

The Localism Bill:

Opportunities, Concerns and How Proposals Might Work in Practice

Date: Friday 25th March

Time: 2:00 – 4:30pm

Venue: New Horizon Youth Centre, 68 Chalton Street, London NW1 1JR

Draft Programme Timetable

| Time | Programme | Speaker |
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| 14:00 | Registration & Refreshments | |
| 14:15 | Welcome & Introductions: An overview of the Bill proposals | Donna Turnbull: Strategy & Policy Officer <i>CamdenCEN</i> |
| 14:20 | Localism: The Coalition Government's vision for Big Society | Councillor Sarah Hayward: <i>Community, Regeneration and Equalities</i> <i>London Borough of Camden</i> |
| 14:35 | Localism: Collaborative and strategic working in the Voluntary & Community Sector | Simone Hensby: Director <i>Voluntary Action Camden</i> |
| 14:50 | Localism: A neighbourhood planning perspective | Michael Parkes: Planning Worker <i>Kings Cross Railway Liaison Group</i> <i>(1990 – 2005)</i> |
| 15:10 | Localism: Specific measures, opportunities and challenges | David Joyce: Head of Place Shaping Planning & Public Protection and Chris Widgery: Acting Assistant Director of Strategy & Resources <i>Culture & Environment, London Borough of Camden</i> |
| 15:30 | Plenary session: Questions and Answers | All five panel members Chair: Donna Turnbull |
| 16:25 | Final Remarks | Donna Turnbull |
| 16:30 | END OF SESSION | |