



Council Offices, Almada Street
Hamilton, ML3 0AA

Tuesday, 22 October 2019

Dear Councillor

Equal Opportunities Forum

The Members listed below are requested to attend a meeting of the above Forum to be held as follows:-

Date: Wednesday, 30 October 2019
Time: 14:00
Venue: Committee Room 5, Council Offices, Almada Street, Hamilton, ML3 0AA

The business to be considered at the meeting is listed overleaf.

Yours sincerely

Paul Manning
Depute Chief Executive

Members

Bert Thomson (Chair), Janine Calikes, Maureen Devlin, Mary Donnelly, Eric Holford, Ann Le Blond, Martin Lennon, Katy Loudon, Joe Lowe, Jim McGuigan

Substitutes

Maureen Chalmers, Peter Craig, Lynne Nailon, Mo Razzaq, Margaret B Walker, Jared Wark

BUSINESS

1 Declaration of Interests

- 2 Minutes of Previous Meeting** 1 - 2
Minutes of the meeting of the Equal Opportunities Forum held on 21 August 2019 submitted for approval as a correct record. (Copy attached)

Item(s) for Consideration

- 3 Annual Report on Mainstreaming Equality and Diversity - Housing and Technical Resources** 3 - 8
Report dated 16 October 2019 by the Executive Director (Housing and Technical Resources). (Copy attached)
- 4 Black and Minority Ethnic (BME) Employees and Recruitment** 9 - 14
Report dated 26 September 2019 by the Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources). (Copy attached)
- 5 Syrian Refugee Resettlement Programme**
Presentation by A Sinclair, Refugee Resettlement Programme Advisor

Urgent Business

- 6 Urgent Business**
Any other items of business which the Chair decides are urgent.

For further information, please contact:-

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