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Dear Stakeholder.

## INVITATION TO DEPARTMENT FOR COMMUNITIES STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT EVENT – THURSDAY 30TH JUNE

You are invited to a Department for Communities (DfC) Stakeholder Engagement Event on Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June at Craigavon Civic and Conference Centre. Registration will be from 9.30am and the event will be between 10am – 12 noon.

The Executive's new draft Programme for Government (PfG) document has recently been published together with an online survey and is accessible at <a href="https://www.northernireland.gov.uk/topics/work-executive/programme-government">https://www.northernireland.gov.uk/topics/work-executive/programme-government</a>

The Department has an important role to play in the development and delivery of a new outcomes focused Programme for Government. The draft PfG Framework contains 14 strategic outcomes (at Annex A) which, taken together, set a clear direction of travel and to improve the social and economic wellbeing of our society. The Framework provides the strategic context for a number of key Executive strategy documents, including the Investment Strategy, the Economic Strategy and the Social Strategy. The Department is leading the work on the new Social Strategy, including a Social Strategy Pathfinder programme in order to take forward some early delivery work.

The purpose of the event is for us to listen to your views on the draft Programme for Government and, in particular, the issues and outcomes specifically relating to the work of the Department. We are keen for you to be involved in how we can best work collaboratively in delivering our priorities.

If you wish to attend please <u>register to reserve a place by Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June</u>. While places are limited, please feel free to share this invitation with any delivery partners or other stakeholders who may be interested in participating.

Yours sincerely,

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## **Programme for Government Outcomes Framework**

## **Our Purpose**

Improving wellbeing for all – by tackling disadvantage, and driving economic growth

## Outcomes

We prosper through a strong, competitive, regionally balanced economy

We live and work sustainably – protecting the environment

We have a more equal society

We enjoy long, healthy, active lives We are an innovative, creative society, where people can fulfil their potential

We have more people working in better jobs We have a safe community where we respect the law, and each other

We care for others and we help those in need

We are a shared society that respects diversity

We are a confident, welcoming, outward-looking society

We give our children and young people the best start in life

We have high quality public services We have created a place where people want to live and work, to visit and invest

We connect people and opportunities through our infrastructure