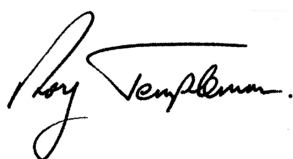


20 November 2007

Dear Councillor

A meeting of the District Council of Chester-le-Street will be held in the Council Chamber, Civic Centre, Newcastle Road, Chester-le-Street, Co Durham, DH3 3UT on Thursday, 29th November, 2007 at 6.00 pm

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Roy Templeman', written over a light grey rectangular background.

R TEMPLEMAN

Chief Executive

AGENDA:

1. Apologies for Absence
2. To Confirm the Minutes of the Previous Meeting (Pages 1 - 8)
3. Public Speaking
4. To receive declarations of interest from Members
5. Report from the Leader of the Council
6. Reports from Portfolio Holders
 - a) Resources and Value for Money
 - b) Regeneration and Strategic Planning
 - c) Community engagement and Partnerships
 - d) Neighbourhood Services
 - e) Health and Well-Being

7. Questions to Leader and Executive Members
8. To accept the report of the Audit Committee held on 4 October 2007 (Pages 9 - 12)
9. Report of Appointments Panel held 8 November 2007 (Pages 13 - 20)
10. Review of Polling Districts/Polling Places/Polling Stations Report of the Electoral Arrangements Working Group held on 7 November 2007 (Pages 21 - 30)
11. Council Tax Base 2008 - 2009 Report of Head of Revenues and Benefits (Pages 31 - 34)
12. Private Sector Housing Review Report of Head of Planning and Environmental Health (Pages 35 - 44)
13. Code of Good Practice Report of Head of Planning and Environmental Health (Pages 45 - 68)
14. District Play Strategy Report of Leisure Services Manager (Pages 69 - 74)
15. Correspondence
16. Conferences
17. Common Seal