ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & CULTURE COMMITTEE

Agenda Item 49(d)

Brighton & Hove City Council

Subject: Notice of Motion – Brighton Speed Trials Referred

from Full Council meeting held on 12 December

2013

Date of Meeting: 23 January 2014

Ward(s) affected: All

FOR GENERAL RELEASE

NOTICE OF MOTION

BRIGHTON NATIONAL SPEED TRIALS

"This Council notes that the historic Brighton National Speed Trials event, organised by the Brighton & Hove Motor Club, has been an integral part of the city's outdoor events calendar since 1905, when Sir Harry Preston persuaded the Town Corporation to lay a tarmac motor racing track between Black Rock and the Aquarium. This much-loved event attracts many visitors to Brighton & Hove and hence makes a significant contribution to the local economy.

This Council notes the proposals to stop supporting the Brighton National Speed Trials on Madeira Drive.

Therefore, this Council resolves to ask the Economic Development & Culture Committee to give consideration to the staging of the Brighton National Speed Trials event in 2014 and beyond as part of setting its annual Events Programme for 2014. "

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