

Agenda – Local Government and Housing Committee

Meeting Venue:

Committee Room 2, Senedd

Meeting date: 26 November 2025

Meeting time: 09.30

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Hybrid

Private pre-meeting

09.00 – 09.30

Public meeting

09.30 – 11.00

1 Introductions, apologies, substitutions and declarations of interest

09.30

2 Welsh Government Draft Budget 2026–27: Evidence session with the Cabinet Secretary for Housing and Local Government (Local Government)

09.30 – 11.00

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Jayne Bryant MS, Cabinet Secretary for Housing and Local Government, Welsh Government

Reg Kilpatrick, Director – Local Government and Planning, Welsh Government

Judith Cole, Deputy Director – Local Government Finance Policy and Sustainability, Welsh Government

Attached Documents:

Research brief



Paper 1: Welsh Government Draft Budget 2026–27 – Written evidence from Welsh Government

3 Papers to note

11.00

3.1 P–06–1307 The Welsh Government should commit to the adoption of the maintenance of new housing estates by local authorities

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Attached Documents:

Paper 2: Petition P–06–1307 The Welsh Government should commit to the adoption of the maintenance of new housing estates by local authorities – Letter from Petitions Committee – 18 November 2025

3.2 Diversity in local government

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Attached Documents:

Paper 3: Letter from the Cabinet Secretary for Social Justice, Trefnydd & Chief Whip following the meeting of 5 November – 19 November 2025

4 Motion under Standing Order 17.42 to resolve to exclude the public from the remainder of this meeting and for item 1 of the meeting on 11 December

11.00

5 Welsh Government Draft Budget 2026–27: Consideration of evidence

11.00 – 11.15

6 Forward work programme

11.15 – 11.30

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Attached Documents:

Paper 4: Forward work programme