



DARLINGTON

Borough Council

Economy and Resources Scrutiny Committee Agenda

10.00 am

Thursday, 3 November 2022

Council Chamber, Town Hall, Darlington. DL1 5QT

Members of the Public are welcome to attend this Meeting.

1. Introductions/Attendance at Meeting
2. Declarations of Interest
3. Minutes (Pages 5 - 8)
4. Customer Services Digital Strategy –
Update by the Head of Housing
5. Complaints Made to the Local Government Ombudsman –
Report of the Assistant Director – Law and Governance
(Pages 9 - 18)
6. Council Tax Exemption for Care Leavers 2023-24 –
Report of the Assistant Director – Housing and Revenues
(Pages 19 - 22)
7. Council Tax Support - Scheme Approval 2023-24 –
Report of the Assistant Director – Housing and Revenues
(Pages 23 - 72)
8. Council Tax Energy Rebate –

Report of the Assistant Director – Housing and Revenues
(Pages 73 - 78)

9. Darlington Business Summit 2022 –
Report of the Chief Executive
(Pages 79 - 82)
10. Economic Growth Strategy for Darlington - A Framework for Discussion –
Report of the Chief Executive
(Pages 83 - 88)
11. Project Position Statement and Capital Programme Monitoring - Quarter 2 –
Report of the Assistant Director Transport and Capital Projects
(Pages 89 - 110)
12. Revenue Budget Monitoring Report 2022-23 - Quarter 2 –
Report of the Assistant Director Resources
(Pages 111 - 130)
13. Work Programme (Pages 131 - 138)
14. SUPPLEMENTARY ITEMS (if any) which in the opinion of the Chair of this Committee are
of an urgent nature and can be discussed at this meeting
15. Questions



Luke Swinhoe
Assistant Director Law and Governance

Wednesday, 26 October 2022

Town Hall
Darlington.

Membership

Councillors Boddy, Crudass, Harker, L Hughes, Mrs D Jones, Lee, McEwan, Mills, Paley, Wright
and Mrs H Scott

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