

MEETING: NATIONAL PLANNING FORUM
TIME: 12.45pm for 1.30pm THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 22nd 2011
LOCATION: ROOM 8.01, LOCAL GOVERNMENT HOUSE, SMITH SQUARE, LONDON, SW1P 3HZ

AGENDA

1. **Welcome and opening remarks.**

Councillor Mike Haines, Local Government Association, Chair of the National Planning Forum and NPF Vice-chair (Local Government)

2. **Draft National Planning Policy Framework**

Ruth Stanier, Deputy Director Planning, Economic and Social Policy, DCLG - followed by discussion

3. **Design Council CABE: the Way Forward**

David Kester, Chief Executive, the Design Council – followed by discussion

4. **Supporting Communities and Neighbourhoods in Planning**

Overview of progress on the project with contributions from:

- a. Hank Dittmar – The Prince's Foundation
- b. Nigel Pedlingham – Council for the Protection of Rural England
- c. Carole Reilly – Locality
- d. Julie Orrey – Planning Aid England Volunteer and Outreach Manager

5. **Update from the Executive Board**

The Secretary

6. **Draft notes of March 4th and June 23rd 2011 meetings (attached)**

For approval and signature

7. **AOB**

FORUM MEETINGS IN 2011 and 2012

All meetings will be held on a Thursday at 12.45pm for lunch - start of business 1.30pm - at Local Government House, Smith Square, London

- December 15th 2011
- March 1st 2012
- July 5th 2012
- September 20th 2012
- December 13th 2012