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HOUSING AND COMMUNITY SERVICES SCRUTINY PANEL

Wednesday 22 October 2025
2.00 pm
Warspite Room, Council House

Members:

Councillor Finn, Chair

Councillor Gilmour, Vice Chair

Councillors Allison, Coker, Cuddihee, Dingle, Freeman, P.Nicholson, Penrose, Poyser and Stevens.

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Tracey Lee
Chief Executive

Housing and Community Services Scrutiny Panel

1. Apologies

To receive apologies for non-attendance submitted by Councillors.

2. Declarations of Interest

Councillors will be asked to make any declarations of interest in respect of items on the agenda.

3. Minutes (Pages 1 - 6)

To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 16 July 2025.

4. Chair's Urgent Business

To receive reports on business which in the opinion of the Chair, should be brought forward for urgent consideration.

5. Building Bridges to Opportunity Update: (Pages 7 - 12)

6. Homelessness and Rough Sleeping Update: (Pages 13 - 30)

7. City Centre Car Parking: (Pages 31 - 38)

8. Renters Rights Bill: (Pages 39 - 48)

9. Action Log: (Pages 49 - 52)

10. Work Programme: (Pages 53 - 56)