**Vacancy for Chair of Newport City Council’s Fairness Commission**

Fairness Commissions are independent bodies set up by councils to advise them on the best use of resources and powers to achieve the fairest outcomes for local people.

The Newport Fairness Commission met for the first time in November 2012, becoming the first of its kind in Wales. Its role is to keep issues concerning fairness on the public agenda and to monitor and advise on how these issues are considered in the council’s decisions and policies.

The Commission is now looking for an experienced Chair to head the Commission and take our work forward. This role is unpaid and it is non-political and so does not depend on any particular political affiliation or political party membership. If you want to apply for this role then please send a one-page letter expressing your interest explaining what you can offer to the Commission, plus a full CV, by 5.00pm the 17th August 2018, to wayne.tucker@newport.gov.uk.

More details about our work can be found on:

<http://www.newport.gov.uk/fairnessCommission/en/Homepage.aspx>

We anticipate that interviews will take place sometime in late August for the appointment to commence as soon as possible thereafter. If you do not hear from us by the 28th August then you can assume that we have not called you for interview.