



The Scottish Parliament
Pàrlamaid na h-Alba

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND REGENERATION COMMITTEE

MINUTES

3rd Meeting, 2016 (Session 4)

Wednesday 20 January 2016

Present:

George Adam

Cameron Buchanan

Kevin Stewart (Convener)

Jayne Baxter

Willie Coffey

John Wilson (Deputy Convener)

Apologies were received from Cara Hilton.

The meeting opened at 10.00 am.

1. **Decision on taking business in private:** The Committee decided to take item 3 in private.
2. **Legacy paper:** The Committee took evidence from—
 - Professor Ken Gibb, Professor in Housing Economics;
 - Professor Annette Hastings, Professor of Urban Studies;
 - Professor Ade Kearns, Professor of Urban Studies;
 - Dr James White, Lecturer in Urban Studies;
 - George Black, Visiting Professor, University of Strathclyde and former Chief Executive, Glasgow City Council;
 - Bill Howat, Former Chief Executive, Western Isles Council;
 - Gavin Whitefield, Former Chief Executive, North Lanarkshire Council.
3. **Legacy paper:** The Committee considered the evidence it has received.

The meeting closed at 12.30 pm.

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