

Meeting

NORTH WALES ECONOMIC AMBITION BOARD

Date and Time

9.30 am, FRIDAY, 6TH DECEMBER, 2024

Location

Virtual Meeting

(For public access to the meeting, please contact us)

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NORTH WALES ECONOMIC AMBITION BOARD

MEMBERSHIP OF THE JOINT COMMITTEE

Voting Members

Councillors

Jason McLellan Gary Pritchard Mark Pritchard Dave Hughes Charlie McCoubrey Nia Jeffreys Denbighshire County Council Isle of Anglesey County Council Wrexham County Borough Council Flintshire County Council Conwy County Borough Council Cyngor Gwynedd

Advisers - Non-voting

Aled Jones-Griffith Joe Yates Yana Williams Askar Sheibani Professor Edmund Burke Grŵp Llandrillo Menai Wrexham University Coleg Cambria Business Delivery Board Bangor University

Chief Officers - Non-voting

Dylan Williams Rhun ap Gareth Neal Cockerton Dafydd Gibbard Ian Bancroft Graham Boase Isle of Anglesey County Council Conwy County Borough Council Flintshire County Council Cyngor Gwynedd Wrexham County Borough Council Denbighshire County Council

Officers in Attendance

Dewi Morgan Iwan G. Evans Alwen Williams Hedd Vaughan Evans Nia Medi Williams Section 151 Officer Monitoring Officer Portfolio Director Head of Operations Senior Operations Officer

AGENDA

1. CHAIR

To elect a Chair until the next Annual Meeting of the Board.

2. VICE-CHAIR

To elect a Vice-chair until the next Annual Meeting of the Board, in the event of a vacancy.

3. APOLOGIES

To note any apologies for absence.

4. DECLARATION OF PERSONAL INTEREST

To receive any declarations of Personal Interest

5. URGENT BUSINESS

To note any items that are a matter of urgency in the view of the Chairman for considerartion.

6. MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING 5 - 11

The Chair shall propose that the minutes of the meeting held on 8 November 2024 be signed as a true record.

7. FORMER NORTH WALES HOSPITAL, DENBIGH - CHANGE 12 - 14 REQUEST

David Mathews (Land and Property Programme Manager) to present the report.

8. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

The Chair shall propose that the press and public be excluded from the meeting during the discussions on the following items due to the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 14 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).

There is an acknowledged public interest in openness in relation to the use of public resources and related financial issues. It is also acknowledged that there are occasions, in order to protect the financial and commercial interests that matters related to such information need to be discussed without being publicised. The reports deal specifically with financial and business matters and related discussions. Publication of such commercially sensitive information could adversely affect the interests of the bodies and the Councils and undermine the confidence of other Growth Deal participants in sharing sensitive information for consideration. This would be contrary to the wider public interest of securing the best overall outcome.

9. OUTLINE BUSINESS CASE FOR PARC BRYN CEGIN, BANGOR

David Mathews (Land and Property Programme Manager) and Margaret Peters (Land and Property Project Manager) to present the report.

10. RESPONSIBLE ADVENTURE CHANGE REQUEST

Elliw Hughes (Growth Deal Programme Manager) and Dafydd Jones (Agrifood and Tourism Project Manager) to present the report.