

An Extraordinary meeting of the City Council called under the provisions of Council Procedure Rule 5(b) and (d) will be held in the Civic Hall on Wednesday, 12th December, 2007 at 1.40 pm, or at such later time as the Extraordinary meeting called for 1.30 pm on the same day concludes.

Members of the Council are invited to attend and transact the following business:

1. White Paper Motion - Proceeds from the sale of Leeds Bradford International Airport

“Council notes that this authority has received just over £51m from the sale of Leeds/Bradford International Airport. This Council believes that all the citizens throughout the whole of the Leeds region should benefit from this one-off windfall. Council therefore resolves to distribute this income as follows:

1. Each of the 33 city wards is allocated £1m to be spent on local priorities by local people and their ward councillors within a framework to be set out by the Chief Executive. The council believes all citizens in Leeds should benefit from this windfall and must have their say in how this once in a lifetime money is spent.
2. A central fund of £15m to be established which will finance the building of council housing all across the city. The criteria for allocation to be set out by the Chief Executive.
3. The remainder of the money will then be used to improve the standard of sports pitches and public green spaces across the city.

This Council therefore instructs that the Chief Executive submit a report setting out the criteria for each of these proposals to the next meeting of Council.”

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