



**North East
Derbyshire
District Council**

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Date: Thursday, 30 April 2026

To: **Members of the Business Scrutiny Committee**

Please attend a meeting of the Business Scrutiny Committee to be held on **Monday, 11 May 2026 at 3.00 pm in Meeting Rooms 1 & 2.**

Yours sincerely

Assistant Director of Governance and Monitoring Officer

Members of the Committee

<u>Labour Group</u>	<u>Conservative Group</u>	<u>North East Derbyshire Independents Group</u>
Councillor Suzy Cornwell – Chair Councillor Clive Fletcher Councillor Christine Gare Councillor Lee Hartshorne Councillor Tony Lacey	Councillor Richard Welton Councillor Michelle Emmens	Councillor Pam Windley

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AGENDA

1 Apologies for Absence

2 Declarations of Interest

Members are requested to declare the existence and nature of any disclosable pecuniary interests and/or other interests, not already on their register of interests, in any item on the agenda and withdraw from the meeting at the appropriate time.

3 Minutes of Last Meeting (Pages 4 - 6)

To approve as a correct record and the Chair to sign the Minutes of the Business Scrutiny Committee held on 16 February 2026.

4 Performance Management (Pages 7 - 13)

Council Plan Targets Performance Update.

Amar Bashir, Improvement Officer/Richard Shaw, Improvement Officer

5 Growth Strategy Update

To receive an update on progress made against the Growth Strategy.

Steve Lee, Assistant Director of Regeneration & Programmes

6 Cabinet Business (Pages 14 - 23)

To inform Committee of recent and forthcoming Cabinet business.

A digest of Cabinet decisions taken since May 2025. This information is published by Cabinet meeting on the Council's website. Cabinet Agendas, Decisions and Minutes can be viewed at: [Cabinet](#)

The Forward Plan of Executive decisions.

[Plans](#)

These plans are updated to include new business.

Joe Hayden, Senior Scrutiny Officer

7 Policy Development

To contribute to major Policies being considered by the Council.

8 Work Programme (Pages 24 - 30)

To consider the Committee's Work Programme, and to also consider and contribute to potential changes in the operating environment which may

include legislation, regulation and key projects being undertaken by the Council, for example, that could form potential topic items for the Work Programme in the future.

Joe Hayden, Senior Scrutiny Officer

9 Annual Scrutiny Report - 2025/26

To discuss the Annual Report with Committee Members.

Joe Hayden, Senior Scrutiny Officer

10 Reflection on the Council Plan

To reflect on what the Committee had done to help the Council achieve the goal of making the District a Great Place for our Community.

11 Additional Urgent Items

To consider any other matter which the Chair of the Committee is of the opinion should be considered as a matter of urgency.

12 Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Business Scrutiny Committee is scheduled for July 2026, and will be confirmed once the Committee Schedule has been agreed.



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