



AGENDA ITEM 14

OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY BOARD

6 MARCH 2012

**ECONOMIC REGENERATION AND TRANSPORT
SCRUTINY PANEL - PROGRESS REPORT**

PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1. To provide members of the Overview and Scrutiny Board (OSB) with an update on the work of the Economic Regeneration and Transport Scrutiny Panel.

BACKGROUND

2. At the time of writing, the Economic Regeneration and Transport Scrutiny Panel has met on one occasion since the last update report was presented to OSB, on 6 February 2012.
3. That meeting received further information on the current scrutiny topic of The Transport Element of the Local Development Framework.
4. The Planning Services Manager gave a presentation which covered how the Authority would take the Local Development Framework (LDF) forward, looking at future developments and opportunities in the town, planning applications in south Middlesbrough, and the infrastructure needed to develop these opportunities.
5. The Economic Regeneration and Transport Scrutiny Panel agreed that a report identifying the transport conditions attached to the planning permission for the recent housing applications approved in south Middlesbrough would be presented to the next meeting.
6. The Chair and Vice Chair would meet to draft Terms of Reference for consideration at the next meeting.

RECOMMENDATION

7. That the Overview and Scrutiny Board notes the content of the report and the updated position.

COUNCILLOR M. WILLIAMS

CHAIR OF THE ECONOMIC REGENERATION AND TRANSPORT SCRUTINY PANEL

Contact Officer:

Alan Crawford

Scrutiny Support Officer

Legal & Democratic Services

Telephone: 01642 729707(direct line)

e-mail: alan_crawford@middlesbrough.gov.uk