



AGENDA ITEM NO. 14

**GREATER BRISLINGTON
NEIGHBOURHOOD PARTNERSHIP
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RECOMMENDATIONS

1. To note and promote the Mayoral visit

Background:

Working in partnership with St Peters Church and local Councillors, Mayor Rees will be visiting Brislington East on Saturday 29th April 2017 from 11.00am.

It is hoped that the Executive Members for Transport and Housing will also be in attendance. Attached is a poster (Appendix 14a) to help promote the event.

Objectives:

- For Mayor to engage with communities, residents and VCS organisations to hold conversations about:
- Aspirations, concerns and frustrations of communities
- Council policies/delivery of services
- To introduce the new Mayor/new administration and how it wishes to work with communities
- For Mayor to gain better understanding of local led community activity

Key message

- The purpose of the visits is for the mayor to have conversation with people, to listen to the concerns and priorities and to help people understand how their voice can be heard. The wards have been prioritised because there is good reason to believe they are communities where people feel disconnected from political processes and decision making.

Other issues:

- Local councillors to encourage local participation.
- Find out why people are dissatisfied with politics need to re-engage people with politics what do they want from the council.