



Chairman - Councillor F Beatty

Present (for all or part of the meeting):-

Councillors:

B McKeown

B M Cross

P C Edgeller

A M Loughran

D M McNaughton

A Nixon

D P Rouxel

Also present:- Councillors A P Edgeller, A T A Godfrey, J M Pert and A F Reid

Officers in attendance:-

D Piper	-	Head of Economic Development and Planning
M Smith	-	Economic Growth and Strategic Projects Manager
A Nevin	-	Head of Wellbeing
J Holmes	-	Development Manager
J Allen	-	Democratic Services Officer

EDP1 Minutes

Minutes of the meeting held on 5 March 2024, as previously circulated, were approved as a correct record.

EDP2 Apologies

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors J A Barron and J S Powell.

EDP3 Q4 and End of Year Performance Report for 2023-24

Considered the report of the Head of Economic Development and Planning.

RESOLVED:- that in accordance with the powers delegated to the Committee the content of the report be noted.

EDP4 Business Planning Report

Considered the report of the Head of Law and Governance which provided an overview of the work of the Economic Development and Planning Scrutiny Committee for the past year.

RESOLVED:- that in accordance with the powers delegated to the Committee the report be approved as its Annual Report to the Council.

EDP5 Stafford Regeneration Projects Update

The Economic Growth and Strategic Projects Manager gave an update on current projects within the Borough.

RESOLVED:- that in accordance with the powers delegated to the Committee the report be noted.

EDP6 Economic Strategy

The Economic Growth and Strategic Projects Manager delivered a presentation regarding the current Economic Strategy, including the five growth priorities.

RESOLVED:- that in accordance with the powers delegated to the Committee the content of the presentation be noted.

EDP7 Work Programme - Economic Development and Planning Scrutiny Committee

Considered the report of the Head of Law and Governance detailing agenda items for the next Municipal Year.

RESOLVED:- that in exercise of the powers delegated to the Committee, the Work Programme be approved, subject to the amendments made at the meeting.

CHAIR