## Local Government, Housing and Planning Committee

5th Meeting, 2021 (Session 6)

**Tuesday 21 September 2021** 

## Priorities for Session 6 – Roundtable session on Local Government and Communities

## Introduction

- 1. At its meeting on 22 June 2021 the Committee agreed to write to key stakeholders inviting them to advise the Committee about what its priorities should be this session.
- Informed by these responses at its meeting on 31 August 2021, the Committee agreed to
  invite a number of organisations to participate in a roundtable session on local government
  and communities as part of its continued exploration of priorities over the coming session.
  The Committee also agreed to use the roundtable session to explore themes related to the
  Scottish Government's budget for 2022/23.

## Make-up of the roundtable

- 3. The roundtable will be made-up of—
  - David Allan, Deputy Director, Scottish Community Development Centre;
  - Paul Bradley, Policy & Public Affairs Manager, Scottish Council for Voluntary
  - Organisations;
  - Sarah Gadsen, Chief Executive, Improvement Service;
  - Angus Hardie, Director, Scottish Community Alliance;
  - Paul O'Brien, Chief Executive, Association for Public Service Excellence
  - Kim Fellows, Commissioning Editor, Local Government Information Unit
- Written submissions from the organisations can be accessed via the following link: <u>https://www.parliament.scot/chamber-and-committees/correspondence?committeeSelect=7023c353-ca1a-4855-a104-7621f6ea6941</u>

Clerk to the Committee
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