

Education and Local Economy Scrutiny Commission Work Programme – 2023/24

Meeting	Agenda items	Comment
19 July 2023	<p>Community Wealth Building (CWB) in Southwark</p> <p>To evaluate Southwark's strength and weaknesses regarding Community Wealth Building - according to the five pillars:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plural ownership of the economy • Making financial power work for local places • Fair employment and just labour markets • Progressive procurement of goods and services • Socially productive use of land and property 	<p>To receive a report from Southwark's Local Economy team on council's role in Community Wealth Building (CWB). Officers- Nick Wolff, Principal Strategy Officer, Chief Executive's and Danny Edwards, Head of Economy.</p>
	<p>School Amalgamations and Closures in Southwark</p>	<p>To receive feedback/report from Freddy Vanson, District & Branch Joint Secretary, National Education Union (NEU) Southwark Branch, on School Amalgamations and Closures in Southwark especially with regards to redundancies with a focus on disproportionate redundancies and disciplinary amongst Black Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) school staff.</p>

Upcoming Meetings	Agenda Items yet to be scheduled	Comment
<p>19 October 2023</p> <p>5 December 2023</p> <p>30 January 2024</p> <p>1 May 2024</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Falling school rolls and its experience from interviewing parents, teachers and head teachers • Reviewing Council's Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) strategy including an update on current delivery of provisions. • Statistics of Secondary Schools provisions of Free School Meals (FSM) • Update on the Inclusion Charter with a focus on schools with exclusions and strategy to bring it down to zero • Southwark Stands Together (SST) role and successes, focusing on benefits to BAME School and staff. • Reviewing the Integrated Care System (ICS) with regards to national/parliamentary concern on fragmentation of NHS • Update on Children's Safeguarding Partnership in Southwark since its evolution and restructuring in 2022-2023 	<p>All Items agenda items to be confirmed</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Planning processes and policies for Southwark Businesses to help boost the local economy sector in Southwark.• Community Wealth Building (CWB) focusing on procurement and employment for young people• Regeneration projects within Southwark that have adverse effects on Local Businesses.	
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