

MIDDLESBROUGH COUNCIL

**ADDENDUM:
AGENDA ITEM 11**

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY BOARD

2 JULY 2013

WORK PROGRAMME - 2013-14

PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1. To update the Overview and Scrutiny Board in respect of topics agreed by the Economic Regeneration and Transport Scrutiny Panel for inclusion in its 2013-14 Work Programme.

BACKGROUND

2. As indicated in the report that was previously circulated, the Economic Regeneration and Transport Scrutiny Panel did not meet to determine its 2013-14 work programme until after circulation of the agenda/papers for the 2 July 2013 Overview and Scrutiny Board meeting.
3. The panel has now met (on 27 June 2013) and agreed that the following topics be considered during the forthcoming year:
 - New business creation and the impact of Local Enterprise Partnerships.
 - Traffic calming and managing traffic speed (inc. 20 mph Zones).
 - Middlehaven - review of position and way forward.
 - Supporting the town centre/ impact of reduced car parking charges.
 - Community Hubs - future role.
 - Empty residential properties - impact on Council Tax/financial implications.
 - Western Gateway.
4. Members are requested to consider the above information in conjunction with the previously circulated Agenda Item 11.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

- Report to Economic Regeneration and Transport Scrutiny Panel – 27 June 2013 - Work Programme 2013-14.

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