



Environment and Sustainable Communities Overview and Scrutiny Committee

Date Monday 10 November 2014
Time 9.30 am
Venue Committee Room 2, County Hall, Durham

Business

Part A

Items during which the Press and Public are welcome to attend. Members of the Public can ask questions with the Chairman's agreement.

1. Apologies.
2. Substitute Members.
3. Minutes of the Meeting held on 2 October 2014 (Pages 1 - 12)
4. Declarations of Interest, if any
5. Any items from Co-opted Members or interested parties.
6. Media Relations - Updates on Press Coverage
7. Community Action Team and use of targeted interventions - Overview:
(Pages 13 - 20)
Report of the Corporate Director Neighbourhood Services
8. Winter Maintenance Plan - Update: (Pages 21 - 24)
 - (i) Joint Report of the Assistant Chief Executive and Corporate Director of Neighbourhood Services.
 - (ii) Presentation by the Policy and Assets Manager, Neighbourhood Services.
9. Warm Up North - Update: (Pages 25 - 30)
Report of the Corporate Director Regeneration and Economic Development.

10. European Structural and Investment Funds - Low Carbon Economy - Update: (Pages 31 - 36)
Report of the Corporate Director of Regeneration and Economic Development.
11. Limestone Landscape Programme - Update: (Pages 37 - 42)
 - (i) Joint report of the Assistant Chief Executive and Corporate Director of Regeneration and Economic Development.
 - (ii) Presentation by the Limestone Landscape Programme Manager, Regeneration and Economic Development.
12. Management of the Woodland estate owned by Durham County Council - Scrutiny Review - terms of reference for the project: (Pages 43 - 54)
Report of the Assistant Chief Executive.
13. Minutes of the County Durham Environment Partnership Board held on 15 July, 2014 (Pages 55 - 58)
14. Minutes of the Durham Strategic Flood Prevention Group held on 20 August 2014 and draft minutes of the Northumbria Regional Flood and Coastal Committee held on 10 October, 2014. (Pages 59 - 70)
15. Such other business as, in the opinion of the Chairman of the meeting is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration.

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County Hall
Durham
31 October 2014

To: **The Members of the Environment and Sustainable Communities
Overview and Scrutiny Committee:**

Councillor B Graham (Chairman)
Councillor D Hall (Vice-Chairman)

Councillors E Adam, J Armstrong, D Bell, E Bell, J Clare, J Clark, D Freeman,
J Gray, G Holland, K Hopper, I Jewell, C Kay, P May, O Milburn, S Morrison,
J Shuttleworth, P Stradling, L Taylor and S Zair

Co-opted Members:

Mr T Bolton and Mrs P Spurrell