



**North Tyneside Council**

# Economic Prosperity Sub-Committee

14 October 2015

**Thursday 22 October 2015** Room 0.01, Quadrant, The Silverlink North, Cobalt Business Park, North Tyneside **commencing at 6.00 pm**

<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Page(s)</b>
<b>1. Apologies for Absence</b> To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.	
<b>2. Appointment of Substitute Members</b> To be notified of the appointment of any Substitute Members.	
<b>3. Declarations of Interest</b> You are invited to declare any registerable and/or non-registerable interests in matters appearing on the agenda, and the nature of that interest.  You are also invited to disclose any dispensation in relation to any registerable interests that have been granted to you in respect of any matters appearing on the agenda.  You are also requested to complete the Declarations of Interests card available at the meeting and return it to the Democratic Services Officer before leaving the meeting.	

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4. **Minutes** 3-4

To confirm the minutes of the previous meeting held on 15 July 2015.

5. **Apprenticeships**

a) To examine the impact of apprenticeships in North Tyneside, the Council's response to supporting apprenticeships and what more the Council can do to promote good practice; and 5-9

b) To receive an update on the progress made by the regional Apprenticeship Growth Partnership and to examine the progress made in implementing the recommendations arising from the Children Education and Skills Sub-Committee's report in relationship to apprenticeships. 10-20

**Members of the Economic Prosperity Sub-Committee:**

Councillor Ken Barrie

Councillor Joanne Cassidy

Councillor Steve Cox

Councillor Janet Hunter (Chair)

Councillor Frank Lott

Councillor Maureen Madden

Councillor Paul Mason

Councillor David McMeekan

Councillor Anthony McMullen

Councillor Alan Percy

Councillor Jeanette Pickard

Councillor Joan Walker (Deputy Chair)