ECONOMY & CULTURE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

PROPOSED TOPIC:	EVENTS IN CARDIFF					
Proposed Terms of Reference	 To explore with key stakeholders what the programme of events in Cardiff should look like, taking into account the following factors: Role of events re economy of city and region Impact of events on citizens, the council and the city. 					
	 To explore with key stakeholders what the Council's role should be re events, looking in particular at: Role of Council and Partner organisations re attracting, promoting, delivering, managing and retaining events. How much Council resource should be focused on events? How other Councils manage similar programmes of events. 					
	 To make evidence- based recommendations on a future events strategy for Cardiff and the role of the Council re events in Cardiff. 					
Number of meetings required						
Meeting 1	Setting the Context & Identifying Lines of Enquiry					
	 To consider a briefing report giving an overview of Events in Cardiff – <i>i.e. UK and WG strategy, policy and funding of events; schedule of events in Cardiff; how Events are attracted, promoted, delivered and managed; an overview of Council's Events team (budgets, staffing, premises, PI results, partnership working); and any other relevant information</i> To deliberate the next steps in the investigation and lines of enquiry to explore with witnesses 					
Meeting 2	Obtaining views from External Stakeholders –					
&	Invite the following:					
Meeting 3	 Welsh Govt. – Major Events Team and Visit Wales/ Sell Wales to the World Arts Council of Wales Police & Health – Events Management Cardiff Hoteliers Association Sound Diplomacy For Cardiff – BID FSB Stevens and Associates 					
Meeting 4	Consider Good Practice and other evidence –					
	 Other local authorities – good practice models of managing events Written evidence received from venues – invitation to submit response to be sent to the following external stakeholders: WMC/ Motorpoint Arena/ Principality Stadium/ SWALEC Stadium/ Cardiff City Stadium/Tramshed/ Depot. Other information gathered to inform Inquiry, including any evidence relating to impact of events on citizens. 					

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Meeting 5	Planning meeting - to deliberate what has been considered to date and the next steps in the investigation		
Meeting 6	 Obtain views from Internal Witnesses To invite Cllr Bradbury, Cllr Goodway, Neil Hanratty and Kathryn Richards to give their views on: What the programme of events in Cardiff should look like What the Council's role should be re events Any specific queries that have arisen following evidence received during the Inquiry – these to be relayed to witnesses before the meeting. 		
Meeting 7	Sum Up Meeting – consideration of all information received during the Inquiry, identify Key Findings and agree way forward for draft report/recommendations		
Meeting 8	Consideration of draft report and recommendations		

Proposed Reporting Arrangements

- Investigation to be undertaken between October 2018 and December 2018
- Report to be considered by the Scrutiny Committee 17 January 2019
- Report from Scrutiny to Cabinet January 2019

Potential Outputs/Outcomes from this investigation

- Key stakeholders are given the opportunity to contribute to the Inquiry.
- · Evidence based recommendations on the future Events Strategy for Cardiff
- Evidence based recommendations on the future role of the Council re Events

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