



Co-operative Councils

Innovation Network

Annual Meeting and Co-operative Showcase Oldham Civic Centre – 5 & 6 September 2017

Tuesday, 5 September

0830	Registration opens		
0920 - 0945	Welcome – <i>Councillor Sharon Taylor OBE</i> , Chair of CCIN & Leader of Stevenage Borough Council Welcome to Oldham – Oldham Council		
1000 - 1230	Co-operation: Listening, Thinking, Acting		
	EPIC Talks	Street Wisdom	Oldham's Co-operative Showcase
1230 - 1400	LUNCH		
1400 - 1500	Annual General Meeting		
1500 - 1515	BREAK		
1515 - 1700	Plenary – The role of Co-operative Councils in supporting the devolution agenda of regional government Chair – <i>Councillor Richard Farnell</i> – Vice Chair of CCIN, Leader of Rochdale Council <i>Speakers TBC</i> Q & A		
1900 for 1930	DINNER - Molino Lounge in Oldham's newly refurbished Old Town Hall Welcome – <i>Councillor Sharon Taylor OBE</i> , Chair of CCIN & Leader of Stevenage Borough Council Guest Speaker – <i>Ed Mayo</i> , <i>Secretary General</i> - Co-operatives UK		

Wednesday, 6 September

0830 - 0900	Welcome coffee and pastries		
0900 - 1100	Plenary – The role of the co-operative councillor in shaping the future of civil society Chair – <i>Councillor Sharon Taylor OBE</i> , Chair of CCIN & Leader of Stevenage Borough Council Speakers: <i>Asif Afridi</i> – Member of the Inquiry into the Future of Civil Society <i>Simon Parkinson</i> – Chief Executive of Co-operative College <i>Tony Armstrong</i> – Chief Executive Locality re Localism Commission <i>Dr Elke Loeffler</i> – Chief Executive, Governance International Q & A		
1100 - 1130	BREAK and Meet the Buyer		
1130 - 1150	The Future of Civil Society – Framework pitches <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Robert Woolf</i> - Made Open • <i>Benjamin P Taylor</i> - RedQuadrant • <i>Catherine Cross</i> - The 4oc 		

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Lara Moloney</i> - Perform Green
1150 - 1345	Meet the Buyer – Meet representatives of the Network’s Consultancy Framework to co-operate, collaborate and do business
1230 - 1345	LUNCH
1345 - 1400	International Guest Speaker: <i>Dr Ariel Guarco</i> - President of the Cooperative Confederation of the Argentine Republic – COOPERAR
1400 - 1530	<p>The Big Question - The Future of Civil Society</p> <p>Chaired <i>Dr Carolyn Wilkins MBE</i> – Chief Executive Oldham Council</p> <p><i>Panel:</i></p> <p><i>Councillor Sharon Taylor</i> - Chair of CCIN & Leader of Stevenage Borough Council</p> <p><i>Asif Afraid</i> – Member of the Inquiry into the Future of Civil Society</p>
1530 - 1545	BREAK
1545 - 1630	Unconference

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