

## **Regeneration & Transport Select Committee**

A meeting of Regeneration & Transport Select Committee was held on Monday, 29th October, 2007.

**Present:** Cllr Maurice Perry (Chairman), Cllr Dick Cains, Cllr Kevin Faulks, Cllr John Fletcher, , Cllr Fred Salt and Cllr Michael Smith.

**Officers:** M Rowell, R Todd (DNS); P K Bell, D Ladd (LD).

**Also in attendance:** None.

**Apologies:** Cllr Mrs Eileen Craggs, Cllr Paul Kirton and Cllr Mrs Liz Nesbitt.

### **RTS 32/07**

#### **Declarations of Interest**

There were no interests declared.

### **RTS 33/07**

#### **Minutes of the meetings held on 20th August 2007, 3rd September 2007 and 20th September 2007 for signing by the Chairman as a correct record.**

The minutes of the meetings held on 20th August 2007, 3rd September 2007 and 20th September 2007 were signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

### **RTS 34/07**

#### **Work Programme**

Members were presented with an updated Scope and Project Plan for the Review of Employability.

CONCLUDED that the updated Scope and Project Plan be noted.

### **RTS 35/07**

#### **Review of Employability**

As part of the Review of Employability the following witness had been invited to the meeting to give evidence to Members:-

R Todd (Stockton on Tees Borough Council - Labour Market Co-Ordinator)

The evidence provided by R Todd covered the following key areas:-

1. Employability, a regional, sub-regional and local summary
2. National Floor Targets
3. Regional Economic Strategy
4. Employment and Enterprise in Deprived Areas
5. Regional Employability Framework
6. Tees Valley Partnership
7. Tees Valley City Region Employment and Skills Board
8. Two NRF Packages and Employment/Enterprise Package
9. Health and Worklessness/Deprived Area Fund
10. Stockton Employability Consortium and Future Funding

Members were given the opportunity to ask question of R Todd.

The Chairman thanked the witness for his attendance at the meeting.

CONCLUDED that the evidence be received.

