

Karl Griffiths and Claire Overd from Trivallis Housing Association presented their pre-tenancy training programme 'GRAMO' to members. A presentation from Cheryl Emery and Sue Preece was also delivered on the reconfiguration of floating support services in Rhondda Cynon Taf. Members welcomed Central Government's reconsideration of the implementation of Local Housing Allowance rates for supported accommodation and the wider social housing sector. Members were presented with local and regional lead needs data from referrals in 2016-2017 and agreed on priorities to focus the work of the committee over the next three years. These will be included in the Cwm Taf RCC Regional Strategic Plan for 2018-2021. The plan will also include a statement regarding the RCC's commitment to regional commissioning, direct service user engagement, further alignment with other tackling poverty programmes and embracing opportunities resulting from the 'full flexibility pathfinder' status both local authority regions will hold during 2018-2019. The next meeting of the Cwm Taf Regional Collaborative Committee will take place on Tuesday 27th February 2018.