



## Report of the Chief Planning Officer

### PLANS PANEL NORTH and EAST PLANS PANEL SOUTH and WEST

Date: 11th July, 2013 North & East  
18th July, 2013 South & West

**Subject: Panel Member nominations for workshop on delivering quality housing**

#### Electoral Wards Affected:

All

No

Ward Members consulted  
(referred to in report)

#### Specific Implications For:

Equality and Diversity

Community Cohesion

Narrowing the Gap

**RECOMMENDATION: Each Plans Panel is asked to nominate 3 members to take part in the workshop**

1. At the Joint Plans Panel on 27<sup>th</sup> June it was agreed that as part of an initiative to facilitate better quality housing applications, given the growth aspirations of the City, the Council should lead a workshop with major house builders. The workshop will set out our ambition for achieving quality housing throughout Leeds, providing clarity about our existing guidance documents and listening/ discussing/ progressing current issues and delivery with house builder representatives.
2. Members agreed that 3 representatives should be provided from each Plans Panel and that the Member representation should have a good political and gender mix. Members are now asked to nominate representatives from their Panels.
3. City Plans Panel at their meeting on 4<sup>th</sup> July nominated Councillors Neil Walshaw, Martin Hamilton and Rachael Procter. Councillor Peter Gruen is likely to attend as Executive Member.
4. The workshop is likely to be a half day in September.