
Business Runnymede Steering Group: Terms of Reference

Background

The Business Runnymede Steering Group aims to be the voice of businesses in Runnymede. It is a partnership between the local business community, educational providers, Surrey Police and Runnymede Borough Council, who work together to encourage and support enterprise in the borough. The Steering Group engages with local businesses, helps develop Business Runnymede activity, represents the voice of businesses in Runnymede and provides feedback on Runnymede Borough Council's policy and initiatives.

Terms of Reference

The Steering Group will

- Support the development of Business Runnymede activity including business advice, business networking events, the Runnymede business awards and other initiatives which support business and enterprise in the borough.
- Represent the voice of businesses in Runnymede by providing feedback on council policy and programmes.
- Provide feedback on public and private sector policies and programmes aimed at supporting businesses.
- Improve the council's understanding of the issues for businesses in the borough.
- Help build links between businesses in Runnymede

Membership

The Steering Group comprises of representatives from the local business community together with representatives from Surrey Police, Royal Holloway, University of London and local colleges. The Council's Economic Development Manager provides the secretariat roles for the group.

The chair for the steering group will be elected by the steering group every year. The chair can serve for a maximum of 4 years.