CCN ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2019

COUNTY COUNCILS NETWORK

Conference Programme

UNLEASH THE POTENTIAL

OF COUNTIES

Sunday 17th November

16.00 - 18.00 **Conference Registration**

18:30 - 20:00 **Conference Opening Reception**
Sponsored by Concertus and Opus People Solutions

20.00 - 21:30 **Sunday Night Dinner**

Monday 18th November

8:45 - 9:00 **Conference Opening - CCN Chairman**

9:00 - 10:00 **Place Based Growth: Unleashing The Power of Counties**
Grant Thornton (speaker TBC)
Natalie Elphick, Chief Executive, Housing & Finance Institute
Lord Kerslake, UK 2070 Commission (TBC)

10:00 - 10:40 **Children's Services: What Does Good Look Like**
Debbie Barnes, Head of Paid Service, Lincolnshire County Council
Stuart Carlton, Director of Children's Services, North Yorkshire County Council

10:40 - 11:15 **Transitions: Children's To Adult's Services**
Dez Holmes, Director, Research in Practice

11:15 - 11:45 **Refreshments**

Monday 18th November

11:45 - 12:45 **Lessons of Transforming Social Care**
Steven Phillips, Senior Partner, Newton Europe
Speakers TBC

12:45 - 13:45 **Lunch**

13:15 - 14:45 **Workshops**
A: Newton Europe: Data Driven Transformation

B: Radioactive Waste Management - Opportunities For Economic Growth

C: BT - Connected Places (TBC)

14:45 - 15:10 **Refreshments**

15:10 - 15:25 **Local Government Association View**
James Jamieson, Chairman, LGA

15:25 - 16:15 **Spending Review 2020**
Speakers TBC

16:15 - 16:40 **Liberal Democrat View**
Tim Farron MP, Local Government Spokesman, Liberal Democrats (TBC)

16:40 - 17:05 **Labour View**
Jim McMahon MP, Shadow Local Government Spokesman

17:05 - 17:30 **Conservative View**
Rt Hon Robert Jenrick, Secretary of State for Housing, Communities, and Local Government (TBC)

17:30 - 18:30 **Political Group Meetings**

19:00 - 20:00 **Conference Drinks Reception**
Sponsored by Mobile UK

20:00 - 23:00 **Conference Dinner**

After-dinner speaker: Andrew Neil

Tuesday 19th November

09:00 - 09:45 **Risk and Reward: Telling A Compelling Story**
Alex Forsyth, Political Correspondent, BBC
Stephen Chandler, Director of Adult Social Care, Oxfordshire County Council

09:45 - 10:30 **Safer Communities: County Lines & Knife Crime**
Simon Ford, Director, Violence and Vulnerability Unit
Lucy Belcher, Service Manager, The Children's Society (TBC)

10:30 - 11:15 **Voluntary Sector Partnerships: Local Works**
Paul Street, Chief Executive, Lloyds Bank Foundation Trust

11:15 - 11:45 **Refreshments**

11:45 - 12:30 **Brexit: What Happens Next?**
Joe Owen, Programme Director, Institute for Government
Speakers TBC

12:30 - 13:15 **Health Secretary Closing Address**
Rt. Hon Matt Hancock, Secretary of State for Health and Social Care (TBC)

13:15 - 13:30 **Chairman's Conference Closing Speech**

13:30 - 15:00 **Lunch and Depart**

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