



Walsall Council

Regeneration Services Scrutiny and Performance Panel

Meeting to be held on: **2 October 2008 at 6.00pm.**

Your attendance is requested at the above meeting, which will be held at, 6.00pm in a conference room in the Council House.

A list of the items of business to be considered at the meeting, together with any supporting papers is enclosed. Please bring the papers with you to the meeting.

MEMBERSHIP: Cllr D. Pitt (chair)
Cllr S. Coughlan (Vice Chair)
Cllr T. Ansell
Cllr D. Anson
Cllr B. Douglas-Maul
Cllr. B. Tweddle
Cllr I. Shires
Cllr K. Sears
Cllr A. Underhill

Portfolio Holder: Cllr A. Andrew - Regeneration
Cllr A. Harris - Transport

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ITEMS FOR BUSINESS

1.	Apologies To receive apologies for absence from Members of the Panel.	
2.	Substitutions To receive notice of any substitutions for a Member of the Panel for the duration of the meeting.	
3.	Declarations of interest and party whip To receive declarations of interest or the party whip from Members in respect of items on the agenda.	
4.	Minutes To approve and sign the minutes from the meeting that took place on 31 July 2008.	<u>Enclosed</u>
5.	Forward Plan To consider the Forward Plan that was issued on 8 September 2008.	<u>Enclosed</u>
6.	Development Opportunities To consider the available training opportunities for Members. <i>Reshaping Overview and Scrutiny</i> Please contact Marie Davies on 01922 655669 if you are interested in attending this course.	<u>Enclosed</u>
7.	St. Matthews Quarter To provide an update on progress with the delivery of the St Matthew's Quarter project, including progress with the temporary relocation of the market.	<u>Enclosed</u>
8.	Local Area Agreement – Review and Refresh To consider progress towards the achievement of the targets contained in Walsall's Local Area Agreement.	<u>Enclosed</u>
9.	Development of Worklessness Target Action Plan To show how our Local Area Agreement targets are being addressed. The Worklessness target is National Indicator 152 (the percentage of the working age population who are claiming out of work benefits) and the presentation will detail what we need to achieve and how we have decided what actions to take to achieve it.	<u>Enclosed</u>
10.	Resource Planning 2009/10 – 2011/12 To consider the resource planning document for the Regeneration Directorate which includes details on service objectives, priorities and finance.	<u>Enclosed</u>
11.	Walsall to Wolverhampton Rail Service From 13 December 2008, funding for the Walsall/Wolverhampton rail link will be withdrawn. The agenda contains a report giving background to the issue for Members to consider what further action to take.	<u>Enclosed</u>
12.	Date of Next Meeting To note the date of the next meeting as 6.00pm on 6 November 2008.	