

## PLACE SCRUTINY PANEL

<b>Date:</b> Monday 2nd September, 2024
<b>Time:</b> 4.30 pm
<b>Venue:</b> Mandela Room

## AGENDA

1. Welcome and Fire Evacuation Procedure

In the event the fire alarm sounds attendees will be advised to evacuate the building via the nearest fire exit and assemble at the Bottle of Notes opposite MIMA.

2. Apologies for Absence

3. Declarations of Interest

To receive any declarations of interest.

4. Minutes - Place Scrutiny Panel - 29 July 2024 3 - 10

5. Home to School Transport - Scrutiny Review 11 - 24

The Director of Environment and Commercial Services and the Transport and Infrastructure Manager will be in attendance to provide an overview of Middlesbrough Council's Home to School Transport provision as an introduction to the Panel's review of this service.

Recommendation: that the Panel determines what further information will be required for this scrutiny investigation.

6. Empty Properties - Scrutiny Review 25 - 40

The Director of Regeneration will be in attendance to provide an overview in relation to Middlesbrough Council's

responsibilities with regard to empty properties as an introduction to the Panel's scrutiny review on this topic.

Recommendation: that the Panel determines what further information will be required for this scrutiny investigation.

7. Overview and Scrutiny Board Update

The Chair will provide a verbal update on matters considered at the meeting of the Overview and Scrutiny Board held on 31 July 2024.

8. Crustacean Deaths Collaborative Working Group - Update

The Chair will provide a verbal update in relation to the work of the Crustacean Deaths Collaborative Working Group.

9. Date and Time of Next Meeting

Monday 23 September 2024 at 4.30 pm.

10. Any other urgent items which in the opinion of the Chair, may be considered.

Charlotte Benjamin  
Director of Legal and Governance Services

Town Hall  
Middlesbrough  
Friday 23 August 2024

**MEMBERSHIP**

Councillors D Branson (Chair), J Banks (Vice-Chair), J Cooke, C Cooper, J Ewan, N Hussain, D Jackson, J Kabuye, T Livingstone, L Mason, D McCabe, A Romaine and L Young

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