

<b>Title of Report:</b>  <b>Northern Ireland Housing Council Update</b>	<b>Officer Presenting: Lead Democratic Services and Improvement Officer</b>  <b>Author: As above</b>
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## **1 Purpose of Report/Recommendations**

1.1 To provide Members with the most recent Housing Bulletin.

## **2 Background**

2.1 The Northern Ireland Housing Council is an advisory and consultative body considering any matter affecting housing, or any matter which appears to be a matter pertinent to housing on the wider front. The Housing Council may also consult with or be consulted by other organisations on a wide range of housing related matters.

2.2 The Housing Council is made up of one representative from each of the 11 Councils in Northern Ireland. This Council's representative is Alderman Breslin.

2.3 Further to Minute Ref GSP 115/19, it was noted that a Bulletin would be forwarded to councils following each of the Housing Council's monthly meetings.

## **3 Key Issues**

3.1 The Housing Council is also a monitoring body, and regularly reviews progress reports and monitors performance of those responsible for ensuring the delivery of housing services in Northern Ireland.

3.2 The Housing Bulletin relating to October 2020 and the ratified minutes of the September 2020 Housing Council meeting are attached for Members' information (Appendix 1 and 2 respectively).

## **4 Financial, Equality, Legal, HR, Improvement, Rural Needs and other Implications**

4.1 There are no direct implications associated with this report.

## **5 Recommendations**

5.1 That Members note the content of the attached Housing Bulletins.

## **Background Papers**