



**Meeting** Bath City Forum  
**Date** Thursday, 26th November, 2015  
**Time** 6.00 - 8.00 pm  
**Venue** Banqueting Room - Guildhall, Bath

	Subject		
1.	<b>B&amp;NES Budget Fair including Question and Answer session</b>  <i>The Bath City Forum is hosting one of the Council's Budget Fairs. This year there will be five meetings which are open to the public and are each being hosted by the Connecting Communities Area Forums. The Budget Fairs provide an opportunity to hear about the Council's financial plans for the next four years. There will be an opportunity to ask questions and feed into the discussions on the budget proposals.</i>	Cllr Charles Gerrish	

**15 minute refreshment break**

2.	<b>West of England Joint Spatial Plan including Question and Answer session</b>  <i>The West of England's Joint Spatial Plan and Transport Study will set out a prospectus for sustainable growth that will help the area meet its housing and transport needs for the next 20 years. Estimates state that to maintain its current prosperity, the area needs at least 85,000 new homes by 2036, nearly 30,000 more than the number already planned, as well as the transport and other infrastructure needed to support this level of growth. Officers from Planning Services will give a presentation to the Forum and update them on Placemaking.</i>	Simon De Beer	
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**Date of Future Meeting:**  
Thursday, 21 January 2016  
Brunswick Room - Guildhall, Bath