

NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL

REPORT

		Subject: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MEMBERS - INDUSTRIAL TOUR
From: DIRECTOR OF PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT		
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Introduction

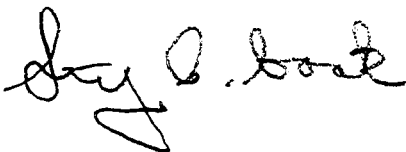
Members of the Economic Development Committee are invited to consider participating in a tour of major economic development projects with a view to increasing awareness of the progress being made in economic development terms across the northern, central and southern areas of North Lanarkshire. This tour which would take place on September 25th would be organised by the Planning & Development Department. It would include a tour of industrial sites including business parks, Enterprise Zone sites and the Euro Central Freight Terminal, taking in significant infrastructure developments, a visit to the Lanarkshire Development Agency, a visit to an Urban Programme funded project and a tour of local businesses with elected members being given the opportunity to talk informally to some of the area's large employers.

Members may wish to extend the invitation for this tour to community councillors who would benefit from seeing economic development activity across a North Lanarkshire perspective.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Committee:

- (i) Note the contents of this report
- (ii) Approve the Planning & Development Department to organise an industrial tour in September.



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