# **Sue Sturgeon**Managing Director

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**Dear Councillor** 

Your attendance is requested at a meeting of the **BOROUGH**, **ECONOMY AND INFRASTRUCTURE EXECUTIVE ADVISORY BOARD** to be held in Council Chamber, Millmead House, Millmead, Guildford, Surrey GU2 4BB on **MONDAY**, 3 APRIL 2017 at 7.00 pm.

Yours faithfully

Sue Sturgeon Managing Director

#### MEMBERS OF THE EXECUTIVE ADVISORY BOARD

Chairman: Councillor Jenny Wicks Vice-Chairman: Councillor Liz Hogger

Councillor Philip Brooker
Councillor Nils Christiansen
Councillor Andrew Gomm
Councillor Angela Goodwin
Councillor Julia McShane
Councillor Bob McShee
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Councillor Colin Cross
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Councillor Gillian Harwood
Councillor Tony Phillips
Councillor Caroline Reeves
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**QUORUM: 4** 



#### THE COUNCIL'S STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK

#### Vision – for the borough

For Guildford to be a town and rural borough that is the most desirable place to live, work and visit in South East England. A centre for education, healthcare, innovative cutting-edge businesses, high quality retail and wellbeing. A county town set in a vibrant rural environment, which balances the needs of urban and rural communities alike. Known for our outstanding urban planning and design, and with infrastructure that will properly cope with our needs.

#### Five fundamental themes that support the achievement of our vision:

- Our Borough ensuring that proportional and managed growth for future generations meets our community and economic needs
- **Our Economy** improving prosperity for all by enabling a dynamic, productive and sustainable economy that provides jobs and homes for local people
- Our Infrastructure working with partners to deliver the massive improvements needed in the next 20 years, including tacking congestion issues
- Our Environment improving sustainability and protecting our countryside, balancing this with the needs of the rural and wider economy
- Our Society believing that every person matters and concentrating on the needs of the less advantaged

**Your Council** – working to ensure a sustainable financial future to deliver improved and innovative services

#### Values for our residents

- We will strive to be the best Council.
- We will deliver quality and value for money services.
- We will help the vulnerable members of our community.
- We will be open and accountable.
- We will deliver improvements and enable change across the borough.

#### Mission – for the Council

A forward looking, efficiently run Council, working in partnership with others and providing first class services that give the community value for money, now and in the future.

#### AGENDA

#### ITEM NO.

### 1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

## 2 LOCAL CODE OF CONDUCT AND DECLARATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS

In accordance with the revised local Code of Conduct, a councillor is required to disclose at the meeting any Disclosable Pecuniary Interest (DPI) that they may have in respect of any matter for consideration on this agenda. Any councillor with a DPI must not participate in any discussion or vote regarding that matter and they must withdraw from the meeting immediately before consideration of the matter.

If that DPI has not been registered, the councillor must notify the Monitoring Officer of the details of the DPI within 28 days of the date of the meeting.

#### 3 **MINUTES** (Pages 1 - 4)

To confirm the minutes of the Executive Advisory Board meeting held on 20 February 2017.

## 4 LOCAL ENTERPRISE PARTNERSHIPS - THE WIDER PICTURE & ENSURING A SUSTAINABLE ECONOMY (Pages 5 - 8)

To receive a briefing on the origins of the Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP), its structure, governance and decision making model and how it influences and supports both Government policy and sustainable economic growth at local level.

## 5 **'EXPERIENCE GUILDFORD' DRAFT BUSINESS PLAN 2018-23 CONSULTATION** (Pages 9 - 10)

To receive a briefing on 'Experience Guildford' which has been operating in Guildford as a retail and leisure Business Improvement District (BID) since 2013. The Board is asked to consider Experience Guildford's draft business plan for 2018-2023 that is currently being consulted on until late June 2017.

# 6 PROGRESS WITH MATTERS PREVIOUSLY CONSIDERED BY THE BOROUGH, ECONOMY AND INFRASTRUCTURE - EXECUTIVE ADVISORY BOARD (Pages 11 - 20)

#### 7 **EAB WORK PROGRAMME** (Pages 21 - 22)

To consider and approve the EAB's draft work programme. Details of future Executive decisions are included.

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