

**Overview and Scrutiny Committee – 16 November 2017, 6pm, Jeffery Room**

**Subject: Trips and Falls on Housing Land**

Northampton Partnership Homes briefing to the Committee on trips and falls on housing land.

All incidents are reported via a Northampton Borough Council (NBC) “Accidents and Incidents” form and submitted to NBC’s Health and Safety Advisor Julian Bissaker. Julian collects this data and reports to NPH’s Health and Safety group who meet monthly to consider incidents and make recommendations for remedial action or change of policy.

In financial year 2017/18 to date, there have been 2 recorded incidents. Of the 2 reported incidents, one employee slipped on a loose paviour, the second stepped in a hole in long grass, neither suffering an injury.

In financial year 2016/17 there were a total of 4 recorded incidents. One recorded as serious and related to a NPH member of staff who slipped on ice getting out of her car and broke her ankle. NB this accident occurred on General Fund land and not Housing land.

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Mike Kay

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