

## Economic Development & Enterprise Overview and Scrutiny Committee

### Work Plan – As at 20 August 2013

Date of Meeting	Item	Reason for Undertaking
<b>10 September 2013 (Agenda dispatch 30 August 2013)</b>	Broadband Manager to attend meeting	Action from the previous meeting to invite the Broadband Manager to discuss broadband provision in the Borough.
	HS2 Working Group Report – Stakeholder Views	To consider and discuss the outcomes from the Stakeholder meeting held by the working group in August.
	Newcastle Economic Development Strategy – Year Two Action Plan	<p>The Scrutiny Chair has requested that:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A simplified version of the plan be provided to all Elected Members.</li> <li>2. That where possible deadlines be made more robust as it was felt that they were somewhat vague at present.</li> <li>3. That good work had been carried out with young people regarding education and enterprise but that enterprise guidance should be made available to everyone.</li> <li>4. That it was good to see work being done with different age groups and requested that care be taken to include those in the 50 plus bracket who had been made redundant and could be struggling with out of date skills.</li> <li>5. Updated timescales be reported back to the Scrutiny Committee.</li> </ol>
	Local Enterprise Partnership Planning Charter	Pre-Cabinet Scrutiny
	JCB Investment Inquiry	To look at the approach that was used and learn for the future.

<p><b>18 December 2013</b>  <b>(Agenda dispatch</b>  <b>6 December 2013)</b></p>	<p>Newcastle and Kidsgrove Town Centre Partnerships</p>	<p>Action from June meeting to invite the Portfolio Holder for Economic Development, Regeneration and Town Centres to review the business plan for the Newcastle Town Centre Partnership. To also consider the business/action plan for Kidsgrove Town Centre Partnership.</p>
	<p>Portfolio Holder(s) Question Time</p>	<p>An opportunity for the Committee to question the Portfolio Holder(s) on their priorities and work objectives for the next six months and an opportunity to address any issues or concerns that they may currently be facing. It's also an opportunity for the Portfolio Holder to flag up areas within their remit that may benefit from scrutiny in the future i.e. policy development.</p>
<p><b>12 March 2014</b>  <b>(Agenda dispatch</b>  <b>28 February 2014)</b></p>	<p>Annual review of the scrutiny committee's work</p>	<p>To evaluate and review the work undertaken during 2013/14.</p>

### **Task and Finish Groups**

HS2 Working Group

Town Centre Car Parking

### **Future Task and Finish Groups**

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**Suggestions for Potential Future Items:**

Newcastle Economic Development Strategy

Community Infrastructure Levy

Former St. Giles and St. Georges Site

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