

***PLACE, ECONOMIC GROWTH AND ENVIRONMENT SCRUTINY  
BOARD  
Agenda***

Date Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> December 2024

Time 6.00 pm

Venue Lees Suite, Civic Centre, Oldham, West Street, Oldham, OL1 1NL

- Notes
1. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST- If a Member requires advice on any item involving a possible declaration of interest which could affect his/her ability to speak and/or vote he/she is advised to contact Alex Bougatef or Constitutional Services at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting.
  2. CONTACT OFFICER for this agenda is Constitutional Services – email: [constitutional.services@oldham.gov.uk](mailto:constitutional.services@oldham.gov.uk)
  3. PUBLIC QUESTIONS - Any Member of the public wishing to ask a question at the above meeting can do so only if a written copy of the question is submitted to the contact officer by 12.00 noon on Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> December 2024..
  4. FILMING - The Council, members of the public and the press may record/film/photograph or broadcast this meeting when the public and the press are not lawfully excluded. Any member of the public who attends a meeting and objects to being filmed should advise the Constitutional Services Officer who will instruct that they are not included in the filming.

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**MEMBERSHIP OF THE PLACE, ECONOMIC GROWTH AND ENVIRONMENT SCRUTINY BOARD**

Councillors Ghafoor, J. Hussain (Chair), Kouser, Malik, McLaren (Vice-Chair), Moores, Murphy, Sharp, Shuttleworth, Wilkinson and Williamson

Item No

1 Apologies For Absence

2 Urgent Business

Urgent business, if any, introduced by the Chair

3           Declarations of Interest

To Receive Declarations of Interest in any Contract or matter to be discussed at the meeting.

4           Public Question Time

To receive Questions from the Public, in accordance with the Council's Constitution.

5           Call-in Procedure (Pages 3 - 4)

The Scrutiny Board is asked to note the Call-in Procedure

6           Exclusion of the Press and Public

To consider that the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following two items of business, pursuant to Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that discussions may involve the likely disclosure of exempt information, under paragraph 3 as defined in the provisions of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act, to the Local Government Act 1972 and public interest would not be served in publishing the information.

7           Inclusion of Oldham Mumps, Princes Gate into the Town Centre Development Partnership (Pages 5 - 44)

The Scrutiny Board is requested to note the call-in request and to consider confidential recommendations, in the report, which were approved by Cabinet on 18<sup>th</sup> November 2024 and which were subsequently call-in by Councillors Kenyon and Al-Hamdani.

8           Catering Review Implementation (Pages 45 - 108)

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## **PROTOCOL FOR DEALING WITH CALLED-IN BUSINESS AT AN OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY BOARD MEETING**

The Chair of the Scrutiny Board will briefly outline the following procedure to the Scrutiny Board Members and others present at the meeting.

1. The Calling-in Members will explain to the Committee the reasons why they have called-in the Cabinet's decision.
2. The Cabinet Member will explain to the Scrutiny Board the background to the decision that has been called-in.
3. The Lead Director/report author will explain the reasons for the recommendation in the report.
4. The Calling-in Members may ask questions of the Cabinet Member and/or the Lead Director/report author.
5. Members of the Scrutiny Board may ask questions of the Cabinet member and of the Lead Director/report author.
6. Members of the Scrutiny Board may ask questions of the Calling-in Members.
7. The Scrutiny Board will debate the issues.
8. The Calling-in Members will have the opportunity to respond to any relevant points raised during the debate (if appropriate).
9. The Cabinet Member and/or the Lead Director/report author will have the opportunity to respond to any relevant points raised during the debate (if appropriate).
10. The Scrutiny Board will make its decision, and there are essentially two decisions which the Board can make: -
  - a. to uphold the decision that has been called-in, which means the decision will take immediate effect.
  - b. To refer the decision back to the decision-making body (Cabinet) to determine at its next available meeting, if necessary, with any recommendations which this Scrutiny Board considers to be appropriate. (If this is the case the Cabinet can uphold its original decision, or make a different decision, in light of the scrutiny Board's consideration thereon. Any subsequent decision made by a Cabinet would be exempt from call-in).

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