CITY OF WOLVERHAMPTON C O U N C I L

Stronger City Economy Scrutiny Panel

1 December 2015

Time	6.00 pm	Public Meeting	YES	Type of meeting	Scrutiny

Venue Committee Room 3 - Civic Centre, St Peter's Square, Wolverhampton WV1 1SH

Membership

Chair	Cllr Jacqueline Sweetman (Lab)
Vice-chair	Cllr Jonathan Yardley (Con)

Labour

Conservative

Liberal Democrat

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Agenda

Part 1 – items open to the press and public

Item No. Title

1 Apologies

- 2 Declarations of Interest
- 3 **Minutes of Previous Meetings** (Pages 1 14) To approve the minutes of meetings held on 24 September 2015 and 6 October 2015 as a correct records

4 Matters Arising

DISCUSSION ITEMS

5 **Budget** (Pages 15 - 20)

To consider the Draft Budget 2016/17 including the related Savings and Redesign and Income Generation Proposals, Financial Transactions and Base Budget Revisions, and underlying Medium Term Financial Strategy (MTFS) assumptions.

6 **Employment and Skill Commission Report** (Pages 21 - 82) To consider the progress by the Council, and its partners, to develop and deliver a Skills and Employment Action Plan for the City to take forward the recommendations emanating from the work of the Skills and Employment Commission, led by Professor Tony Travers.