

## Report of the Chair

### Communities Cabinet Advisory Committee – 2 June 2015

#### COMMUNITIES CABINET ADVISORY COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME 2015/16

Date	Subject Area	Lead
2 June 2015	a. Local Housing Strategy (Chapters 1-4): <i>Introduction; Housing Market Assessments; Land Use Planning Framework and Affordable Housing.</i> b. Overview of Food Banks	Peter Williams  Amanda Owen
9 July 2015	a. Local Housing Strategy: (Chapter 5) <i>Improving and Making the Best Use of Housing Stock: Managing and Improving Council Housing; Letting and Managing Council Housing; Anti Social Behaviour; Private Sector and Energy Efficiency.</i>	Peter Williams
13 August 2015	a. Local Housing Strategy (Chapters 6 & 7) <i>Addressing the Needs of specific Groups: Homelessness Supporting People; An Ageing population; The housing needs of the BME Population; Gypsies &amp; Travellers and Sustainability &amp; Housing</i>	Peter Williams
10 September 2015		
8 October 2015	a. Update on Anti Poverty Training – Community Development and Strategic Poverty Plan training	
12 November 2015		
10 December 2015		
14 January 2016		
11 February 2016		
10 March 2016		
14 April 2016		
12 May 2016		
To be Scheduled/Confirmed	a. private rented sector lettings team and change in policy b. rent recovery and Housing Benefit fraud c. The Senior Welfare Rights Officer provide an update following completion of the Universal Credit Seminars d. Rose McCreesh provide a presentation on changes to Council	

	<p>tax in respect of empty properties</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>e. The role of third sector organisations and how they impact/compliment the Poverty Prevention agenda.</li><li>f. Joseph Rowntree Foundations (JRF) publication on Black and Ethnic Minority Poverty.</li></ul>	
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