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Dear Mr Wyse

## Meeting of Clackmannanshire Council, 18 December 2014 Questions to the Provost - Council Policy on Fracking

I will be grateful if you will include the following questions to the Provost on the agenda of the meeting of Clackmannanshire Council to be held on 18 December 2014.

In light of the increasing likelihood of local applications for the commercial extraction of unconventional gas by fracking, evidence of growing public concern over possible adverse impacts on our communities and the absence of any reference to policy on this issue in the recently adopted Local Development Plan, how does the Council propose to address the omission and provide public assurance of robust planning powers?

Will the council make early arrangements to provide members with currently available evidence on any adverse health and environmental impacts that have arisen from fracking and coal bed methane extraction?

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