

## ANNEX A SCRUTINY TOPIC REGISTRATION FORM

## SUGGESTED TITLE OF TOPIC

## Reducing Carbon Emissions from York's Housing Public and Private

**ABOUT YOU** Please fill in as many of the details as you are able to.

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Other please state Cllr

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<ul><li>Are You (delete as applicable)</li><li>A Resident of York</li></ul>		
A Visitor		
A City of York Councillor		YES
A City of York Council Employee		
• A Representative of a Voluntary Organisation or Charitable Trust (if YES please tell us the organisations title and your relationship to the organisation below )		
Other (please comment)		

ABOUT YOUR PROPOSED TOPIC

Please write your responses to as many of the questions below as you are able to.

WHY DO YOU THINK THIS TOPIC IS IMPORTANT?

Housing is the single largest source of CO2 emissions. The Council has significant housing stock, strong links with local Housing Associations and some powers over private sector landlords. Its powers and links could make a significant difference.

DO YOU KNOW IF THIS TOPIC IS IMPORTANT TO OTHER PEOPLE? IF SO, WHO AND WHY?

Tenants, Council, HA and private could benefit from warmer homes

WHAT DO YOU THINK SCRUTINY OF THIS TOPIC MIGHT CHANGE, DO OR ACHIEVE?

Carbon Dioxide emissions should fall. Homes should be warmer. Energy costs should fall, while expenditure on local insulation installers should rise.

DO YOU HAVE IDEAS ABOUT THE APPROACH SCRUTINY MEMBERS MIGHT TAKE TO YOUR SUGGESTED TOPIC?

Evidence from energy efficiency office, Housing Associations, Federation of Private Landlords, University etc.

WOULD YOU BE HAPPY TO TALK TO SCRUTINY MEMBERS ABOUT YOUR PROPOSED TOPIC AT FORMAL MEETINGS? Yes

PLEASE ENCLOSE ANY SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS OR OTHER INFORMATION YOU FEEL MIGHT BE USEFUL BACKGROUND TO THE SUBMISSION OF THIS TOPIC FOR CONSIDERATION.

## For Scrutiny Administration Only

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