

**Meeting of the North East Strategic HR Forum (via Teams)**

**Wednesday 22 June 2022 (2.00pm)**

**A G E N D A**

1. **Executive Recruitment : Update – Joanne Peacock, Procurement Manager and Carl Telford, Procurement Specialist, NEPO – see copy of presentation attached**
2. **Recruitment – General (MB)**
3. **Mileage Rates (MB)**
4. **Special Severance Payments – statutory guidance and LA requirements update (Newcastle)**
5. **Supporting employees with the Cost of Living crisis – any measures LAs are taking, beyond pay (Newcastle)**
6. **Social Care Funding (standing item)**
7. **AOB**
8. **Next Meeting – Wednesday 6 July 2022 at 2pm (drop-in)**