

SUSTAINABLE GROWTH SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

WEDNESDAY 17 FEBRUARY 2010 AT 5.00 PM

TO BE HELD AT

**PETERBOROUGH CITY COUNCIL
BOURGES/MIERSEN ROOM
TOWN HALL
BRIDGE STREET
PETERBOROUGH. PE1 1HG**

THE BIG DEBATE

We are holding a series of events which we have called “The Big Debate” to examine the impact of the economic downturn and how the city should respond to it.

This Committee will be looking at how Peterborough should counter the effects of the economic downturn to minimise its impact on the growth aspirations of the City.

Programme

Time	Item
5.00 – 5.30	Arrival, Registration and networking opportunity
5.30 – 5.40	Welcome and purpose of the meeting
5.40 - 6.00	Introduction to event and overview of key issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Recession as an opportunity• Maintaining physical delivery• Developing a skilled work force• Effective support for business• Encouraging Enterprise
6.00 – 6.30	‘Dear diary’ – A perspective from two local business people

- 6.30 - 7.15 Break in to 3 workshops to explore what attendees see as the key areas of work, intervention, improvement and / or action in respect of:
- Housing
 - Economy
 - Health
- 7.15 – 7.45 BREAK
- 7.45 – 8.00 Feedback from workshops
- 8.00 – 8.15 Key next steps and closing remarks



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