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Member Emails

The Chairmen and Clerks of Member Councils were sent the following email last week

- Northumberland Planning Issues - 14 June

I anticipate further emails being dispatched this week on

- Events and Temporary Traffic Regulation Orders
- The 2021 Local Council Elections in Northumberland

The draft Northumberland Local Plan

Clerks of all Local Councils in Northumberland should have received an email dated 15 June 2018 from the County Council regarding drop-in consultation events during July and early August. If your council has not received a copy please contact the Local Plan team as it may mean that their contact database is incorrect.

Their email is PlanningStrategy@northumberland.gov.uk

The Port of Blyth

The Port of Blyth produce an informative electronic newsletter - Harbour Views - which colleagues may find of interest. It is available via their website at

<http://portofblyth.co.uk/harbour-views-newsletter-now-available-2/>

Thanks to Cllr Alex Wallace (East Bedlington) for drawing this to my attention.

The Borderlands Growth Deal

I attended the conference in Dumfries on Monday 18 June 2018.

Both the UK and Scottish Governments and the five principal councils are working towards a bid being submitted in July 2018 with the aim of the Heads of Terms being announced at or shortly after the Budget announcements from the Governments in the late Autumn.

The initial projects have to be sustainable and inclusive but I gained the clear impression that themed projects are being considered rather than just the single big-ticket ones.

The website has some more information at

<http://www.borderlandsgrowth.com/>

I shall be monitoring progress in order to alert Member Councils to potential projects.

The national Star Council Awards

The national NALC are seeking entries for the 2018 awards. The closing date is 17 August 2018. Details of the categories and how to enter are available via

<https://www.nalc.gov.uk/our-work/star-councils-awards>

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