



Council Offices, Almada Street  
Hamilton, ML3 0AA

Tuesday, 04 December 2018

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, 12 December 2018

**Time:** 14:00

**Venue:** Committee Room 2, Council Offices, Almada Street, Hamilton, ML3 0AA

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

<b>Members are reminded to bring their fully charged tablets to the meeting</b>
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Yours sincerely

**Lindsay Freeland**  
**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**

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Minutes of the meeting of the Equal Opportunities Forum held on 3 October 2018 submitted for approval as a correct record. (Copy attached)

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### **Item(s) for Consideration**

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### **3 Annual Report on Mainstreaming Equalities and Diversity - Social Work Resources 2018**

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Report dated 15 November 2018 by the Director, Health and Social Care. (Copy attached)

### **4 Presentation on "Positive about Autism"**

Presentation by Ramon Hutchinson, Co-ordinator, Autism Resource Co-ordination Hub (ARCH), Health and Social Care Partnership.

### **5 Shared Lanarkshire British Sign Language Plan**

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Report dated 16 November 2018 by the Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources). (Copy attached)

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### **Urgent Business**

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### **6 Urgent Business**

Any other items of business which the Chair decides are urgent.

### ***For further information, please contact:-***

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