

What change do you want to see through culture?

Arts Council England is looking to increase investment and engagement in 54 priority places across England as part of its Let's Create plan. CVAN EM wants to speak with East Midlands-based artists, arts workers or organisations about the change they would like to see through culture.

If you live or work in Ashfield, Bolsover, Boston, Chesterfield, East Lindsey, NE Derbyshire or Mansfield and want to speak about strengthening cultural and creative opportunities in your locality please email info@cvaneastmidlands.co.uk.

Agenda Meeting #1

Date: Wednesday 23 February, 1 – 2pm

Locations: Zoom

Attendees: Colette Griffin

- **Introductions (10 mins)**
 - Name
 - Pronouns
 - Organisation / practice
 - Where you're based
 - One thing about yourself that isn't directly related to your role here today

- **What does it mean to be a priority place? (10 mins)**
 - A short presentation to share more info on
 - CVAN EM
 - Priority Places
 - Our intentions

- **Group Activity: x3 Miro Boards (30 mins)**
 - 1: Tell us about your region, e.g.,... (10 mins)
 - What art spaces are located there?
 - Are there any artist studios?
 - What's the population?
 - What is it famous for?
 - 2: What change do you want to see through culture? (10 mins)
 - 3: Strengthening cultural and creative opportunities in your locality e.g.,... (10 mins)
 - What provision already exists?
 - Do artists feel supported to work within their communities?
 - How could access be improved?

- **AOB (10 mins)**