

Councillor Request for **REPEAT** Scrutiny

Councillor Tina Combellack

Proposed topic of scrutiny ...	East Midlands Freeport	
<p>I would like to explore ...</p> <p>It is helpful to include why you feel this topic requires scrutiny, what concerns you, what concerns are being raised with you, and how scrutiny will lead to better outcomes or services to residents.</p>	<p>Scrutiny of the East Midlands Freeport was undertaken in July 2025 by the Growth and Development Scrutiny Group. A written update was also provided in October 2025.</p> <p>The Growth and Development Scrutiny Group request that this item returns to the Group so that further progress and outstanding actions can be updated upon.</p> <p>Additional questions from the Group include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Securing electricity demand connections to be resolved 2026 - any progress? • LDO transport cap - is this being addressed? • Indicative timescale - is this being met? • Future focus plans including decommissioning this year - are they being met? • Junction 24 modelling - what is being done? • Transport restrictions to be lifted 2027/28 – what is the latest position? • Skills plans focus – what does this mean in real terms ie jobs for local people? 	
<p>I think this topic should be scrutinised because ... (please tick)</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Poor Performance Identified
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Change in Legislation or Local Policy
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Resident Concern or Interest
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cabinet Recommendation
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Links to the Corporate Strategy
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (please state reason)
<p>What outcomes are you seeking from this scrutiny?</p>	<p>Greater understanding of the Freeport and its governance structure, impact of the development locally and timescales.</p>	

Collaboration

Matrix developed in conjunction with officers?

No