

Crawley Borough Council

Housing Associations Scrutiny Panel

Agenda for the **Housing Associations Scrutiny Panel** which will be held in **Committee Rooms A, B & C - Town Hall**, on **Thursday, 23 November 2023** at **7.00 pm**

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Chief Executive

Membership: Councillors

T Lunnon (Chair), M L Ayling, H Hellier, S Piggott and S Pritchard

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Part A Business (Open to the Public)

1. Apologies for Absence

2. Disclosures of Interest & Whipping Declarations

In accordance with the Council's Code of Conduct, Councillors of the Council are reminded that it is a requirement to declare interests where appropriate.

3. Minutes (Pages 5 - 12)

To approve as a correct report the minutes of the Housing Associations Scrutiny Panel held on 13 September 2023.

4. Evidence Gathering Interviews & Witness Sessions

The Panel has invited witnesses to attend the meeting to help inform its investigation.

The Head of Crawley Homes, NASB Manager, Housing Needs Manager and Performance, Policy and Project Officer have been invited to assist the Panel by providing an update from the council's perspective and current position whilst assisting the Panel to understand the challenges faced along with the provision of support currently being provided.

Councillor Irvine has also been invited as the Cabinet Member for Housing.

Whilst the individuals named above identifies those witnesses anticipated to speak at the meeting, this may change subject to availability and, at the discretion of the Chair. Further witnesses may be called in addition or instead of those listed above should they be unavailable.

5. Recommendations

To agree any recommendations from this meeting to be included into draft report.

6. General Update and Actions for Next Meeting

To receive any relevant updates/information from officers and Panel Members, including additional information required to advance the forthcoming meetings. To include:

- a) Confirm witness sessions established for remaining meetings and update on any corespondence.
- b) Confirm that Panel Members identify a clear set of questions to ask representatives attending witness sessions.

7. Supplemental Agenda

Any urgent item(s) complying with Section 100(B) of the Local Government Act 1972.

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