

TONBRIDGE & MALLING **BOROUGH COUNCIL**

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To: MEMBERS OF THE FINANCE, INNOVATION AND PROPERTY ADVISORY

(Copies to all Members of the Council)

Dear Sir/Madam

Your attendance is requested at a meeting of the Finance, Innovation and Property Advisory Board to be held in the Civic Suite, Gibson Building, Kings Hill, West Malling on Wednesday, 7th January, 2015 commencing at 7.30 pm

Yours faithfully

JULIE BEILBY

Chief Executive

AGENDA

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Any other items which the Chairman decides are urgent due to special circumstances and of which notice has been given to the Chief Executive.

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Any other items which the Chairman decides are urgent due to special circumstances and of which notice has been given to the Chief Executive.

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