CROYDON VOLUNTARY SECTOR ALLIANCE

***Strengthening our Strategic Voice***

Meeting on Tuesday 26 July 2016

10.00am to 12pm at CVA Resource Centre

PROGRAMME

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| **Time** | **Session** |
| **9.30** | **Registration and refreshments** |
| **10.00** | **Introduction:**  Steve Phaure, CVA Chief Executive |
| **10.10** | **Stronger Communities Partnership/ Plan & Community Fund update: Cllr Hamida Ali**, Cabinet Minister of Communities, Safety & Justice and Chair of Stronger Communities Partnership, launching the plan and how the whole VCSE can be heard |
| **10.30** | **Good Employer Charter: Cllr Jamie Audsley,** Deputy Cabinet Member for Economy and Jobs, to update on London Living Wage and the proposal for a Croydon Business Charter |
| **10.50** | **Discussion and Questions** |
| **11.20** | **The Opportunities & Fairness Commission- monitoring the recommendations: Steve Phaure,** Chief Executive, CVA |
| **11.30** | **Fair BnB pilot, Nick Pecorelli,** Associate Director, The Campaign Company, on a project to support the vulnerably housed, partnered by LBC |
| **11.40** | **Break out session: VCSE Sub-Group of Croydon’s Stronger Communities Partnership** A new group is to be formed to strengthen VCSE voice- from the largest charities to the smallest community groups**,** key strategic issues for our sector to be identified |
| **11.50** | **CVSA Business:**  CVSA Reps to provide updates from Croydon’s Strategic Partnerships |
| **12.00** | **Close** |