



NOTICE OF MEETING

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, CULTURE & LEISURE SCRUTINY PANEL

THURSDAY, 30 JANUARY 2014 AT 6.00 PM

CONFERENCE ROOM A - CIVIC OFFICES

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Membership:

Councillor Matthew Winnington (Chair)

Councillor Phil Smith (Vice-Chair)

Councillor John Ferrett

Councillor Darron Phillips

Councillor Will Purvis

Councillor Steve Wemyss

Standing Deputies

Councillor Margaret Adair

Councillor David Fuller

Councillor Jacqui Hancock

Councillor David Horne

Councillor Luke Stubbs

Councillor Alistair Thompson

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

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AGENDA

- 1 Apologies for absence**
- 2 Declarations of Members' Interests**
- 3 Minutes of Previous Meeting - 5 December 2013 (Pages 1 - 10)**

The minutes of the meeting of the EDCL panel held on 5 December 2013 are attached for approval.

RECOMMENDED that the minutes of 5 December 2013 be approved as a correct record.

4 Community Ownership Unit Portsmouth (COUP) Update Report (Pages 11 - 16)

A quarterly update report by James Sandy is attached.

5 Review: Pathways into Work for Young People (Pages 17 - 28)

The following written evidence is submitted:

- a) Troubled Families - report by James Hill attached
- b) Ofsted report 'Going in the Right Direction' published September 2013 regarding access to independent and impartial careers advice for Years 9-11 This can be accessed at: <http://www.ofsted.gov.uk/resources/going-right-direction-careers-guidance-schools-september-2012>
- c) PCC work placements - information from Kate Brady, Skills Officer has been circulated to members
- d) NEET Ward Map - requested information provided by Sharon George attached
- e) Post-16 Curriculum Map - information to follow from Lyn Exley

Reports back from EDCL Panel Members on evidence gathering

- f) Meeting with Maureen Frost of Hants Chamber of Commerce on 28 January - Cllrs Will Purvis and Steve Wemyss
- g) Attendance at the Apprenticeships Event 23 January - Cllrs John Ferrett, Phil Smith and Will Purvis

6 Future Meetings

At the end of the meeting the panel will go into informal session to discuss the drafting of the panel's report on the review of Pathways into Work for Young People and the need for more meetings to discuss and progress this.