

Mid Devon District Council

Economy Policy Development Group

Thursday, 21 July 2016 at 6.00 pm
Exe Room, Phoenix House

Next ordinary meeting
Thursday, 15 September 2016 at 6.00pm

Those attending are advised that this meeting will be recorded

Membership

Cllr Mrs B M Hull
Cllr Mrs A R Berry
Cllr K Busch
Cllr J M Downes
Cllr R Evans
Cllr Mrs S Griggs
Cllr T G Hughes
Cllr F J Rosamond
Cllr Mrs N Woollatt

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Members are reminded of the need to make declarations of interest prior to any discussion which may take place

1 **Apologies and Substitute Members**

To receive any apologies for absence and notice of appointment of substitutes.

2 **Public Question Time**

To receive any questions relating to items on the Agenda from members of the public and replies thereto.

3 **Minutes** (*Pages 5 - 12*)

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the previous meeting (copy attached).

4 **Chairman's Announcements**

To receive any announcements that the Chairman may wish to make.

5 **Inward Investment Strategy**

To receive a verbal update from the Economic Development Officer regarding the joint Inward Investment Strategy.

6 **Update on the picture for high streets going forwards**

To receive a presentation from the Head of Communities and Governance providing information in relation to the transformation of town centres.

7 **Tiverton Town Centre Action Plan** (*Pages 13 - 32*)

To receive a report from the Head of Communities and Governance providing Members with the first draft of the Tiverton Town Centre Action Plan giving them the opportunity to shape the plan before it goes out for consultation.

8 **Tiverton Market Strategy** (*Pages 33 - 66*)

To receive a report from the Head of Communities and Governance providing Members with the first draft of the Tiverton Market Strategy providing them with the opportunity to shape the strategy before it goes out for consultation.

9 **Identification of items for the next meeting**

Members are asked to note that the following items are already identified in the work programme for the next meeting:

- Economic Development update
- Economic profile
- Culm Valley in Business (to be confirmed)

Note: This item is limited to 10 minutes. There should be no discussion on the items raised.

Stephen Walford
Chief Executive
Wednesday 13 July 2016

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