

Proposed Cross Party Group

Creative Economy

Inaugural Meeting

1st September 2021

Minutes

In attendance:

Claire Baker MSP

Jenni Minto MSP

Sarah Boyak MSP

Michael Marra MSP

Clare Adamson MSP

Non MSP: Jennifer Hunter (Culture Counts); Andy Stirling Robertson (Culture Counts)

1 Agree name of Group

The group agreed the name Cross Party Group on Creative Economy.

2 Agree Group Purpose

The group purpose was agreed, as follows:

The purpose of the group is to exchange ideas and learning around the development and support of the future creative economy.

The group will consider support for creative economy in Scotland, exploring barriers to success and highlighting any potential solutions.

The group may consider topics including Brexit; Enterprise Agencies; Regional Economic Partnerships; Economic and Industrial Strategy; Partnership Working and Wellbeing Economy.

3 Appointment of Convener

The Convener was agreed as Claire Baker MSP.

4 Appointment of Deputy Convener

The Deputy Convener was agreed as Jenni Minto MSP.

5 Appointment of Secretariat

The Secretariat was agreed as Culture Counts

6 Next Steps

Claire Baker MSP thanked everyone for attending the meeting.

Jennifer agreed to be in contact in due course with next steps for registration of the group. The first meeting of the group is hoped to take place in November 2021.