

Report to Committee to consider applications to undertake certain duties by Members and Foreign Travel by Officers	FTC/16/14
Date of meeting: 21 October 2014	
Member Attendance at Opening Event for Fort Duffel and Floodcom Final Conference - Feedback	
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1 Purpose of the Report

- 1-1 To provide feedback from Cllr John Jowers regarding his attendance at the Opening Event for Fort Duffel (April 2014) and the Floodcom Final Conference (September 2014), as requested at previous meetings of the Committee.

2 Recommendation

- 2-1 That the report be noted.

3 Background

- 3-1 On 22 April, the Committee gave approval for Councillor John Jowers (at that time Cabinet Member for Libraries, Communities and Planning) to attend the following events:
- Opening event for Fort Duffel, near Antwerp, (part of the EU Walls and Gardens Project) from 29 – 30 April 2014
 - Floodcom Final Conference, Antwerp, from 24 -25 September 2014
- 3-2 As a condition of these approvals, the Committee requested that Councillor Jowers provide feedback from both events to a future meeting. Councillor Jowers will be in attendance at this meeting to provide feedback and respond to Members' questions.