

Councillors' Forum 7 March 2024

## Chair's update

This report covers the Chair's activities from 25 January to 7 March 2024

## LGA and Ministerial/Parliamentary business

JANUARY	
26	Meeting with Communications Team on forward planning
29	Meeting with Baroness Grey-Thompson, LGA President
31	Phone call with Cllr David Mellen, Leader of Nottingham City Council
FEBRUARY	
5	Weekly call with Acting Chief Executive and Deputy Chief Executive
19	Meeting with Communications Team on forward planning
19	Meeting with Helen Whately MP, Minister of State for Social Care
20	Meeting with Group Leaders
20	Weekly call with Acting Chief Executive and Deputy Chief Executive
21	Phone Call with Incoming Chief Executive
29	Meeting with LGBTQIA+ Network
MARCH	
5	Regional roundtable with East of England on the LGA White Paper
6	Spring Budget media (TBC)
7	Councillors' Forum
7	Executive Advisory Board
7	Weekly call with Acting Chief Executive and Deputy Chief Executive

## Meetings with organisations and individuals

JANUARY	
29	Meeting with Lord Adebowale, Chair, NHS Confederation
FEBRUARY	
26	Meeting with Sarah Calkin, Editor of Local Government Chronicle with Head of News

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## Events and speaking engagements

JANUARY	
29	LGA Parliamentary Reception with Minister Hoare, Jim McMahon MP, and
	Helen Morgan MP
FEBRUARY	
13-14	UK LGA Forum, Belfast – Meetings between LGA, WLGA, COSLA, and
	NILGA
27	National Care Service Summit – Unison and Fabian Society
MARCH	
7	Smith Square debate on AI