

Report to the Executive Leader for Decision

Portfolio: Executive Leader

Subject: Attendance at TCPA Annual Conference

Report of: Director of Planning and Regulation

Corporate Priorities: All Corporate Priorities

Purpose:

This report seeks approval for the Executive Member for Planning and Development to attend the TPCA Annual Conference 'A blueprint for a better planning system' which is being held at Coin Street Neighbourhood Centre, Stamford Street, London on 22 November 2018.

Executive Summary:

The TPCA 2018 annual conference will focus on how we deliver better planning, better housing and better places, with high profile speakers from the public and private sector, including policy makers, politicians, developers, consultants and community leaders.

The annual conference provides an excellent opportunity to learn from and network with an informed and engaged group of people.

Recommendation:

That approval is given for the Executive Member for Planning and Development to attend the TPCA Annual Conference 'A blueprint for a better planning system' taking place on 22 November 2018 at Coin Street Neighbourhood Centre, Stamford Street, London.

Reason:

This conference will provide an opportunity for the Executive Member for Planning and Development to be involved with discussions and presentations on creating new homes and thriving and sustainable and well-connected places.

Cost of Proposals:

Attendance at this conference would be £180.00, plus travel and any other appropriate subsistence costs. These costs can be met from existing budgets.

Risk Assessment:

There are no significant risks in relation to the Executive Member for Planning and Development attending the TPCA Annual Conference taking place on 22 November 2018 at Coin Street Neighbourhood Centre, Stamford Street, London.