

BUSINESS INVESTMENT PANEL

**MEETING TO BE HELD AT 2.00 PM ON THURSDAY, 7 NOVEMBER
2019
IN COMMITTEE ROOM A - WELLINGTON HOUSE, LEEDS**

A G E N D A

- 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**
- 2. DECLARATIONS OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS**
- 3. EXEMPT INFORMATION - EXCLUSION OF THE PRESS AND PUBLIC**

1. To highlight Appendices 1, 2 and 3 to Agenda Item 5; Appendices 1 and 2 to Agenda Item 6; Appendix 1 to Agenda Item 7 and Appendix 1 to Agenda Item 8 which officers have identified as containing exempt information within the meaning of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, and where officers consider that the public interest in maintaining the exemptions outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information, for the reasons outlined in the report.
2. To consider whether or not to accept the officers' recommendation in respect of the above information as set out in paragraph 6.1 of Agenda Items 5 and 6 respectively and paragraph 4.1 of Agenda Items 7 and 8 respectively.
3. If the recommendation is accepted, to formally pass the following resolution:-

RESOLVED – That in accordance with paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of Appendices 1, 2 and 3 to Agenda Item 5; Appendices 1 and 2 to Agenda Item 6; Appendix 1 to Agenda Item 7 and Appendix 1 to Agenda Item 8 on the grounds that they are likely, in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings, that if members of the press and public were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information and for the reasons set out in the report that in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest

in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

4. MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BUSINESS INVESTMENT PANEL HELD ON 9 OCTOBER 2019

(Pages 1 - 4)

5. STRATEGIC INWARD INVESTMENT FUND

Led by: Lorna Holroyd

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6. BUSINESS GROWTH PROGRAMME

Led By: Neill Fishman

(Pages 47 - 78)

7. GROWING PLACES FUND LOANS UPDATE

Led by: Chris Brunold

(Pages 79 - 86)

8. FUTURE FUNDING UPDATE

Led by: Leanne Walsh

(Pages 87 - 130)

9. DATE OF NEXT MEETING

The date of the next meeting will be on 3 December 2019 at 11am, in Committee Room A, Wellington House Leeds.

Signed:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'BAM', with a horizontal line underneath.

**Managing Director
West Yorkshire Combined Authority**