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Notice of Meeting

Dear Member

Economy and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Panel

The Economy and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Panel will meet in the Virtual Meeting - online at 2.00 pm on Thursday 27 August 2020.

This meeting will be webcast live and will be available to view via the Council's website.

The items which will be discussed are described in the agenda and there are reports attached which give more details.

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Kirklees Council advocates openness and transparency as part of its democratic processes. Anyone wishing to record (film or audio) the public parts of the meeting should inform the Chair/Clerk of their intentions prior to the meeting.

The Economy and Neighbourhoods Scrutiny Panel members are:-

Member

Councillor Harpreet Uppal (Chair) Councillor Martyn Bolt Councillor Richard Murgatroyd Councillor John Taylor Councillor Richard Eastwood Councillor Yusra Hussain Chris Friend (Co-Optee) Eilidh Ogden (Co-Optee) Andrew Bird (Co-Optee)

Agenda **Reports or Explanatory Notes Attached**

Membership of the Committee
This is where Councillors who are attending as substitutes will say for whom they are attending.
Minutes of the Previous Meeting
To approve the Minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 9 July 2020
Interests
The Councillors will be asked to say if there are any items on the Agenda in which they have disclosable pecuniary interests, which would prevent them from participating in any discussion of the items or participating in any vote upon the items, or any other interests.
Admission of the Public
Most debates take place in public. This only changes when there is a

Most debates need to consider certain issues, for instance, commercially sensitive information or details concerning an individual. You will be told at this point whether there are any items on the Agenda which are to be discussed in private.

5: **Deputations**/Petitions

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The Panel will receive any petitions and hear any deputations from members of the public. A deputation is where up to five people can attend the meeting and make a presentation on some particular issue of concern. A member of the public can also hand in a petition at the meeting but that petition should relate to something on which the body has powers and responsibilities.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 10 (2), Members of the

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Public should provide at least 24 hours' notice of presenting a deputation.

6: Public Question Time

Due to current Covid-19 restrictions, Members of the Public may submit written questions to the Panel. Any questions should be emailed to executive.governance.gov.uk no later than 2pm on 19 August 2020.

7: Housing Rent and Support to Council Tenants and Support to Homeless Households and Rough Sleepers During the Covid 19 Pandemic

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To provide Panel members with information on the provision of services and support to Council tenants in relation to the payment of housing rent and to homeless households and rough sleepers during the Covid 19 pandemic.

Contact: Sarah Clayton, Head of Housing Management, KNH Helen Geldart, Head of Housing Services, KC

8: Work programme 2020/21

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To consider the Panel's Work Programme for 2020/21

Contact: Leigh Webb, Principal Governance and Democratic Engagement Offcier