



South East Economic Growth & Infrastructure Summit



Wednesday 27 March 2013, 12.30-16.15
(Registration from 12.00)

**Harvey Goodwin Suite, Church House Conference Centre,
Westminster, London SW1P 3NZ**

Agenda

12.00 *Registration (tea/coffee will be available, but lunch is not provided)*

12.30 **Chairman's introduction**

- Cllr David Hodge, Surrey County Council Leader & SEEC Deputy Chairman

Infrastructure to support economic growth - needs & benefits:

- **Transport**
 - Hugh Roberts, Director, SKM Colin Buchanan Consultants
- **Housing & Planning**
 - Alan Goodrum, Chief Executive of Chiltern & South Bucks District Councils/
District Councils Network
- **Delivering critical infrastructure for growth**
 - Huw Jones, Chairman of SE Directors for Environment, Economy, Planning
and Transport/ Executive Director, Oxfordshire County Council

Interactive debate

London & the South East - key opportunities & challenges:

- Cllr Chris Roberts, London Councils / Leader, Royal Borough of Greenwich

13.45 *Refreshments*

14.00 **The Government's approach - A view from Parliament**

- Rt Hon Michael Fallon MP, Minister of State for Business & Enterprise

Local progress & plans

- **Kent CC & SE LEP growth/infrastructure investment plans**
 - Cllr Paul Carter, Leader, Kent County Council
 - John Spence OBE, Chairman, SE LEP
- **Enterprise M3 investment & growth plan/strategy**
 - Geoff French, Chairman, Enterprise M3 LEP
- **Reading City Deal bid**
 - Cllr Tony Page, Deputy Leader, Reading Borough Council

Interactive debate/panel session: What more we need to do - how local and national can work together to deliver growth priorities in the South East

16.15 *Workshop close*