

Gloucestershire Economic Growth Joint Committee

Monday 25 September 2023 at 2.00 pm

Council Chamber - Shire Hall, Gloucester



AGENDA

1	APOLOGIES To note any apologies for absence.	Chair
2	MINUTES (Pages 1 - 8) To approve the minutes of the meeting held on the 30 th of May 2023.	Chair
3	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST To receive any pecuniary or personal interests by members.	Chair
4	ECONOMIC INACTIVITY IN GLOUCESTERSHIRE (Pages 9 - 40) To receive a presentation on Economic Inactivity in Gloucestershire.	Pete Carr, Katherine Martin, Sam Henson
5	BUSINESS RATE POOL (Pages 41 - 46) a) To receive an update on the Business Rate Pool, as well as a summary of the last few years. b) To discuss the attached Strategic Approach for a SEDF funding pipeline. c) To receive a verbal update on the City Region Board.	Andrew Cummings, Gareth Edmundson

INFORMATION REPORTS



6	ECONOMIC DASHBOARD (Pages 47 - 56) To note the GCC Economic Dashboard.	Katherine Martin
7	GFIRST LEP & GLOUCESTERSHIRE GROWTH HUB UPDATE (Pages 57 - 70) To note the GFirst LEP & Gloucestershire Growth Hub Update.	Dev Chakraborty

Membership – *Cllr Philip Robinson and Cllr David Gray Cllr Rowena Hay, Cllr Richard Cook, Cllr Tony Dale and Cllr Richard Stanley*

- (a) **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST** – Members requiring advice or clarification about whether to make a declaration of interest are invited to contact the Director of Policy, Performance and Governance, Rob Ayliffe ☎01452 328198 /fax: 425149/ e-mail: rob.ayliffe@gloucestershire.gov.uk) prior to the start of the meeting.
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- (c) **GENERAL ARRANGEMENTS**

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