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**AGENDA FOR**  
**EXETER CITY COUNCIL**  
**SCRUTINY COMMITTEE - ECONOMY**

The Scrutiny Committee - Economy will meet on **THURSDAY 4 SEPTEMBER 2008**, commencing at **5.30 pm**, in the Rennes Room, Civic Centre, Paris Street, Exeter to consider the following business. If you have an enquiry regarding any items on this agenda, please contact Sharon Sissons, Member Services Officer on **Exeter 265115**.

***Entry to the Civic Centre can be gained through the Customer Service Centre, Paris Street.***

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**Part I: Items suggested for discussion with the press and public present**

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**MINUTES**

To sign the minutes of the meeting held on 5 June 2008.

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**DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Councillors are reminded of the need to declare personal and prejudicial interests, including the nature and extent of such interests, in relation to business on the agenda, before any discussion takes place on the item. Councillors requiring clarification should seek the advice of the Monitoring Officer prior to the day of the meeting.

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**LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT 1985 -**  
**EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

To pass the following resolution:-

**RECOMMENDED** that, under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the consideration of item 12 on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the relevant paragraphs 1 and 2 of Part I, Schedule 12A of the Act.

4 **QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC UNDER STANDING ORDER 19**

A period of up to 15 minutes should be set aside to deal with questions to the Committee from members of the public.

*Details of questions should be notified to the Assistant Chief Executive at least three working days prior to the meeting. Further information and a copy of the procedure are available from Member Services (Exeter 265115) and also on the Council web site*

<http://www.exeter.gov.uk/scrutinyquestions>

5 **QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL UNDER STANDING ORDER 20**

To receive questions from Members of the Council to appropriate Portfolio Holders.

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**MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE EXECUTIVE**

6 **DRAFT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY 2008 - 2013**

To consider the report of the Head of Economy and Tourism - report circulated 1 - 42

7 **2008 CLIMATE CHANGE STRATEGY AND ACTION PLAN: PROPOSED EXETER UNIVERSITY FEASIBILITY STUDY**

To consider the report of the Directorate Projects Officer - *report circulated* 43 - 46

**MATTERS FOR CONSIDERATION BY SCRUTINY COMMITTEE - ECONOMY**

8 **ARTS AND MEDIA STRATEGY**

To consider the report of the Head of Economy and Tourism - report circulated 47 - 54

9 **GLOBAL GRANTS - EXETER POSITIVE STEPS**

To consider a report of the Head of Economy and Tourism – *report circulated* 55 - 78

**BEACON HEATH SURGERY**

To consider the joint report of the Head of Estates and Director Economy and Development – *report circulated*

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**PERFORMANCE MONITORING****ECONOMY SCRUTINY STEWARDSHIP TO JUNE 2008**

To consider the report of the Head of Treasury Services – report circulated

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**PART II: ITEM SUGGESTED FOR DISCUSSION WITH THE PRESS AND PUBLIC EXCLUDED****MATTER FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE EXECUTIVE****RESTRUCTURING OF THE STAFFING PROVISION OF EXETER'S UNDERGROUND PASSAGES**

To consider the report of the Head of Economy and Tourism on a proposed restructuring of the staffing provision following the reopening of the Underground Passages – *report circulated to Members*

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**DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

The next **Scrutiny Committee - Economy** will be held on Thursday 13 November 2008 5.30 pm

**FUTURE BUSINESS**

The schedule of future business proposed for this Scrutiny Committee and other Committees of the Council can be viewed on the following link to the Council's website: <http://www.exeter.gov.uk/forwardplan>  
Councillors can view a hard copy of the schedule in the Members Room.

***Membership -***

Councillors M A Baldwin (Chair), Gale (Deputy Chair), Boyle, P Brock, Coates, A Hannaford, Martin, Newcombe, Noble, Sheldon, W M Starling, Wardle and Winterbottom

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