

**AGENDA**

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**Challenge and Improve Committee  
Tuesday, 20th December, 2016 at 6.30 pm  
Council Chamber - The Guildhall, Marshall's Yard, Gainsborough, DN21 2NA**

**Members:** Councillor Paul Howitt-Cowan (Chairman)  
Councillor Lewis Strange (Vice-Chairman)  
Councillor Trevor Young (Vice-Chairman)  
Councillor Hugo Marfleet  
Councillor Lesley Rollings  
Councillor Mrs Angela White  
Councillor Stuart Kinch  
Councillor Mrs Pat Mewis  
Councillor David Bond  
Councillor Stuart Curtis  
Councillor Christopher Darcel  
Councillor Adam Duguid

1. **Apologies for Absence**
2. **Minutes of the previous meeting.** (PAGES 1 - 10)  
Meeting of the Challenge and Improvement Committee held on 15 November 2016.
3. **Members' Declarations of Interest**  
Members may make any declarations of interest at this point and may also make them at any point during the meeting.
4. **Matters Arising Schedule** (PAGES 11 - 16)  
Setting out current position of previously agreed actions as at 12 December 2016
5. **Scrutiny of Public Bodies - Secondary Schools**  
In connection with the Committee's ongoing theme of Youth

Unemployment, the Committee will have the opportunity to scrutinise the work of a selection of Colleges and Apprenticeship Providers across the District regarding the support they offer their students in terms of Careers advice.

- **Riseholme College, North Carlton (Bishop Burton College)**  
Jeanette Dawson OBE, Chief Executive and Principal
- **Gainsborough Foundry, Bridge Street, Gainsborough**  
Katie Easey, Chief Executive
- **Lincoln & Gainsborough Adult Training, Lincoln**  
Kevin Leeming Recruitment Manager

will be in attendance to each give a presentation aimed at answering the Committee's previously prepared questions, detailed in Appendix A to this agenda.

This will be followed by a period of supplementary questioning from the Committee

Written responses have been requested from those organisations which were unable to attend and these will be provided to Members under separate cover.

## 6. **Public Reports**

- a) Progress and Delivery Working Group (PAGES 17 - 22)
- b) Progress and Delivery Period 2 (PAGES 23 - 74)

## 7. **General Work Items**

- a) Forward Plan (PAGES 75 - 80)
- b) Committee Workplan (PAGES 81 - 82)

## 8. **Exclusion of Public and Press**

To resolve that under Section 100 (A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public and press be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the

likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

9. **Preparation for Scrutiny of Public Body**

Consideration of Scrutiny of Public Body – Briefing Paper in Advance of the 4th Public Body being invited regarding the ongoing theme of Youth Unemployment.

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Monday, 12 December 2016