

Meeting:	EAP Sustainable Communities
Date:	Wednesday 10th April, 2024
Time:	9.30 am
Venue:	Virtual meeting, via Zoom

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### To members of the EAP Sustainable Communities

Councillor Harriet Pentland (Chair), Councillor Tim Allebone, Councillor Jennie Bone, Councillor Dez Dell, Councillor Jan O'Hara, Councillor Roger Powell and Councillor Mark Pengelly

Members of the Panel are invited to attend the above meeting to consider the items of business listed on the agenda.

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Committee Administrator: Raj Sohal

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