



Committee: BUDGET AND PERFORMANCE PANEL

Date: TUESDAY, 25<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2008

Venue: LANCASTER TOWN HALL

*Time:* 4.30 P.M.

Councillors are reminded that as Members of Overview and Scrutiny they may not be subjected to the Party Whip, which is prohibited under the Lancaster City Council Constitution.

#### AGENDA

- 1. Apologies for Absence
- 2. Declaration of Interests
- 3. Minutes

Minutes of the Meetings held on 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> September 2008 (previously circulated)

- 4. Items of Urgent Business authorised by the Chairman
- 5. Dukes Theatre (Pages 1 5)

Report of Head of Cultural Services

6. Mystery Shopper Exercise (Pages 6 - 7)

Report of Head of Information & Customer Services

7. Recent Reports to Cabinet - Medium Term Financial Strategy Review and Star Chamber (Pages 8 - 28)

Reports of Head of Financial Services and Corporate Director (Finance and Performance)

8. Report to Audit Committee - Review of Investments in Icelandic Institutions (Pages 29 - 60)

Report of Head of Financial Services

9. Updated Work Programme (Page 61)

Report of Head of Democratic Services

### **ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS**

### (i) Membership

Councillors Roger Sherlock (Chairman), John Whitelegg (Vice-Chairman), Tina Clifford, Jean Dent, Keran Farrow, Sarah Fishwick, Mike Greenall, Stuart Langhorn and Ian McCulloch

# (ii) Substitute Membership

Councillors Chris Coates, Roger Dennison, Rebekah Gerrard, Emily Heath, Janie Kirkman, Karen Leytham, Roger Plumb and Sylvia Rogerson

## (iii) Queries regarding this Agenda

Please contact Jane Glenton, Democratic Services – telephone (01524) 582068 or email JGlenton@lancaster.gov.uk.

### (iv) Changes to Membership, substitutions or apologies

Please contact Members' Secretary, telephone 582170, or alternatively email memberservices@lancaster.gov.uk.

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