

Convention Item 09

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COSLA Priorities Update

Summary and Recommendations

This paper presents a summary of the progress COSLA is making toward the high-level Priorities agreed by Convention. Members will note that, regrettably, largely due to the considerable work ongoing and having to be prioritised on Covid, there has only been time to produce a fairly basic document with no pictures, infographics, etc.

Instead, we have sought to highlight some key areas of progress against the COSLA Priorities, in the context of largely having to prioritise Covid work over the last few six months. Indeed, the attached covers a period of time when COSLA was working exclusively on response to the pandemic.

Elsewhere on today's agenda, COSLA Spokespersons will elaborate on some of the attached by summarising some of the key activity that they've been engaged in.

Convention is invited to

- i. Note that work on response to Covid-19 has had a considerable impact on COSLA work over the last few months;
- ii. Note the progress being made toward the COSLA Priorities through work on each of the workstreams being carried out by COSLA's policy teams; and
- iii. Comment on the progress and ask any questions arising from the update.

References

Previous reports:

None

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