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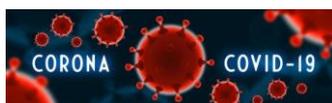


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[Kindness is all around us – but what part should it play in policy making?](#)

While kindness has a part to play in our everyday lives, when we think about public policy (not just what the strategic direction is, but how we implement it) where does kindness feature?

Jessica Sellick investigates.

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[Broadband and the road to 5G inquiry](#)

MPs have launched an inquiry into Broadband and road to 5G to examine Government's pledge to ensure every home and business in the UK has gigabit-capable broadband by 2025

The Rural Services Network have submitted evidence to the Inquiry.

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