

NOTICE OF MEETING

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, CULTURE & LEISURE SCRUTINY PANEL

THURSDAY, 26 JANUARY 2017 AT 5.00 PM

CONFERENCE ROOM A - CIVIC OFFICES - FLOOR 2

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Membership:

Councillor Hannah Hockaday (Chair)
Councillor Steve Hastings (Vice-Chair)
Councillor Alicia Denny
Councillor Yahiya Chowdhury
Councillor Lee Hunt
Councillor Matthew Winnington

Standing Deputies

Councillor Ben Dowling Councillor Scott Harris Councillor Suzy Horton Councillor Ian Lyon Councillor Gemma New Councillor Steve Pitt

(NB This Agenda should be retained for future reference with the minutes of this meeting.)

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<u>AGENDA</u>

- 1 Apologies for absence
- 2 Declarations of Members' Interests
- **3 Minutes of Previous Meeting 9 January 2017** (Pages 3 8)

RECOMMENDED that the minutes of the EDCL Scrutiny Panel meeting held on 9 January 2017 be approved as a correct record.

4 Smarter Cities Review

The panel will continue the review of Smarter and Sustainable Cities by considering evidence from:

(i) Professor Steffen Lehmann, University of Portsmouth, Professor of Sustainable Architecture and Director, Cluster for Sustainable Cities. Professor Lehmann's presentation entitled 'Regenerating Cities' will look at how to unleash the hidden potential of the Island City of Portsmouth, including increased collaboration between industry, local government and the University of Portsmouth. Urban development has never been more important than today, nor has the competition between cities been more intense. What are the visionary but grounded strategies for the future of the City of Portsmouth and what could be done to transform and upgrade its public space network to meet the challenges of the 21st century?

Further information can be found at the website: www.city-futures.org.uk

(ii) Some written information will be provided by Public Health for circulation at this meeting or for the next meeting.

5 Date of Next Meeting

To discuss the date of a future meeting or the need to visit another city, pending attendance at the Ascent Events Smart Cities 2017 conference on 1st & 2nd February in London by Cllrs Hannah Hockaday and Matthew Winnington.

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