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Dear Councillor,

BETTER JOBS AND SKILLS SCRUTINY COMMITTEE 4.00 PM TUESDAY 5 APRIL, 2016 ESPERANCE ROOM, CIVIC CENTRE, CANNOCK

You are invited to attend this meeting for consideration of the matters itemised in the following Agenda.

Yours sincerely,

T. McGovern, Managing Director

To: Councillors:

Cooper, Miss J. (Chairman) Dudson, Miss M.J. (Vice-Chairman)

Allt, Mrs. A. Hoare, M. Burnett, G. Johnson, T.B. Buttery, M. Molineux, G.N. Cartwright, Mrs. S.M. Preece, J.T.

Freeman, Miss M.A. Whitehouse, Miss S.

Gamble, B.

Observers:

(Observers are invited to attend to speak at the Chairman's discretion and/or answer questions relating to their Portfolio)

Alcott, G. (Economic Development and Planning Portfolio Leader)

Todd, Mrs. D.M. (Town Centre Regeneration Portfolio Leader)



AGENDA

PART 1

1. Apologies

2. Declarations of Interests of Members in Contracts and Other Matters and Restriction on Voting by Members

- (i) To declare any personal, pecuniary or disclosable pecuniary interests in accordance with the Code of Conduct and any possible contraventions under Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992.
- (ii) To receive any Party Whip declarations.

3. Minutes

To approve the Minutes of the meeting held on 8 March, 2016 (enclosed).

4. Preparing Young People for Employment

The Importance of Careers Advice and Guidance in Schools

To receive a presentation from Harriet Allen, Cannock Chase High School

Local Delivery of Young Enterprise

To receive a presentation from Frances Wright, Young Enterprise Manager

South Staffordshire College – Courses, Apprenticeships and Future Opportunities

To receive a presentation from Trudie McGuinness, South Staffordshire College

5. Work Programme Update

To review the Work Programme for 2015-16 and make recommendations for the next year (Item 5.1)