1 | -11.9% | 532,555 | 1 | 62.1% |
| Core Cities (excluding Manchester) | 135,258 | -2,159 | ^ | -1.6% | -14,507 | 1 | -9.7% | -14,121 | 1 | -9.5% | 45,226 | Ţ | 50.2% |



| | September 2013 | | Monthly change (Aug 13 to Sep 13) | | | Annual change (Sep 12 to Sep 13) | | | Biennial change (Sep 11 to Sep 13) | | • |
|--|----------------|---------------------|--------------------------------------|-------|--------|-------------------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| | | | Number | | % | Number | % | Numbe | er | 9/ | 6 |
| Number of households claiming Council Tax Support ** | 69,968 | | -17 | Ŷ | -0.02% | not available | | not available | | | |
| Number of households claiming Housing Benefit | 66,992 | | 27 | Ţ | 0.04% | -573 | -0.8 | % 495 | | ₽ | 0.7% |
| ** Council Tax Support replaced Council Tax Benefit from 1 | 1st April 2013 | | | | | | Source: N | ICC Council T | ax R | egister | |
| Work Programme - Payment Groups: June 2011 to June 2013 *** (25 month analysis) | | Number of referrals | Number of attachments | | | to Referral tio | Job Outcome | Job Outo | om Ra | | eferral |
| Job Seekers Allowance 18 to 24 | | 3,130 | 3,040 | 97.1% | | 530 | | 16.9% | | | |
| Joh Seekers Allowance 25 and over | | 7.490 | 7 310 | | 97 | 6% | 940 | | 12 | 6% | |

| Work Programme - Payment Groups: June 2011 to June 2013 *** (25 month analysis) | Number of referrals | Number of attachments | Attachment to Referral ratio | Job Outcomes | Job Outcome to Referral Ratio |
|--|---------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|
| Job Seekers Allowance 18 to 24 | 3,130 | 3,040 | 97.1% | 530 | 16.9% |
| Job Seekers Allowance 25 and over | 7,490 | 7,310 | 97.6% | 940 | 12.6% |
| Job Seekers Allowance Early Entrants | 3,360 | 3,280 | 97.6% | 560 | 16.7% |
| Job Seekers Allowance Ex-Incapacity Benefit | 300 | 280 | 93.3% | 10 | 3.3% |
| Employment & Support Allowance Volunteers | 550 | 490 | 89.1% | 10 | 1.8% |
| New Employment & Support Allowance Claimants | 1,710 | 1,640 | 95.9% | 50 | 2.9% |
| Employment & Support Allowance Ex-Incapacity Benefit | 480 | 450 | 93.8% | 0 | - |
| Incapacity Benefit / Income Support Volunteers | 30 | 30 | 100.0% | 0 | - |
| Job Seekers Allowance Prison Leavers | 530 | 460 | 86.8% | 20 | 3.8% |
| Total | 17,580 | 16,970 | 96.5% | 2,120 | 12.1% |
| *** Figures are | rounded to nea | arest 10. | Source: DWP - Information, G | overnance and | Security Directorate (IGS) |

Appendix - Guide to interpreting the 'Real Time Economy Dashboard'



The historical results of measures are not shown in the table. However, for certain measures, trend graphs do show the actual results over past years and project future performance using performance trend lines – the performance trend line is displayed as a dotted line on the graph.

| Measure Definitions | | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|--|--|--|
| Title of Measure | Desired direction of travel & (% change) | Definition of Measure | Data Source | | | |
| Average Annual Prime Retail Rents in Manchester (£ per sq Ft.) | INCREASE (+) | The data relates to the whole of Manchester, but prime rents will be heavily focused on the city centre because that's where the highest rents are found. Prime rents essentially relate to the headline rent being achieved for a particular type of space in an area. CBRE defines prime retail rents as "the typical 'achievable' open market headline rent which an international retail chain would be expected to pay for a ground floor retail unit (either high street or shopping centre depending on the market) of up to 200 sq. m of the highest quality and specification and in the best location in a given market." | Cushman and Wakefield Marketbeat UK Reports | | | |
| Average Annual Prime Office Rents in Manchester (£ per sq Ft.) | INCREASE (+) | The data relates to the whole of Manchester, but prime rents will be heavily focused on the city centre because that's where the highest rents are found. Prime rents essentially relate to the headline rent being achieved for a particular type of space in an area. Jones Lang Lasalle state that for offices "Prime Rent represents the top open-market rent that could be expected for a notional unit of the highest quality and specification in the best location in a market, as at the survey date. The rent quoted normally reflects prime units of over 500 sq. m of lettable floorspace, which excludes rents that represent a premium level paid for a small quantity of space." | Cushman and Wakefield Marketbeat UK Reports | | | |
| Number of commercial planning applications submitted during the month. | INCREASE (+) | Number of commercial planning applications submitted during the month. This data represents the number of commercial planning applications, defined as floor space greater than 1,000sqm or a site area of 1 hectare or larger, submitted to Manchester City Council's Planning Department during each month. The latest month's figures are always reported as provisional and are subject to revision the following month. | Manchester City Council Planning Department | | | |
| Percentage change in total Rateable Value (RV) | INCREASE (+) | Rateable value represents the open market annual rental value of a business / non-domestic property. This means the rent the property would let for on the valuation date, if it was being offered on the open market. (The current valuation date is 01 April 2008 and will be updated at the next revaluation, due on 01 April 2017). The rateable value is used by Manchester City Council to calculate the business rates due. Although there may be many reasons for movements, in general an increase would indicate there is growth in Manchester's business base and a decrease would indicate a reduction. | Business Rates System (NNDR), Manchester City Council | | | |
| Total Monthly Footfall at Manchester Markets | INCREASE (+) | | Manchester Markets, Manchester City Council | | | |
| Monthly Footfall in the City Centre | ty Centre (+) N.B. Some months represent 5 weeks of footfall figures whereas other months represent 4 weeks | | | | | |
| Apprentiship Starts | over the academic year. An apprentice must remain on a programme for a minimum length of time (dependent on the total length of the programme) before they are counted for monitoring purposes. | | The National Apprenticeship Data Service (Quarterly Reports) | | | |
| | | N.B. This is broken down by age groups (under 19, 19-24, 25 and over) | | | | |
| Apprenticeship Achievements: All Ages | INCREASE (+) | Apprenticeships are paid jobs that incorporate on- and off-the-job training leading to nationally recognised qualifications. As an employee, Apprentices earn as they learn and gain practical skills in the workplace. Apprenticeship achievements measure the number of apprentices who have completed an apprenticeship per period over the academic year (for all age groups). Figures relate to the number of Manchester residents completing an apprenticeship, irrespective of the local authority area where the apprenticeship is based. | The National Apprenticeship Data Service (Quarterly Reports) | | | |
| Number of new vacant positions posted on Universal Jobmatch within the month | INCREASE (+) | Universal Jobmatch is DWP's free online job posting and matching service which replaces the current vacancy management services, Employer Direct and Employer Direct Online for companies, and it replaces the Jobcentre Plus jobs and skills search facility for jobseekers. This new streamlined service is accessed through GOV.UK for companies and anyone looking for work. "Number of new positions" is the total number of new vacant positions posted on Universal Jobmatch by each employer within the month. | Department of Work & Pensions (Universal Jobmatch Tool) | | | |
| Percentage of empty residential properties within Manchester | DECREASE (-) | | Council Tax Database, Manchester City Council | | | |
| Median average house prices of properties sold within the month | INCREASE (+) | The median average price paid for properties sold within the month, reported on The Land Registry website. http://www.landregistry.gov.uk/public/information/public-data/price-paid-data | The Land Registry | | | |
| | | N.B. Partial data is reported for the most recent month available, this is due to a lag in the number of sales being recorded. | | | | |
| Number of properties registered as sold within the month by The Land | INCREASE (+) | The number of properties that are recorded as being sold within the within the reporting month by HM Land Registry. | The Land Registry | | | |
| Registry | | N.B. The availability of data is lagged due to the delay in recording sales for each month. | | | | |
| Average asking rents for 2 bed apartments in Manchester (£ per calendar month) | INCREASE (+) | Average asking rents per calendar month for 2 bedroom apartments advertised during a weekly snapshot (the first week of the quarter). Data is collated from all estate agents with an online presence (i.e. they advertise properties on the internet). | Estate Agent Listings | | | |
| Number of available 2 bed apartments in Manchester | INCREASE (+) | Total number of 2 bedroom apartments available for rent during a weekly snapshot (the first week of the quarter). Data is collated from all estate agents with an online presence (i.e. they advertise properties on the internet). | Estate Agent Listings | | | |

| Measure Definitions | | | | | | |
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| Title of Measure | Desired direction of travel & (% change) | Definition of Measure | Data Source | | | |
| Number of new registrations on the housing register | DECREASE (-) | The number of new registrations on the housing register (waiting list for Council and Housing Association properties) within the month | Civica UHT System, Manchester City Council | | | |
| Monthly count of passengers at Manchester Airport | sengers at ((±) destination (T | | | | | |
| Monthly count of aircraft movements at Manchester Airport | INCREASE (+) | The monthly count of 'aircraft movements' at Manchester Airport. Figures include passenger and non-passenger flights. Passenger flights include all scheduled and charter passenger aircraft movements at each airport to or from the EU, other international areas and within the UK. N.B. Due to seasonal variation only data from the same month each year can be meaningfully | Civil Aviation Authority (Table 5, CAA Airport Statistics) | | | |
| JSA Claimant Count | DECREASE | compared JSA claimant count records the number of people claiming Jobseekers Allowance (JSA) and National Insurance credits at Jobcentre Plus local offices. People claiming JSA must declare that they are out of work, capable of, available for and actively seeking work during the week in which the claim is made. The ONS claimant count includes JSA claims that are live on the second Thursday of each month. | Office of National Statistics (NOMIS) | | | |
| Unemployment Rate | DECREASE (-) | Unemployment rate figures express the number of Job Seekers Allowance claimants resident in an area as a percentage of the population aged 16-64 resident in that area. | Office of National Statistics (NOMIS) | | | |
| Numbers flowing onto JSA | DECREASE (-) | On-flows show the number of new people who have started to claim Job Seekers Allowance since the previous count. Flows are standardised to a 4.33 week month. | Office of National Statistics (NOMIS) | | | |
| Numbers flowing off JSA | INCREASE (+) | Off-flows count the number of people who have now stopped claiming Job Seekers Allowance since the previous count. Flows are standardised to a 4.33 week month. | Office of National Statistics (NOMIS) | | | |
| Number of 18-24 year old JSA claimants (total, | DECREASE | Total number of Job Seekers Allowance claimants aged 18-24 in Manchester as at the time of the monthly snapshot count. Flows are standardised to a 4.33 week month. | Office of National Statistics (NOMIS) | | | |
| duration of claim, off- flows) | (-) | Sub categories include those claiming for 6-12 months, those claiming for over 12 months and long-term claimants that have now stopped claiming JSA since the previous count. | Office of National Statistics (NOMIS) | | | |
| JSA Claimant Count (DWP/NOMIS) | | | Department of Work & Pensions (NOMIS) | | | |
| Employment and Support Allowance / Incapacity Benefit | DECREASE (-) | Employment and Support Allowance / Incapacity Benefit provides financial help to people who are unable to work because of illness or disability. It also provides personalised support to those who are able to work. Benefits are arranged hierarchically and claimants are assigned to the topmost benefit which they receive, in the order: JSA, ESA / IB, LPIS, Other. | Department of Work & Pensions (NOMIS) | | | |
| Lone Parent Income Support | DECREASE (-) | Lone Parent Income Support (LPIS) is a benefit for parents on a low income with a child under 16 and no partner. Benefits are arranged hierarchically and claimants are assigned to the topmost benefit which they receive, in the order: JSA, ESA / IB, LPIS, Other. | Department of Work & Pensions (NOMIS) | | | |
| Others on income related benefit | DECREASE (-) | Other income related benefits include other income support (including IS Disability Premium) and pension credits. Benefits are arranged hierarchically and claimants are assigned to the topmost benefit which they receive, in the order: JSA, ESA / IB, LPIS, Other. | Department of Work & Pensions (NOMIS) | | | |
| Total number of residents on out of work benefits | DECREASE | A quarterly snapshot of benefit claimants using DWP's Work and Pensions Longitudinal Study (WPLS). This data is based on 100% of claimants. Key out-of-work benefits consists of the groups: job seekers, employment and support allowance / incapacity benefit, lone parent income support and others on income related benefits. These groups have been chosen to best represent a count of all those benefit recipients who cannot be in full-time employment as part of their condition of entitlement. Figures are not seasonally adjusted and any comparisons should be made year on year. | Department of Work & Pensions (NOMIS) | | | |
| Percentage of residents on out of work benefits | DECREASE (-) | Sum of JSA claimant count, ESA/IB, Lone Parent, Others on income related benefit as a proportion of the working age (16-64) resident population. | Department of Work & Pensions (NOMIS) | | | |
| NEET Rate | DECREASE | The percentage of young people on the Connexions database, residing in Manchester, who are not in education, employment, or training. NEET is calculated as follows: NEET / (NEET + EET). EET does not include young people in custody or asylum seekers and refugees, neither does it include unknowns. | Connexions | | | |
| | N.B. Month on month comparisons are not valid because of the seasonal nature of the data. Due to changes in national reporting requirements the cohort for NEET is now 16-18 year olds, plus those who turn 19 during the academic year. Monthly NEET figures are indicative, official NEET figures are released annually in November. | | | | | |
| Unknown NEET Rate | DECREASE (-) | Unknown NEET rate is calculated as percentage of the total cohort minus refugees and asylum seekers. Full cohort is everyone regardless of their destination. Unknown is calculated as follows: Total cohort - (NEET + EET + refugees + asylum seekers) / Total cohort | Connexions | | | |
| Number of households claiming Council Tax Support | DECREASE (-) | The number of households claiming and receiving Council Tax Support at the time of the monthly snapshot count (2nd of the month). The localised Council Tax Support Scheme replaced Council Tax Benefit from 1st April 2013. | Academy, Manchester City Council Revenue and Benefits | | | |

| Measure Definitions | | | | | | | |
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| Title of Measure | Desired direction of travel & (% change) | Definition of Measure | Data Source | | | | |
| Number of households claiming Housing Benefit | DECREASE (-) | The number of households claiming and receiving Housing Benefit at the time of the monthly snapshot count (2nd of the month). | Academy - Manchester City Council Revenue and Benefits | | | | |
| Work Programme - Number of referrals | INCREASE (+) | Number of work programme referrals by JobCentre Plus broken down by benefit payment group. The Work Programme is an integrated package of support, providing personalised work-focused help for a wide range of customers delivered by public, private and voluntary sector organisations, working under contract to DWP. These organisations will tailor services to what works best for individual customers in helping them back in to sustained work. Official statistics on referrals are obtained from the Labour Market System (LMS). This is the admin system Jobcentre Plus uses to administer customer claims and also refer customers to the Work Programme. The data contains information on the claimants' individual characteristics and claim details. Standard DWP statistics disclosure control policy has been applied: values less than ten, including zeros, are suppressed and marked with a dash and values above ten are rounded to the nearest ten, therefore tables may not sum. Cumulative figures include referrals and attachments from the start of the Work Programme up to the end of the relevant month. | Department of Work & Pensions (IGS) | | | | |
| Work Programme - Number of attachments | INCREASE (+) | Number of work programme attachments broken down by benefit payment group. An attachment is defined as the date of the first engagement activity between a provider and the claimant. Following the referral, providers will engage with the claimant; this involves conducting specified 'attachment activity' with the claimant, and the date the activity takes place is recorded on the payment system by the provider (this is the closest proxy for a 'start' to the Work Programme). Statistics on attachments are obtained from the Provider Referral and Payment data (PRaP). This is the system which underpins the Work Programme and which providers use to attach customers and claim job outcomes and sustainment payments. Standard DWP statistics disclosure control policy has been applied: values less than ten, including zeros, are suppressed and marked with a dash and values above ten are rounded to the nearest ten, therefore tables may not sum. Cumulative figures include referrals and attachments from the start of the Work Programme up to the end of the relevant month. | Department of Work & Pensions (IGS) | | | | |
| Work Programme - Attachment to referral ratio | INCREASE (+) | Proportion of work programme referrals which resulted in an attachment. Referrals are all those eligible claimants who are referred to the Work Programme. The claimant remains on the Work Programme for 104 weeks from that date. Attachment is the point from which a provider engages and works with a claimant. There will be a proportion of claimants who either sign off benefit or move into work after referral but before the point which the provider seeks to actively engage. Therefore the number of attachments will be slightly lower than the number of referrals. If a claimant who has not been attached to the Work Programme makes a further claim to benefit over the 104 week period, then the provider will engage with and attach the claimant at this point. | Department of Work & Pensions (IGS) | | | | |
| Work Programme - Job outcomes | INCREASE (+) | The focus of the Work Programme is on supporting participants to achieve sustained employment. Participants are supported by the Work Programme for two years. Providers receive job outcome payments when a participant has been in work for either three or six months, depending on the participant's circumstances - payments are made for Job Seeker's Allowance (JSA) claimants after completing six months in paid work, but for more disadvantaged people (including some on JSA), job outcomes are paid after completing three months in paid work. Once a job outcome payment has been paid, providers will receive sustainment payments for each subsequent four week period the participant spends in employment up to a maximum of two years, depending on the participant's circumstances. Standard DWP statistics disclosure control policy has been applied: values less than ten, including zeros, are suppressed and marked with a dash and values above ten are rounded to the nearest ten, therefore tables may not sum. | Department of Work & Pensions (IGS) | | | | |
| Work Programme - Job outcome to referral ratio | INCREASE (+) | Proportion of work programme referrals which resulted in a job outcome. Referrals are all those eligible claimants who are referred to the Work Programme. The focus of the Work Programme is on supporting participants to achieve sustained employment. Participants are supported by the Work Programme for two years. Providers receive job outcome payments when a participant has been in work for either three or six months, depending on the participant's circumstances. | Department of Work & Pensions (IGS) | | | | |

Economy Scrutiny Committee Work Programme – October 2013

Wednesday 16 October 2013, 10.00am (Report deadline Friday 4 October 2013) Venue: Ida Kinsey Centre, 117 Guide Post Street, Ardwick, M13 9HP Lead Officer Purpose Lead Comments Item **Executive** Member The Hub. The Limes To invite Pauline Gaye from Chapter 1, The Limes, a Councillor **Pauline** Verbal report charity which works with the homeless, to the meeting Richard Gave. To invite ward to hear about their plans for a learning hub in Ardwick. Chapter 1. Leese The Limes councillors Andy Wilson Family Poverty At its meeting in September 2012 the Committee Councillor See September 2012 Angela Strategy - Follow up discussed the proposed Family Poverty Strategy prior Sue Harrington minutes to its submission to the Executive. To request a report Murphy Mike on recommendations providing an update on the implementation of the plan Councillor Livingstone To invite all scrutiny and how the recommendations have been taken Afzal Khan David chairs forward. Regan Affordable Credit To receive an update on developments to affordable Councillor Mark See December 2012 Sue credit since December 2012, when the Committee last Rainey minutes considered it: Murphy • To review the current situation following national developments: • To provide an update on the impact in Manchester; • To review the actions that the Council is taking to address this. See September 2013 • How the Council can support credit unions to push minutes for more affluent people to use their services; and • How the Council can support employers to encourage the use of credit unions for saving,

| | particularly through payroll deductions. | | | |
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| Update on Community | To receive an update on community budgets and work | Councillor | Geoff Little | |
| Budgets and Troubled | with troubled families, with a focus on the work to | Richard | | |
| Families | develop skills and increase employment. | Leese | | |
| Overview Report | To include the most recent Real Time Economy | | Christina | |
| | Dashboard. | | Sharples | |
| | For information: To include an update on creating more capacity at MadLab. | Councillor Nigel Murphy | Dave Carter | See March 2013 minutes |

| Wednesday 13 November 2013, 10.00am (Report deadline Friday 1 November 2013) | | | | | | | |
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| Item | Purpose | Lead Executive Member | Lead Officer | Comments | | | |
| The Manchester College | To consider the Manchester College's strategic review. To invite John Thornhill, Chief Executive, and Jack Carney, Principal of the Manchester College. | Councillor Sue Murphy | The Manchester College | See March 2013 minutes | | | |
| Update on Manchester Adult Education Service, including Progression Data | To receive an update on the Manchester Adult Education Service (MAES). To also consider the data which explains how MAES students have progressed following attending MAES courses. To review this once the data is available. | Councillor Sue Murphy | Julie Rushton | See March 2013 minutes | | | |
| Careers Advice and Guidance | To receive a report following up on the issues raised when careers advice was discussed in the October 2012 meeting. To include: • Detail on the universal service for high schools and further education colleges; • Consideration of the different ways which career options are presented to young people; • To what extend independent advice is informed by the economic climate, labour market and options | Councillor Sue Murphy Councillor Afzal Khan | John Edwards Elaine Morrison | See October 2012 minutes To invite representatives from Manchester Solutions to the meeting. | | | |

| Apprenticeships – learning from other cities | available, particularly locally. Models of best practice and consideration of what Manchester could learn from them; Destination data for school leavers from September 2012; The impact of raising the age of participation to 18. To undertake an investigation into other cities which have higher numbers of apprenticeships than Manchester. To focus on two cities: Birmingham and Sheffield To consider what they do differently to encourage employers to create apprenticeships and young people to access them. To also look at the problem of placements which are advertised as apprenticeships, but do not meet the necessary standards. For example those which do not provide sufficient or suitable training or require the apprentice to carry out work that is unrelated to the apprenticeship. | Councillor Sue Murphy | Angela Harrington | See December 2012 minutes To invite a representative from the National Apprenticeship Service to the meeting. To invite Rose Marley of Sharp Futures to the meeting. |
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| Links between businesses and education | To look at the links between businesses and education in Manchester. To consider examples of best practice and what Manchester can learn from them. | Councillor Sue Murphy | Angela Harrington John Edwards | |
| Overview Report | To include the most recent Real Time Economy Dashboard. For information: To include information on Digital | Councillor | Christina Sharples Jennifer | |
| | Champions, including the geographical spread, and an update on progress with Code Clubs. | Nigel Murphy | Green | |

Wednesday 11 December 2013, 10.00am (Report deadline Friday 29 November 2013)

| The Role of Medical Research in Supporting Economic Growth To invite Professor Ian Jacobs, Vice-President and Dean of the Faculty of Medical and Human Sciences at Manchester University, to the Committee to provide a presentation on the role that medical research has in supporting economic growth across Greater Manchester. Greater Manchester Enterprise Zone To receive an update on the implementation of the Greater Manchester Enterprise Zone, including at Airport City and the Medipark. To receive an update on the development of the Corridor, including the Corridor Growth Fund. To receive an update on the development of the Corridor, including the Corridor Growth Fund. To receive an update on the development of the Corridor Growth Fund. To follow up on the piece of work carried out jointly between the Council and New Economy to analyse the difference between the impact that minor infrastructure projects (such as alleygating schemes and Grants and Loans To follow up on the piece of work carried out jointly between the Council and New Economy to analyse the difference between the impact that minor infrastructure projects (such as alleygating schemes and loans targeted at small and medium enterprises on economic issues such as youth employment, jobs and apprenticeships. To invite Professor Ian Jacobs In Jacobs See Octobe Richard Leese Councillor Namchester Councillor Manchester Councillor Sara Todd John Holden, New Councillor New Councillor Manchester Councillor Manchester Councillor Richard Leese Councillor Richard L | |
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| To include further investigation into the whether the costs of alleygating could be offset by the savings made through prevention of crime, and whether any organisations which would benefit from this could be approached to fund alleygating schemes. Central Manchester To include further investigation into the whether the councillor Bernard Priest To invite the Neighbourhous Scrutiny Councillor Central Manchester To consider the refresh of the Central Manchester Councillor Bernard Priest To invite the Neighbourhous Scrutiny Councillor Scrutiny Councillor Andy Wilson To invite wa | oods mmittee |

| Strategic Regeneration | Strategic Regeneration Framework | Richard | | councillors |
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| Framework Refresh | | Leese | | |
| | Report to the Executive. | | | |
| Overview Report | To include the most recent Real Time Economy | | Christina | |
| | Dashboard. | | Sharples | |

| Wednesday 8 January 2014, 10.00am (Report deadline Tuesday 24 December 2013) | | | | | |
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| Item | Purpose | Lead Executive Member | Lead Officer | Comments | |
| Update on the Greater Manchester Growth Company | To invite Mark Hughes, Chief Executive of the Greater Manchester Growth Company, to the meeting to review the work being undertaken by the company in Manchester. | Councillor Richard Leese Council | Mark Hughes, Manchester Growth Company Angela Harrington | See February 2013 minutes | |
| Update on Business Start Up Support, including the recommendations of the Business Start Up | To receive an update on business start up support in Manchester. To also include an update on progress with the recommendations of the Business Start Up Task and Finish Group. To also include an update on the Committee's recommendation that the Council works with the Royal Bank of Scotland and other banks in the region to develop the following ideas: • Setting up drop in centres and business hubs to provide easier access for potential applicants for lending to RBS staff and expert advice. | Councillor Sue Murphy | Angela Harrington Karin Connell | See the reports and minutes of the Business Start Up Task and Finish Group. See minutes from July 2012 (ESC/12/13) and November 2012 See October 2011 and September 2012 minutes regarding | |

| | communities to identify ways to engage with | | on the Royal Bank of |
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| | people interested in setting up a business and | | Scotland |
| | established businesses which might benefit from | | |
| | working more closely with a bank. | | |
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| Overview Report | To include the most recent Real Time Economy | Christina | |
| | Dashboard. | Sharples | |

| Wednesday 5 February 2014, 10.00am (Report deadline Friday 24 January 2014) | | | | | |
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| Item | Purpose | Lead Executive Member | Lead Officer | Comments | |
| Update on the Work Programme | To invite representatives of the Work Programme discuss progress since it was last considered by the Committee in July 2013. To request information on: what the prime contractors are doing to improve performance, specifically for the hardest to reach groups; what aspects of their approach to delivering the Work Programme they have changed to improve performance; detailed targets and performance against them; details on specific strategies to improve performance. What evidence there is of people who have been referred to the Work Programme going back to Jobcentre Plus subsequently, and how many have done so. More detail on work clubs in the city, including what role they play; how widespread; and how | Councillor Sue Murphy | Angela Harrington | To invite representatives of the prime contractors: Seetec, G4S and Avanta. To invite Collette Carrol, from the Harpurhey Work Club to the meeting (See September minutes, ESC/13/41). | |

| | effective they are. | | | |
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| District Centre Policy | To consider how the Council can take a more holistic approach to the policy of district centres to ensure that local issues are taken account, particularly in planning | Councillor Richard Leese | Jessica Bowles Angela | See January 2013 minutes |
| | and licensing decisions. | Councillor Nigel | Harrington Jenette | To invite the Chairs of the |
| | To focus on different types of businesses that can have a detrimental impact on a district centre, including hot food outlets, off licenses, businesses offering very high interest loans, shisha bars, betting shops. | Murphy Councillor Sue Murphy | Hicks James Shuttleworth | Neighbourhoods and Health Scrutiny Committees |
| | To consider the health implications that some of these businesses have. To also consider how communications between the Planning and Licensing departments can be improved to support this policy effectively. | | | |
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| Overview Report | To include the most recent Real Time Economy Dashboard. | | Christina Sharples | |

| Wednesday 5 March 2014, 10.00am (Report deadline Friday 21 February 2014) | | | | | |
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| Item | Purpose | Lead Executive Member | Lead Officer | Comments | |
| The Christmas Economy Annual Report | To receive a report on the Christmas Economy and the Council's role in maximising the potential for economic benefit in the city. To include: • detail on the city centre and how it has developed over the last few years; • information on district centres; | Councillor Richard Leese | Sara Tomkins Angela Harrington | Date to be scheduled once data is available – March 2014 See March 2013 minutes | |

| | comparison with other major cities. | | |
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| Overview Report | To include the most recent Real Time Economy | Christina | |
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| Items To be Scheduled | | | | | |
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| Item | Purpose | Lead Executive Member | Lead Officer | Comments | |
| Corporate Social Responsibility | To request a report on Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) in Greater Manchester. To look at the ways that major organisations in the city carry out CSR. To include: Barriers to companies having effective CSR Best practice in CSR Particular focus on how companies in Greater Manchester fulfil CSR in terms of recruiting apprenticeships, employing local people and paying | Councillor Richard Leese | Sara Todd Angela Harrington | See November 2012 minutes To invite a representative from the Chamber of Commerce and/or a business with strong CSR. | |
| Accessing Economic Benefits – follow up | a living wage. To receive a follow up report once more relevant data from the 2011 Census is available, which provides details of the outcomes of initiatives that were discussed in the report the Committee received in December 2012. | Councillor Richard Leese | Sara Todd Angela Harrington | See December 2012 and March 2013 minutes | |
| Talent Match Programme | To request a report on the Talent Match Programme. This is a scheme funded by the Big Lottery in 21 parts | Councillor Sue | Angela Harrington | To invite representatives from | |

| | of the country which works with people aged 16-25 who are not in education, employment or training. GMVCO (Greater Manchester Centre for Voluntary Organisations) is leading on this scheme in Manchester. | Murphy | Liz Goodger | GMVCO to the meeting. |
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| | To receive this report once the business plan has been developed. | | | |
| Broadband coverage in Manchester | To invite representatives of the main internet providers to the meeting to hear their views on why some areas in the city do not have broadband coverage. To also review the map showing exactly where in Manchester has broadband, and where does not. | Councillor Nigel Murphy | Sara Tomkins | See July 2013 minutes. |
| Impact of Funding Cuts to the Third Sector | To invite representatives of third sector organisations to hear their personal experiences of the impact of funding cuts on their organisation and the people they help. | Councillor Sue Murphy | Geoff Little Liz Goodger | See July 2013 minutes To invite Mike Wild of Macc to the meeting |
| Cost of transport | To look into the cost of transport and the impact this has on people's finances. (To be fully scoped) | Councillor Nigel Murphy | Jessica Bowles | |
| Job creation through large investments | To request a report which provides analyse of the jobs that were created in large developments in the last five years. To consider: • all developments which planned to create 100+ jobs; • to compare the number of jobs planned with the number of jobs created; • to provide an analysis of the jobs by development and in total: - what level they are; | Councillor Richard Leese | Angela Harrington Jessica Bowles | |

| | - whether they are full or part time; | | | |
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| | how many went to Manchester residents. | | | |
| Financial Inclusion | To invite representatives from local banks to discuss | Councillor | Angela | See September 2013 |
| | how they can work with the Council and social housing | Richard | Harrington | minutes |
| | providers to support residents in budgeting and making | Leese | _ | |
| | best use of the services available. | Councillor | | |
| | | Nigel | | |
| | To consider examples of where this has worked well. | Murphy | | |