

Blackpool Council

13 June 2023

To: Councillors Boughton, P Brookes, Hoyle, B Mitchell, D Scott, S Smith, Thomas, Webb and Wilshaw

The above members are requested to attend the:

LEVELLING UP SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Wednesday, 21 June 2023 at 6.00 pm
in Committee Room A, Town Hall, Blackpool

A G E N D A

1 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members are asked to declare any interests in the items under consideration and in doing so state:

(1) the type of interest concerned either a

- (a) personal interest
- (b) prejudicial interest
- (c) disclosable pecuniary interest (DPI)

and

(2) the nature of the interest concerned

If any member requires advice on declarations of interests, they are advised to contact the Head of Democratic Governance in advance of the meeting.

2 PUBLIC SPEAKING

To consider any requests from members of the public to speak at the meeting.

3 EXECUTIVE AND CABINET MEMBER DECISIONS (Pages 1 - 12)

To consider the Executive and Cabinet Member Decisions within the remit of the Committee, taken since the last meeting.

4 FORWARD PLAN (Pages 13 - 16)

To consider the content of the Council's Forward Plan, July 2023 - October 2023, within the remit of the Committee.

5 LEVELLING-UP INTRODUCTION (Pages 17 - 26)

To provide an overview of Levelling-Up in Blackpool.

6 TOURISM PERFORMANCE (Pages 27 - 32)

To provide the committee with a background to the visitor economy and how performance is assessed.

7 TOWN CENTRE REGENERATION UPDATE (Pages 33 - 52)

To provide an overview of progress on various projects being undertaken to secure the regeneration of Blackpool Town Centre following the last update in September 2022.

8 SCRUTINY WORKPLAN (Pages 53 - 60)

To consider the details of the Committee's workplanning workshop.

9 DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

To note the date and time of the next meeting as Wednesday, 4 October 2023 commencing at 6.00pm.

Venue information:

First floor meeting room (lift available), accessible toilets (ground floor), no-smoking building.

Other information:

For queries regarding this agenda please contact Jodie Stephenson, Democratic Governance Senior Advisor, Tel: 01253 477169, e-mail jodie.stephenson@blackpool.gov.uk

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