Business and Property Committee - Outside Bodies

2017/18 Appointments shown

1. Agri-Tech (Eastern) Programme Board (1)

Fabian Eagle

This body makes decisions on the eastern Agri-Tech Growth Initiative Programme Board about which projects to fund from this specific Regional Growth Funded scheme.

2. <u>BID (Norwich Business Improvement District)</u> (1)

Steve Morphew

The Norwich BID is run for local businesses by local businesses. It aims to make a clear positive impact on the vitality of the City centre and the business within it.

3. Norwich Airport Consultative Committee (1)

Shelagh Gurney, (Sub David Collis)

These meetings are a DfT requirement to enable aerodrome operators and communities in the vicinity of the airport to discuss operational and business matters affecting their interests.

4. Norwich Airport Board (Non-Executive Director) (1)

Cliff Jordan (Sub Alison Thomas)

5. Norfolk Rail Group (4)

Tony White Brian Long Tim East Michael Chenery

To consider strategic rail policy issues and respond to such issues as they arise, and lobby and pursue rail policy objectives on a continuing basis between Norfolk Rail Policy Group meetings.

6. Norfolk Chamber of Commerce and Industry (1)

Alison Thomas

Norfolk Chamber of Commerce is an independent, not-for-profit Company that aims to support its membership be more successful and to improve the Norfolk economy.

7. Thetford Development Board (1)

Roy Brame

8. New Anglia Skills Board for Norfolk and Suffolk (1 plus 1Substitute)

Brian Iles (Sub Colleen Walker)

A sub group of the LEP Board which is tasked with steering the implementation of the Greater Norwich/ Greater Ipswich City Deals and the Strategic Economic Plan. Membership consists of representatives of the Further Education sector and training providers with employers. Both Norfolk and Suffolk County councils are represented and can nominate a substitute.

9. Great Yarmouth Town Centre Partnership Company (Gt. Yarmouth) Ltd (1)

Mick Castle

The Partnership meets and discusses all relevant issues concerning the Town Centre.

10. Hethel Innovation Ltd (2)

Keith Kiddie Colin Foulger

Runs Hethel Engineering Centre and provides innovation-led business support to businesses in Norfolk/East of England.

11. <u>Eastport – Community and Marine Liaison Committee</u> (1)

Ron Hanton

To exchange information, ideas and proposals for discussion between the constituent interest groups and the Port's CEO and Harbour Master, thus improving co-ordination and understanding between the different port users and interest groups within Great Yarmouth with relevance to the operations of the Port.

12. Great Yarmouth Development Company - Area Board (1)

Clarification is being sought as to the continuing need for representation on this body

Colleen Walker

The Norfolk Development Company was established to promote economic development on behalf of the local authorities of Norfolk, with an initial

emphasis on physical regeneration and development. The company provides a structure for joint ventures which enables new projects to be agreed and implemented more quickly. Individual companies can be established – the first to do so was the Great Yarmouth Development Company, a 50-50 partnership between the County Council and Great Yarmouth Borough Council. The agreement states the representative should be the lead member for Economic Development. Clarification is being sought as to the continuing need for representation on this body

13. Royal Norfolk Agricultural Association (1)

Keith Kiddie

The objectives of the Association are to promote, through the Royal Norfolk Show and other events, the image, understanding and prosperity of agriculture and the countryside.

14. Rural Strategy Steering Group (1)

Tom Garrod

Member Champions

Apprenticeships – Stuart Clancy

Rail - Brian Long