

Oxford Economic Growth Steering Group Meeting – 8th December 2016, 10.00-12.00am, Plowman Room, Oxford Town Hall, St Aldate's Oxford OX1 1BX

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Agenda

1. Welcome and apologies 5 mins
2. Presentation from [Nick Jones](#), PwC on the [Good Growth for Cities 2016](#) Report 45 mins
Presentation to focus on findings relating to Oxford and Oxfordshire and comparators. To be followed by Q&A
3. Minutes of the last meeting, matters arising and short updates - Paper 1 20 mins
 - Start-up / Grown on space supply – short update (MP)
 - Fast Growth Cities Group (BP/MP)
 - National Infrastructure Commission update (BP/MP)
 - Smart Oxford Competition (SJ)
4. Updating the Oxford Economic Narrative (MP) 15 mins
The Oxford Economic Narrative was written in 2012 and much has changed since so this needs updating. The proposal is that the City Council's Economic Development Team will lead this work but is calling on partners to advise and assist in this work – see Paper 2
5. Update from OxLEP 15 mins
Richard Byard will provide an update on the Oxfordshire Local Enterprise Partnership (OxLEP), with a focus on the Local Growth Fund bids and Autumn Statement updates
6. Business Events and Engagement Updates 15 mins
 - Business in Oxford Event – Update on plans for 2017 (RR/SJ)
 - Venturefest 2016 and plans for 2017 (LS)
 - Oxford Business Forum Events (SJ)
 - Talk of the Town (LT)
 - Account Management Update
7. AOB and Future meeting dates 5 mins
Proposed dates for the Oxford Economic Growth Steering Group for 2017 below. They all run from 10:00 – 12:00 and will be followed by a sandwich lunch:
 - 9th March 2017
 - 8th June 2017
 - 14th September 2017
 - 7th December 2017

The meeting will finish no later than 12.00 when a sandwich lunch will be served

Invitees:

CLlr Bob Price, Oxford City Council (Chair)

Richard Venables, ProOxford Group and VSL & Partners (Vice Chair)

Jennifer Brake, PwC

Richard Byard, Oxfordshire Local Enterprise Partnership (OxLEP)

Dr Phil Clare, University of Oxford

David Edwards, Oxford City Council

Hayley Beer-Gamage, Experience Oxfordshire

David Hartley, Oxford Brookes University

Sebastian Johnson, Oxford Strategic Partnership

Nick Jones, Director, PwC's Public Sector Research Centre

Llewelyn Morgan, Oxfordshire County Council - *apologies received*

Tom Morris, Oxford City Council - *apologies received*

Anthony Mtitimila, Oxford University and OxLEP

Matt Peachey, Oxford City Council – *apologies received*

Fiona Piercy, Oxford City Council / Oxfordshire County Council

Tim Pope, PwC

Peter Reynolds, City of Oxford College - *apologies received*

Jonathan Riggall, Peter Brett Associates

Richard Rosser, The In Oxford Group / B4

Dr Nick Scott Ram MBE, Oxford Academic Health Science Network

Lynn Shepherd, Executive Chair of Venturefest

Laurie-Jane Taylor, City Centre Manager (City / County Councils) - *apologies received*

Nigel Tipple, Oxfordshire Local Enterprise Partnership - *apologies received*

Dr Stuart Wilkinson, University of Oxford