

Report

Report to:	Community Wealth Building Commission
Date of Meeting:	31 August 2021
Report by:	Executive Director (Finance and Corporate Resources)

Subject:	Proposal to Live Stream Future Meetings
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1. Purpose of Report

1.1. The purpose of the report is to: -

- ◆ Consider a proposal to live stream future meetings of the Commission.

2. Recommendation(s)

2.1. The Commission is asked to approve the following recommendation(s): -

- (1) that future meetings of the Commission be live streamed to the South Lanarkshire Council YouTube channel.

3. Background

- 3.1. Due to the worldwide Covid-19 pandemic and public health concerns, a number of people are currently undertaking their duties from home and members of the public are not, at present, permitted to enter public buildings.
- 3.2. Currently, Council meetings are being held virtually and, following a successful pilot, the Council has been live streaming its Standing Committees since April 2021.

4. Proposal to Live Stream Commission Meetings

- 4.1. In the interests of openness and transparency, the Commission's agenda and papers have been published to the Council's website in advance of the meeting and it is proposed that, as the Commission's meetings would, in normal circumstances, be held in public, future meetings of the Commission are live streamed.
- 4.2. It is intended that the recordings of the meetings will remain on the Council's YouTube channel to be accessible for public viewing.

5. Employee Implications

- 5.1. Support for the publishing and streaming of the recordings of the Commission meetings will be achieved within existing staffing resources.

6. Financial Implications

- 6.1. The costs of streaming and recording meetings are being met from existing budgets.

7. Climate Change, Sustainability and Environmental Implications

- 7.1. There are no climate change, sustainability, or environmental implications in terms of this report.

8. Other Implications

- 8.1. There may be a reputational risk to the Council and partners should meetings not be publicly accessible.

9. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

- 9.1. There was no requirement for an equality impact assessment or consultation in terms of the information in this report.

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18 August 2021

Link(s) to Council Values/Ambitions/Objectives

- ◆ Accountable, effective, efficient and transparent

Previous References

- ◆ None

List of Background Papers

- ◆ None

Contact for Further Information

If you would like to inspect the background papers or want further information, please contact: -

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