

| Working in Hackney Scrutiny Commission          | Item No |
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| Economic and Community Development Board Update | J       |

## <u>Outline</u>

At the last Working in Hackney Scrutiny Commission Meeting Members asked about and discussed:

- "....further information on the overall strategic intention and key problems the council is trying to address with the strategy"
- "...the recruitment practices / processes of employers to provide young people with the information about how to get to that position or the job / role. Members wanted to know the Council's strategy and approach to dealing with this and the outcomes they expect to see."

## Concluded

The Economic and Community Development Board (ECDB) update would help to provide further insight into the Council's work and future plans. Members of the Commission could feed their views into the current work by officers.

The WiH Scrutiny Commission Members will receive information about the points below which will include an outline of the work underway:

- a) The Council's strategic approach to economic development and employment and skills.
- b) The overarching challenges the Council is trying to address in relation to economic development and employment and skills, including how to ensure inclusive growth; the availability of local jobs to residents; and getting residents into better paid jobs with job progression.

## **Action**

The Commission will discuss and feed in their views to the development work of officers for the ECDB.