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**Report of Head of Scrutiny and Member Development**

**Report to Scrutiny Board (Housing and Regeneration)**

**Date: 25 February 2014**

**Subject: Leeds City Council Input to Leeds City Region Strategic Economic Plan**

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**Summary of main issues**

1. On 4 February 2014 the Housing and Regeneration and Sustainability and Culture Scrutiny Boards held a joint meeting to consider the draft recommended main proposals from Leeds City Council to be incorporated into the regional Strategic Economic Plan.
2. The joint meeting made a number of comments and recommendations for issues to be incorporated into the Council's final submission (draft attached).
3. The Chief Economic Development Officer will update Executive Board at its meeting on 5 March 2014 on the proposed input from Leeds into the Strategic Economic Plan, including on how the views of the Scrutiny Boards have been taken into account.
4. Members of this Scrutiny Board requested an update on the preparation of the final submission to be provided to this meeting. Further information will be circulated prior to the Board's meeting.

**Recommendation**

5. Members are asked to note progress in preparing the Council's submission to the Leeds City Region Strategic Economic Plan.

## **Background documents<sup>1</sup>**

None used

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<sup>1</sup> The background documents listed in this section are available to download from the Council's website, unless they contain confidential or exempt information. The list of background documents does not include published works.