

HOUSING POLICY AND AFFORDABILITY COMMISSION

Monday, 18 January 2016 at 6.00 p.m.
MP701, 7th Floor, Town Hall, Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent,
London, E14 2BG.

This meeting is open to the public to attend.

Members:

Mayor John Biggs, Cllr Blake and Cllr Sirajul Islam

Expert Panel:

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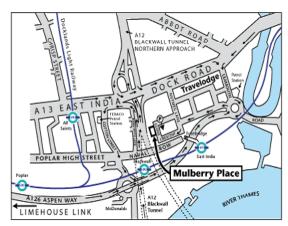
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- 1. TERMS OF REFERENCE
- 2. DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS
- 3. APOLOGIES
- 4. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING

To note the minutes of the meeting held on 16th December 2015.

- 5. WELCOME JOHN BIGGS EXECUTIVE MAYOR
- 6. SHORT OVERVIEW OF ISSUES RAISED IN SESSION 1 OFFICER
- 7. COUNCIL PRIORITIES AND OUTPUTS FROM SESSION 2 CLLR RACHEL BLAKE
- 8. PRESENTATIONS

Council Led Housing Development and best use of existing stock – The Challenges and Interaction between Viability, Affordability and Business Plan Capacity – Officer.

Please note that the financial details set out in the tables in the presentation are purely for Illustrative purposes for a fictional site. The presentation is intended to demonstrate the potential options for the Council and highlight how different choices could impact on the Council finances and are not based on a live financial viability assessment.

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http://moderngov.towerhamlets.gov.uk/uuCoverPage.aspx?bcr=1

http://www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/lgnl/council_and_democracy/council_budgets_and spending/council_budgets_and spending.aspx

- 9. COMMENTS FROM THE EXPERT PANEL
- 10. QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC
- 11. DISCUSSION ON KEY ISSUES LED BY THE CHAIR
- 12. CLOSING REMARKS

13. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

14. DATE OF THE NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be held at Wednesday, 10 February 2016 in room MP701, 7th Floor, Town Hall, Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent, London, E14 2BG.