BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL

ECONOMY AND SKILLS OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY, 15 SEPTEMBER 2021 AT 10:00 HOURS IN BMI MAIN HALL, 9 MARGARET STREET, BIRMINGHAM, B3 3BS

AGENDA

1 NOTICE OF RECORDING/WEBCAST

The Chair to advise/meeting to note that this meeting will be webcast for live or subsequent broadcast via the Council's meeting You Tube site (www.youtube.com/channel/UCT2kT7ZRPFCXq6 5dnVnYlw) and that members of the press/public may record and take photographs except where there are confidential or exempt items.

2 **APPOINTMENT OF COMMITTEE AND CHAIR**

To note the resolution of the City Council appointing the Committee, Chair and Members to serve on the Committee for the period ending with the Annual Meeting of the City Council 2022, as follows:-

Labour (5):-

Councillors Alex Aitken, Peter Griffiths, Zaheer Khan, Chaman Lal and (vacancy).

Conservative (2):-

Councillors Maureen Cornish, Simon Morrall and Darius Sandhu.

3 APOLOGIES

To receive any apologies.

4 DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS

Members are reminded that they must declare all relevant pecuniary and non pecuniary interests arising from any business to be discussed at this meeting. If a disclosable pecuniary interest is declared a Member must not speak or take part in that agenda item. Any declarations will be recorded in the minutes of the meeting.

5 **TERMS OF REFERENCE**

To fulfil the functions of an Overview and Scrutiny Committee as they relate to any policies, services and activities concerning strategic economy; skills and apprenticeships; inward investment; land use planning; business improvement districts and the Local Enterprise Partnership.

6 **ELECTION OF DEPUTY CHAIR**

To elect a Deputy Chair to substitute for the Chair if absent.

5 - 10 7 ECONOMY & SKILLS O&S COMMITTEE ACTION NOTES - 24 MARCH

"The committee agrees that minutes and actions from meetings that took place remotely on Teams during the pandemic and that were agreed in Teams meetings can be signed physically by the Deputy Chair Cllr Chaman Lal due to the previous Chair having since left the authority".

8 EAST BIRMINGHAM INCLUSIVE GROWTH STRATEGY - UPDATE 11 - 46

Mark Gamble, East Birmingham Development Manager

47 - 80 9 **UPDATE ON BREXIT**

Lloyd Broad, Head of European and International Affairs & Ozge Iskit, Interim Brexit Co-Ordinator

81 - 84 10 ECONOMY & SKILLS O&S COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME

For discussion.

11 DATES OF MEETINGS

To approve a schedule of dates for the Committee's meetings during 2019/2020.

(A) The Chairman proposes that the Committee meets on the following Wednesdays at 1000 hours in the Main Hall, Birmingham and Midland Institute (unless otherwise stated):-

 2021
 2022

 16 June*
 5 January

 14 July*
 2 February

 15 September
 2 March

 6 October
 27 April

10 November 8 December

12 REQUEST(S) FOR CALL IN/COUNCILLOR CALL FOR ACTION/PETITIONS RECEIVED (IF ANY)

To consider any request for call in/councillor call for action/petitions (if received).

^{*} Informal meetings.

⁽B) The Committee is also requested to approve Wednesdays at 1000 hours as a suitable day and time each week for any additional meetings required to consider 'requests for call in' which may be lodged in respect of Executive decisions.

13 OTHER URGENT BUSINESS

To consider any items of business by reason of special circumstances (to be specified) that in the opinion of the Chair are matters of urgency.

14 **AUTHORITY TO CHAIR AND OFFICERS**

Chair to move:-

'In an urgent situation between meetings, the Chair jointly with the relevant Chief Officer has authority to act on behalf of the Committee'.