



Voluntary Organisations Policy Development and Scrutiny Panel

West Lothian Civic Centre
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23 February 2018

A meeting of the **Voluntary Organisations Policy Development and Scrutiny Panel** of West Lothian Council will be held within the **Council Chambers, West Lothian Civic Centre** on **Thursday 1 March 2018 at 9:30am**.

For Chief Executive

BUSINESS

1. Apologies for Absence
2. Declarations of Interest - Members should declare any financial and non-financial interests they have in the items of business for consideration at the meeting, identifying the relevant agenda item and the nature of their interest.
3. Order of Business, including notice of urgent business and declarations of interest in any urgent business
4. MINUTES

Public Session

- (a) Confirm Draft Minute of Meeting of the Voluntary Organisations Policy Development and Scrutiny Panel held on Thursday 28 September 2017 (herewith)
 - (b) Confirm Draft Minute of Meeting of the Voluntary Organisations Policy Development and Scrutiny Panel held on Monday 18 December 2017 (herewith)
5. Business Gateway Support To The Third Sector
 - (a) Report by Head of Planning, Economic Development and

Regeneration (herewith)

(b) Presentation by Martin Thomson, Business Gateway Growth Adviser

6. Report on 2018/19 Voluntary Organisations Funding, Future Funding and 2017 Health Checks - Report by Head of Planning, Economic Development and Regeneration (herewith)
7. An Enterprising Third Sector - Report by Head of Planning, Economic Development and Regeneration (herewith)
8. Voluntary Sector Gateway West Lothian - Report by Head of Planning, Economic Development and Regeneration (herewith)
9. Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 - Report by Head of Planning, Economic Development and Regeneration (herewith)
10. Workplan (herewith)

NOTE **For further information please contact Elaine Dow on 01506 281594 or email elaine.dow@westlothian.gov.uk**