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23rd September 2020	Employment, Skills and Training	To consider the priorities and actions identified to support employment, skills and training, particularly considering the effects of the coronavirus pandemic	Kim Mawby Cllr Maton
	Public Realm Projects	To look at the current public realm projects across the city, particularly in the city centre, in the lead up to City of Culture 2021 and the effects of the lockdown on progress	Jo Shore Cllr Hetherton/Cllr O'Boyle
4th November 2020	Very Light Rail	An update on progress on the development of a Very Light Rail system in Coventry	Colin Knight Nicola Small Cllr O'Boyle
	Update on Local Air Quality Action Plan	Progress on the LAQAP, including consideration of the business plan before Cabinet on 1 st December	John Seddon, Cllrs Caan, Hetherton, O'Boyle
2nd December 2020	International Trade and Overseas Markets	To include the conference reports for China and Hong Kong and Germany. To look at relationships with overseas trade, within context of Brexit. To include contribution from Chamber of Commerce	John Norton Cllr O'Boyle
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24th March 2021			
Suggested items for 2020-21	Support to Small Businesses	A further report be submitted to the Board providing an update on future funding. The report to include data on: the retention of students to live and work in the City on completion of their degree; graduate business start-ups and a measure of their success, particularly benchmarking against other cities; unsuccessful businesses and the reason for their failure, including	Stephen Weir Cllr O'Boyle

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		what help the Authority gives to support them and whether there were further measures they could take to support them	
	Retention of Graduates	Representatives from Coventry University and Warwick University be invited to attend the meeting of the Board when the further report is submitted to explain what measures they take to encourage student retention for living and working in the city and the support they offer for graduate business start-ups.	Representatives from the Universities, Stephen Weir Cllr O'Boyle
	CWLEP	A further report be submitted to the Board providing an update on future funding, following the UK's departure from Europe.	Paula Deas Cllr O'Boyle
	Tourism Strategy 2019-2023	A follow up report from the meeting in July – to include information about Purple Flag status and further information on the work being undertaken externally on the promotion of the City.	Val Birchall Cllr O'Boyle
	City Centre South	Progress on development to be considered alongside the Tourism Strategy	Richard Moon Cllr O'Boyle
	Two Friargate	To consider progress on the plans for a second building at Friargate	Richard Moon Cllr O'Boyle
	Air Quality Strategy Action Plan	To keep the Board up to date on progress against actions agreed as part of the Air Quality Action Plan	John Seddon Cllr O'Boyle, Cllr Hetherington, Cllr Caan
	Digital Skills	To look in more detail at what plans are in place to increase the level of digital skills	Cllr Maton, Cllr Hetherington.