

Agenda – Local Government and Housing Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee room 5

Meeting date: 1 December 2022

Meeting time: 08.45

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Pre-meeting (08.45 – 09.00)

1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

2 Inquiry into Council Tax Reform – evidence session 1

(09.00 – 10.00)

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David Phillips, Associate Director, Institute for Fiscal Studies

Dr Rhys ap Iwilym, Senior Lecturer in Economics, Bangor University Business School

Break (10.00 – 10.10)

3 Inquiry into Council Tax Reform – evidence session 2

(10.10 – 11.10)

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Councillor Lis Burnett, Leader, Vale of Glamorgan Council

Councillor Dyfrig Siencyn, Leader, Gwynedd Council

Leah Whitty, Finance Policy Officer, Welsh Local Government Association

Jon Rae, Director of Resources, Welsh Local Government Association

Break (11.10 – 11.20)

4 Inquiry into Council Tax Reform – evidence session 3

(11.20 – 12.20)

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Dr Victoria Winckler, Bevan Foundation
Andrew Dixon, Chairman, Fairer Share
James Wood, Policy Manager, National Residential Landlords Association
(NRLA)

5 Papers to note

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5.1 Letter from the Minister for Social Justice in relation to housing Ukrainian refugees

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5.2 Letter from the Chair of the Children, Young People and Education Committee to all Committee Chairs in relation to the Welsh Government's Draft Budget 2023–24

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5.3 Response from the Minister for Finance and Local Government to the report on community assets

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5.4 Letter from the Chair of the Petitions Committee in relation to Petition P–06–1304 To review the emergency temporary housing policy which impacts our Communities

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5.5 Letter from the Chair of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee in relation to the Legislative Consent Memorandum (LCM) on the Levelling Up and Regeneration Bill

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6 Motion under Standing Order 17.42(ix) to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of the meeting

7 Inquiry into Council Tax Reform – consideration of the evidence received under items 2, 3 and 4

(12.20 – 12.35)