

READING BOROUGH COUNCIL
REPORT BY THE MONITORING OFFICER

TO:	COUNCIL		
DATE:	13 OCTOBER 2009	AGENDA ITEM:	8
TITLE:	ADDITIONAL MEETING OF COUNCIL - CIVIC HEADQUARTERS RELOCATION		
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1. PURPOSE AND SUMMARY OF REPORT

- 1.1 Further to Minute 47 of the special Council meeting held on 27 November 2008, the Civic Board has now agreed that a further special Council meeting to consider the development proposal for the relocation of the Civic headquarters building should be held on Tuesday 1 December 2009. The purpose of the report is to provide an update on progress since the November 2008 meeting, and to consider the options for taking the relocation and development of the civic area forward
- 1.2 As in 2008, to ensure that this meeting focuses on this important matter, this report recommends Council to suspend the Standing Orders concerning the rules of debate to restrict the Standing Orders concerning petitions and questions (SOs 8-11) to this specific item.

2. RECOMMENDED ACTION

- 2.1 That an additional meeting of Council be held on Tuesday 1 December 2009, starting at 6.30pm, to consider and determine the development proposal for the relocation of the Civic headquarters building.
- 2.2 That pursuant to Standing Order 26, Standing Orders 8-11 be restricted to the consideration of this matter.