

CIVIC CENTRE. SUNDERLAND. 23rd May, 2008

TO THE MEMBERS OF SUNDERLAND CITY COUNCIL

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO ATTEND AN EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of Sunderland City Council to be held in the Crowtree Leisure Centre, Sunderland, on **WEDNESDAY**, **4**TH **JUNE**, **2008** at **6.00** p.m. at which it is proposed to consider and transact the following business, viz:

- 1. To read the Notice convening the meeting.
- 2. Receipt of Declarations of Interest (if any).
- 3. Apologies.
- 4. State of the City Debate:

The programme for the debate will be as follows:-

6.00 - 6.30 p.m. Presentations

Welcome by Her Worshipful the Mayor Councillor Mary Smith

Introduction by the MC of the evening Richard Moss. Political Editor, BBC North East and Cumbria

The Way Forward

Councillor Paul Watson, Leader of the Council

The Sunderland Partnership

Canon Stephen Taylor, Chair of the Sunderland Partnership

Keynote Speech

Margaret Fay, Chair of One NortEast

6.30 – 8.00 p.m. Question Time

Panel:

Councillor Paul Watson, Leader of the Council

Canon Stephen Taylor, Chair of the Sunderland Partnership

Dave Smith, Acting Chief Executive of Sunderland City Council,

Front Row:

Norma Harris, Director of Corporate Affairs and Operations, Teaching Primary Care Trust

Peter Fidler, Vice Chancellor and Chief Executive, Sunderland University

Chief Superintendent Dave Pryer, Northumbria Police

Margaret Fay, Chief Executive, One NortEast

CHIEF EXECUTIVE (ACTING)