

Economy Scrutiny Committee

Date: Thursday, 9 January 2020

Time: 10.00 am

Venue: Council Antechamber, Level 2, Town Hall Extension

Everyone is welcome to attend this committee meeting.

There will be a private meeting for Members only at 9.30am in Committee Room 6 (Room 2006), 2nd Floor of Town Hall Extension

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Membership of the Economy Scrutiny Committee

Councillors - H Priest (Chair), Abdullatif, Douglas, Green, Hacking, Johns, Noor, Raikes, Shilton Godwin, K Simcock and Stanton

Agenda

1. **Urgent Business**

To consider any items which the Chair has agreed to have submitted as urgent.

2. **Appeals**

To consider any appeals from the public against refusal to allow inspection of background documents and/or the inclusion of items in the confidential part of the agenda.

3. Interests

To allow Members an opportunity to [a] declare any personal, prejudicial or disclosable pecuniary interests they might have in any items which appear on this agenda; and [b] record any items from which they are precluded from voting as a result of Council Tax/Council rent arrears; [c] the existence and nature of party whipping arrangements in respect of any item to be considered at this meeting. Members with a personal interest should declare that at the start of the item under consideration. If Members also have a prejudicial or disclosable pecuniary interest they must withdraw from the meeting during the consideration of the item.

5 - 12 4. Minutes

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 5 December 2019.

The Council's Updated Financial Strategy and Budget 5. reports 2020/21

Report of the Chief Executive and the Deputy Chief Executive and City Treasurer attached

This report provides an update on the Council's overall financial position and sets out the next steps in the budget process, including scrutiny of the draft Budget proposals and Budget report by this Committee. Each Scrutiny Committee will receive a budget report aligned to its remit. The report also outlines the officer proposals for how the Council could deliver a balanced budget for 2020/21, the details of which will be discussed at the relevant scrutiny committees.

Council Business Plan 2020/21 5a.

Report of the Chief Executive attached

This report presents the draft Council Business Plan for 2020/21.

Growth and Development Budget report 2020/21

Report of the Strategic Director (Growth and Development) attached

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This report sets out the Growth & Development medium term financial plan and budget proposals for 2020/21. The report should be read in conjunction with the Council's overarching Business Plan report.

6. The City's Future Economy and Labour Market Requirements 77 - 98 Report of the Head of Work and Skills attached

This report provides information on the City's current Labour Market using the data and intelligence that is currently available, providing an overview of skills demand and supply. The report sets out some of the work in which the Council and its partners are connecting residents to opportunities arising from the city's growth, as well as ensuring businesses have access to the skills they need to grow.

7. The City's Future Economy and Labour Market Requirements 99 - 142 - CEIAG and Skills for Life

Report of the Head of Work and Skills attached

This report provides an update on the developments of careers education, information, advice and guidance which have undergone a significant positive transformation over the last four years and now have a renewed emphasis nationally and investment in resources and infrastructure to improve careers programmes in secondary and post 16 provision.

8. Delivering the Our Manchester Strategy- Update from the Executive Member for Housing and Regeneration Report of the Executive Member for Housing and Regeneration

This report provides an overview of work undertaken and progress towards the delivery of the Council's priorities as set out in the Our Manchester strategy for those areas within the portfolio of the Executive Member for Housing and Regeneration

9. Overview Report

Report of the Governance and Scrutiny Support Unit attached

This report provides the Committee with details of key decisions that fall within the Committee's remit and an update on actions resulting from the Committee's recommendations. The report also includes the Committee's work programme, which the Committee is asked to amend as appropriate and agree.

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Information about the Committee

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The Economy Scrutiny Committee has responsibility for looking at how the city's economy is growing and how Manchester people are benefiting from the growth.

The Council wants to consult people as fully as possible before making decisions that affect them. Members of the public do not have a right to speak at meetings but may do so if invited by the Chair. If you have a special interest in an item on the agenda and want to speak, tell the Committee Officer, who will pass on your request to the Chair. Groups of people will usually be asked to nominate a spokesperson. The Council wants its meetings to be as open as possible but occasionally there will be some confidential business. Brief reasons for confidentiality will be shown on the agenda sheet.

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