

Strategic Planning Board

Agenda

Date:	Monday, 26th April, 2010
Time:	2.00 pm
Venue:	Main Hall, Middlewich Civic Centre, Lewin Street, Middlewich

The agenda is divided into 2 parts. Part 1 is taken in the presence of the public and press. Part 2 items will be considered in the absence of the public and press for the reasons indicated on the agenda and at the foot of each report.

PART 1 – MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT

1. Apologies for Absence

To receive any apologies for absence.

2. Declarations of Interest

To provide an opportunity for Members and Officers to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interests and for Members to declare if they have made a pre-determination in respect of any item on the agenda.

3. Public Speaking

The Council has adopted a Protocol governing public speaking at Strategic Planning Board meetings. It provides that "In exceptional circumstances the Chairman may, with the approval of the Board, extend the speaking period for some or all speakers, or allow more speakers if appropriate. This power will be treated with caution for controversial or complex schemes and if additional time is granted for objectors, a similar allowance will be given to supporters and/or to the applicant." The application below has attracted several thousand representations and the normal time limits for speaking will need to be extended.

When the full number of those wishing to speak, is clear, the Chairman will draw up a draft timetable which balances running the meeting expeditiously and allocating a broadly equal amount of time to hear those in favour and those against the application, promoting a fair hearing overall. She will propose this to the Board, at the outset of the Meeting, for their approval.

For any apologies or requests for further information, or to arrange to speak at the meeting

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4. **09/0738W-Erection of an energy from waste facility with associated buildings, car park and hardstanding areas, Land off Pochin Way, Middlewich for Covanta Energy Ltd (Pages 1 - 32)**

To consider the above application.