

Date of meeting **Wednesday, 3rd September, 2014**

Time **7.00 pm**

Venue **Committee Room 2, Civic Offices, Merrial Street,
Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire, ST5 2AG**

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Economic Development and Enterprise Scrutiny Committee

AGENDA

PART 1 – OPEN AGENDA

- 1 Apologies**
- 2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**
To receive declarations of interest from Members on items included in this agenda
- 3 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING** **(Pages 3 - 8)**
To agree as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on Wednesday 2 July 2014
- 4 NEWCASTLE HOUSING ADVICE SERVICE** **(Pages 9 - 14)**
David Taylor from Midland Heart Limited will be attending to answer any questions raised by Members regarding the progress to date
- 5 Joint Housing Allocations Policy Review** **(Pages 15 - 28)**
- 6 Town Centre Parking** **(Pages 29 - 32)**
- 7 The Stoke-on-Trent and Staffordshire Local Enterprise
Partnership Planning Concordat** **(Pages 33 - 40)**
- 8 NEWCASTLE TOWN CENTRE PARTNERSHIP**
Report to follow
- 9 KIDSGROVE TOWN CENTRE PARTNERSHIP**
Report to follow
- 10 HS2 Working Group** **(Pages 41 - 42)**
- 11 WORK PLAN** **(Pages 43 - 46)**
To discuss and update the work plans to reflect current scrutiny topics

12 PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Any member of the public wishing to submit a question must serve two clear days' notice, in writing, of any such question to the Borough Council.

13 URGENT BUSINESS

To consider any business which is urgent within the meaning of Section 100B(4) of the Local Government Act 1972

14 DATE AND TIME OF THE NEXT MEETING

Wednesday 3 December 2014, 7.00pm in Committee Room 2

Members: Councillors Baker, Holland, Loades, Matthews, Owen, Mrs Simpson, Stringer (Chair), Welsh, White (Vice-Chair) and Wilkes

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Members of the Council: If you identify any personal training/development requirements from any of the items included in this agenda or through issues raised during the meeting, please bring them to the attention of the Democratic Services Officer at the close of the meeting.

Meeting Quorums :- 16+= 5 Members; 10-15=4 Members; 5-9=3 Members; 5 or less = 2 Members.

Officers will be in attendance prior to the meeting for informal discussions on agenda items.