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| Document title / ref | Consultation: (CPP / EconDevFunding/ SHB ref)                      |  |  |
| Кеу                  | Black - Q1 – priority; Orange - Q2 – do different; Red - Q3 – stop |  |  |
|                      | doing; Q4 – start doing: Q5&6 – community; Staff                   |  |  |
| Heads of Service /   | Rhona Gunn   |  |  |
| Partner / Rep        | Corporate Director: EDP&I  |  |  |
| Categories           | 1. We like & will investigate it                                   |  |  |
|                      | 2. We are & this is an update                                      |  |  |
|                      | 3. We can't take this forward & this is the reason why             |  |  |
|                      | 4. We like & will explore more with the public                     |  |  |
|                      | 5. We acknowledge & can explain                                    |  |  |
|                      | 6. We have reflected on our priorities & your comments will        |  |  |
|                      | inform our future direction  |  |  |

## Feedback/Comments Received:

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8. approve more aid farms

9. reduce economic development funding

10. reducing support for local economic development activities

## Partner Response:

 On the suggestion to reduce support for economic development activities, the response is category 5 - that in general public sector expenditure has reduced significantly since the economic downturn of 2008. In managing reductions the Moray Economic Partnership is working together to focus on agreed priorities to grow and diversify the local economy to support incomes and make Moray an attractive place to live, work and visit also to ensure Moray is not left behind other locations.

More information about Economic Development

The local government's role in Economic Development is guided by the Scottish Government's priorities and strategies. In partnership with organisations across all sectors, the Council is working on a strategic plan and operational level to maximise economic benefits through its strategies, decision making, investment and services. Economic Development Annual Review 2015-16

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