

# MIDDLESBROUGH COUNCIL

AGENDA ITEM 9 (C)

## OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY BOARD

11 DECEMBER 2012

<p><b>ECONOMIC REGENERATION AND TRANSPORT SCRUTINY PANEL - PROGRESS REPORT</b></p>
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### 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 21 November 2012.
3. At that meeting the Panel considered and agreed the Terms of Reference for its current scrutiny review topic, which is the Regeneration of Grove Hill. The Panel also received detailed information on the Joint Venture agreement that has been signed with Erimus, which has generated an Investment Fund of over £5.4million to progress the project.
4. Immediately prior to the meeting the Panel undertook a site visit to Grove Hill to gain a clearer understanding of the Grove Hill regeneration proposals and the progress that has been made to date.
5. The panel's next meeting is scheduled for 6 December 2012, when the panel will examine the proposals to develop a linear park as part of the regeneration scheme. An update from that meeting will be presented at the OSB meeting.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

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

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