

# Agenda

## Cross-Party Group on Visual Impairment

Wednesday 4 September 2024, 18.00 –  
19.30

### Meeting online

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#### **Cross-Party Group in the Scottish Parliament on Visual Impairment #CPGVI**

##### **Purpose of the group:**

The Cross-Party Group on Visual Impairment draws together the blind and partially sighted sector in Scotland to identify issues competent to the Scottish Parliament and seeks, in a reasonable fashion, to influence policy, legislation and decision makers to better reflect the needs of blind and partially sighted people.

#### **Agenda**

##### **Agenda item 1 - Welcome, introductions and apologies**

Welcome, introductions and apologies plus GDPR statement.

##### **Agenda item 2 – Roz McCall MSP - an update on the work of the Cross-Party Group (CPG) on Deafness Working Group on Sensory Care and Dementia**

##### **Agenda item 3 - AGM and Election of Office Bearers**

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- Convener
- Vice-Convener
- Secretariat

**Agenda item 4 - Approval of minutes of meeting of 21 February 2024**

**Agenda item 5 - Matters arising and Action Points – see attached Report**

**Agenda item 6 - Eilidh Thomson, Vice Chair, Optometry Scotland – Developments in community optometry in Scotland**

Followed by Q and A.

**Agenda Item 7 - Any other competent business**

Time permitting.

7.1. James Adams, RNIB Scotland, wishes to mention the sad passing of Sandra Wilson, the former Chair of RNIB Scotland, and to request permission to circulate details of a planned memorial event to the CPG membership.

**Agenda item 8 - Date of next meeting**

Wednesday 20 November, 13.00-14.30, Committee Room 1, Scottish Parliament, and online.