

Living in Hackney Scrutiny Commission

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Item 4 – Exploring the Work of Housing Associations in Hackney Scrutiny Review – Evidence Session

Outline

The Living in Hackney Scrutiny Commission is conducting a scrutiny review exploring the work of Housing Associations in Hackney. This is the final formal meeting evidence session.

The discussion will cover:

- 1) The strengths of formal partnership arrangements
- Community investment by housing associations, approaches to supporting their residents to succeed, and partnership with the Council to improve social and economic wellbeing.
- 3) Written information about improving recycling on estates across the borough and the request of Registered Social Landlords (RSLs).

Reports in the agenda:

Islington and Shoreditch Housing Association (ISHA)

Partnership working and community investment.

Sanctuary Housing

Community investment and partnership working

Clarion Housing Group

 Working in partnership with the Council and others to promote social, environmental and economic wellbeing in the borough

Guinness Trust

 Guinness' community Investment, approaches to supporting our residents, and partnership with Hackney Council to improve social and economic wellbeing in the area.

Peabody

- Peabody's approach to community investment
- Making recycling work for people in flats
- Peabody recycling in Hackney

National Federation of Housing

• Partnership working and case study examples.

London Borough of Hackney

 Improving Recycling on Hackney Housing Estates and with Registered Social Landlords.

Attending for this item will be:

London Borough of Hackney

- Cllr Sem Moema, Mayoral Adviser for Private renting and housing affordability
- Cllr Rebecca Rennison, Deputy Mayor and Cabinet member for Finance, housing needs and supply
- James Goddard, Interim Director Regeneration

Housing Associations

- **Ashling Fox**, Chief Operating Officer from Peabody
- Ruth Davison, Chief Executive of Islington and Shoreditch Housing Association (ISHA)
- Alistair Smyth, Head of External Affairs from Guinness Trust
- John Cockerham, Director of Operations for Maintenance from Guinness Trust
- **Stefanie Turton**, Head of Housing from Sanctuary Housing Association
- Zoe Pratten, Head of Housing, North London from Clarion Housing Group
- Matthew Parsonage, Head of Communities, Clarion Futures from Clarion Housing Group
- Victoria Whittle, Head of Ready 2 Work, Community Investment from Clarion Housing Group
- **Jess Mullins,** External Affairs Manager (London) from National Housing Federation

Action

Members are asked to review the papers and ask questions in relation to the reports and any presentation made.