

## **Visits to member councils**

### **Purpose of report**

For review and discussion

### **Summary**

Each month members of the Leadership Board and senior LGA's managers visit member councils across England and Wales. The **attached** schedule sets out for information the Chairman and Chief Executive's forthcoming visits. For future meetings a schedule of all Leadership Board members' visits will be included.

### **Recommendation**

Member are invited to review the attached schedule and agree a co-ordinated approach and priorities for future visits.

### **Action**

Officers to arrange programme of visits

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Date	Visiting	LGA lead	Region	Authority Type	Meeting
6 Jan	East Sussex then Brighton and 5 districts	Carolyn Downs	<b>South East</b>	County	East Sussex CX Becky Shaw, Brighton CX John Barradell; 5 District CXs
9 Jan	Lancashire CC	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>North West</b>	County	Leader - Jeff Dirver
9 Jan	NWIEP Strategic Forum	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>North West</b>	IEP	CXs & Leaders
17 Jan	Barking & Dagenham	Carolyn Downs	<b>London</b>	London Borough	CX Stella Manzie
17 Jan	West Midlands Councils AGM	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>West Midlands</b>	LGA	West Midlands council leaders
19 Jan	Hampshire	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>South East</b>	County	Leader - Ken Thornber/Group Members
20 Jan	Welsh LGA	Marianne Overton and Carolyn Downs	<b>Wales</b>	LGA	Leader John Davies/ CX Steve Thomas
24 Jan	Bournemouth	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>South West</b>	Unitary	LGC Visit
24 Jan	Elmbridge	Carolyn Downs	<b>South East</b>	Shire District	Leader and councillors
25 Jan	Worcestershire	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>West Midlands</b>	County	
26 Jan	Southend on Sea	Carolyn Downs	<b>East of England</b>	Unitary	LGC visit
26 Jan	Chelmsford	Carolyn Downs	<b>East of England</b>	Shire District	LGC visit
31 Jan	Buckinghamshire	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>South East</b>	County	Leader/Group leaders
06 Feb	Barnsley	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>Yorkshire &amp; Humber</b>	Met District	Leader - Steve Houghton
16 Feb	LG Yorkshire & Humber	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>Yorkshire &amp; Humber</b>	LGA	Yorkshire & Humber leaders
16 Feb	Northern Ireland LGA	Carolyn Downs	<b>Northern Ireland</b>	LGA	CX Derek McCallan
17 Feb	West Lindsey	Carolyn Downs	<b>East Midlands</b>	Shire District	CX Manjeet Gill
17 Feb	Lincolnshire	Carolyn Downs	<b>East Midlands</b>	County	W Lindsey arranging
20 Feb	Suffolk		<b>East of England</b>	County	CX Deborah Cadman
20 Feb	South Tyneside	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>North East</b>	Met District	Leader - Iain Malcolm
20 Feb	Association of North East Councils (ANEC)	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>North East</b>	LGA	NE Leaders
24 Feb	Solihull	Carolyn Downs	<b>West Midlands</b>	Met District	CX
05 Mar	Manchester	Carolyn Downs	<b>North West</b>	Met District	CX Howard Bernstein
06 Mar	ANEC	Carolyn Downs	<b>North East</b>	LGA	NE Council CXs
06 Mar	West Sussex	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>South East</b>	County	
19 Apr	Kettering	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>East Midlands</b>	District	Leader - Russell Roberts
Mar tbc	Dudley	Carolyn Downs	<b>West Midlands</b>	Met District	TBC
Mar tbc	Sandwell	Carolyn Downs	<b>West Midlands</b>	Met District	TBC
Mar tbc	Kings Lynn & Norfolk	Sir Merrick Cockell	<b>East of England</b>	Shire District	TBC