

# Dewsbury Town Deal Board

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## Notice of Meeting

Dear Member

### Dewsbury Town Board

The **Dewsbury Town Board** will meet in the **Council Chamber , Town Hall, Dewsbury** at **4.00 pm** on **Thursday 25 January 2024**.

The items which will be discussed are described in the agenda and there are reports attached which give more details.



**Keith Ramsay**  
**Chair**

## The Dewsbury Town Board members are:-

### Member

Keith Ramsay  
Councillor Cathy Scott  
Mark Eastwood, MP

### Responsible For:

Mid Yorkshire Hospitals NHS  
Leader of the Council  
Member of Parliament

Chair  
Kirklees Council  
Central  
Government

Paul Burnett  
Fara Butt  
Charlie Dunn  
Robert Livingston  
Martin Walsh  
Sue Baker

Empire House – Targetfollow  
Shire Beds Ltd  
Charles Neil Advisory Ltd  
Dewsbury Town Board  
Dewsbury Town Board  
Dewsbury Community  
Outreach

Business Sector  
Business Sector  
Business Sector  
Business Sector  
Business Sector  
Community Sector

Peter Mason  
Palvinder Singh

Dewsbury Town Board  
Principal and Chief  
Executive, Kirklees College

Developer Sector  
Education Sector

Nancy Barrett

Chief Executive, Brigantia  
Creative and Creative  
Director, Creative Scene

Creative Sector

Martyn Broadest  
Sophie Johnson  
Anum Rehman

Connecting Housing  
Dewsbury Town Board

Housing Sector  
Community Sector  
Community Sector

# Agenda

## Reports or Explanatory Notes Attached

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Pages

**1: Membership of Dewsbury Town Deal Board**

To receive apologies for absence from Board Members who are unable to attend this meeting.

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**2: Declaration of Interests**

Members will be asked to say if there are any items on the Agenda in which they have any disclosable pecuniary interests or any other interests, which may prevent them from participating in any discussion of the items or participating in any vote upon the items.

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**3: Minutes of Previous Meeting**

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To approve the minutes of the meeting of the Board held on 16 November 2023.

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**4: Admission of the Public**

Most agenda items take place in public. This only changes where there is a need to consider exempt information, as contained at Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972. You will be informed at this point which items are to be recommended for exclusion and to be resolved by the Board.

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**5: Public Question Time 4:05 - 4:20**

The meeting will hear any questions from the general public.

Questions should be emailed to [executive.governance@kirklees.gov.uk](mailto:executive.governance@kirklees.gov.uk) no later than 5:00pm Monday 22 January 2024.

Members of the public can ask questions relating to the work of the Town Board or issues set out on this agenda.

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**6: Deputations/Petitions 4:20 - 4:25**

The Board will receive any petitions and/or deputations from members of the public. A deputation is where up to five people can attend the meeting and make a presentation on some particular issue of concern. A member of the public can also submit a petition at the meeting relating to a matter on which the body has powers and responsibilities.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10, Members of the Public must submit a deputation in writing, at least three clear working days in advance of the meeting and shall subsequently be notified if the deputation shall be heard. A maximum of four deputations shall be heard at any one meeting.

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**7: Project Updates 4:25 - 4:35**

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To consider the following updates:

- a. Arcade
- b. Market
- c. Urban Realm/Town Park
- d. Cultural Events

Contact: Michelle Illingworth, Economic Resilience Project Officer,  
Dewsbury Town Investment Plan,  
Jaime Nelson, Acting Head of Culture and Tourism,  
Peter Thomson, Economic Resilience Project

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**8: Long Term Plan for Towns - HM Government 4:35 - 4:45**

Contact: David Wildman – Strategic Partnership Lead, Town Centres,

Simon Taylor -Head of Town Centre

Programmes.

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**9: Date of Next Meeting**

Thursday 28 March  
Location: Dewsbury Town Hall

For Terms of Reference please visit

[www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/regeneration-and-development/pdf/deswbury-town-board-terms-of-reference-jan-2021.pdf](http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/regeneration-and-development/pdf/deswbury-town-board-terms-of-reference-jan-2021.pdf)

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**10: Exclusion of the Public**

To resolve that under Section 100(A) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting during the consideration of the following items of business, on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information, as defined in Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act.

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**11. Project Updates 4:45 - close**

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To consider exempt information in relation to Agenda item 7.