

# PLACE, ECONOMIC GROWTH AND ENVIRONMENT SCRUTINY BOARD

## RECONVENED MEETING FROM 24th JULY 2025

## Agenda

Date Wednesday 27 August 2025 (Reconvened from 24<sup>th</sup> July 2025)

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

Peter Thompson at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting.

2. CONTACT OFFICER for this agenda is Peter Thompson – email:

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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 noon on Date Not Specified.

MEMBERSHIP OF THE PLACE, ECONOMIC GROWTH AND ENVIRONMENT SCRUTINY BOARD

Councillors Aslam, Ghafoor, Harkness, J. Hussain (Chair), Kouser, Malik, McLaren (Vice-Chair), Rustidge, Sharp, Wilkinson and Williamson

#### Item No

- 1 Apologies For Absence
- 2 Call-in Procedure (Pages 3 4)

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

3 Creating a Better Place - Update (Pages 5 - 28)

A report that updating on the Creating a Better Place Programme

4 Exclusion of the Press and Public

To consider that the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the



following item 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.

### 5 Creating a Better Place - Update (Pages 29 - 80)

The Scrutiny Board is requested to note the Call-in request and to consider the recommendations, in the confidential report, that were approved by Cabinet on 16<sup>th</sup> June 2025 (minute 11 refers) and which were subsequently called-in by Councillors Kenyon and Al-Hamdani.

The confidential report considered by the Cabinet on 16<sup>th</sup> June 2025, the associated appendices and the Call-in form received from Councillors Kenyon and Al-Hamdani are attached, for Member's consideration.