



Leicester
City Council

**MEETING OF THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TRANSPORT AND
CLIMATE EMERGENCY SCRUTINY COMMISSION**

DATE: WEDNESDAY, 20 MARCH 2024

TIME: 5:30 pm

**PLACE: Meeting Room G.01, Ground Floor, City Hall, 115 Charles
Street, Leicester, LE1 1FZ**

Members of the Committee

Councillor Waddington (Chair)

Councillor O'Neill (Vice-Chair)

Councillors Batool, Dawood, Osman, Porter, Rae Bhatia and Whittle

Members of the Committee are invited to attend the above meeting to consider the items of business listed overleaf.

For Monitoring Officer

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AGENDA

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1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members will be asked to declare any interests they may have in the business to be discussed on the agenda.

3. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

Appendix A

The minutes of the meeting of the Commission held on 31 January 2024 are attached and Members will be asked to confirm them as correct record.

4. PETITIONS

The Monitoring Officer to report on any petitions received in accordance with Council procedures.

5. QUESTIONS, REPRESENTATIONS AND STATEMENTS OF CASE

The Monitoring Officer to report on any questions, representations and statements of case received in accordance with Council procedures.

6. 20MPH ZONES INFORMAL SCRUTINY - UPDATE

The Chair will give a verbal update on the informal scrutiny work on 20mph Zones in the City having presented it to the Executive.

7. ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING INFORMAL SCRUTINY - UPDATE

The Vice-Chair and the City Transport Director will give a verbal update on the informal scrutiny work on Electric Vehicle charging points in the city following the first meeting of the task group.

8. WATERSIDE UPDATE

The Director of Planning, Development and Transport will give a presentation on the Waterside development. Updates will also be given on Pioneer Park and the Brownfield Land Development Approach.

Slides to follow.

9. LABOUR MARKET: WORKER EXPLOITATION [Appendix B](#)

The Head of Economic Regeneration submits a report relating to worker exploitation in sectors other than the textiles sector.

10. LLEP ARRANGEMENTS [Appendix C](#)

The Director of Tourism, Culture and Inward Investment submits a report to reflect on the impact of Leicester and Leicester Enterprise Partnership spanning from its inception in 2011 to the present day and to acknowledge the progress on the transfer of LLEP functions into Leicester City Council under the direction of the new Leicestershire and Leicestershire Economic Growth Board.

11. WORK PROGRAMME [Appendix D](#)

Members of the Commission will be asked to consider the work programme and make suggestions for additional items as it considers necessary.

12. ANY OTHER BUSINESS