

Dear Councillor

You are invited to attend a meeting of the Clwydian Range and Dee Valley Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty Joint Committee, Friday, 2 February 2018 at 10.00 am in the Council Chamber, County Hall, Mold, Flintshire.

Yours sincerely

G Williams Head of Legal, HR and Democratic Services

## AGENDA

## **1** APOLOGIES AND INTRODUCTIONS

#### 2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members to declare any personal or prejudicial interests in any business identified to be considered at this meeting.

#### **3 URGENT MATTERS**

Notice of items which, in the opinion of the Chair, should be considered at the meeting as a matter of urgency pursuant to Section 100B(4) of the Local Government Act 1972.







#### 4 MINUTES (Pages 5 - 8)

To receive the minutes of the Joint Committee meeting held on 17 November 2017 (copy enclosed).

# 5 PRESENTATION OF TWO AONB SHORT FILMS

To consider a verbal report by Helen Mrowiec.

# 6 JOINT COMMITTEE BUDGET AND OUTTTURN 2017/18 (Pages 9 - 12)

To consider a report on the AONB's revenue budget outturn position for 2017 / 18 (copy enclosed).

# 7 DARK SKY STATUS (Pages 13 - 106)

To consider a report (copy attached) on the process and benefits of pursuing a Dark Sky Designation with the International Dark Skies Association.

# 8 OFFA'S DYKE PATH NATIONAL TRAIL

To consider a presentation by Rob Dingle, Offa's Dyke National Trail Officer.

## 9 GRANTS AND BIDS

To consider a verbal report by Howard Sutcliffe on grants from the Welsh Government and bids to Natural Resources Wales.

## 10 UPDATE ON SUPPLEMENTARY PLANNING GUIDANCE

To consider a verbal update from Howard Sutcliffe.

## **11 FORWARD WORK PROGRAMME** (Pages 107 - 112)

To consider the Joint Committee's forward work programme (copy enclosed).

## 12 STAFF UPDATE

To consider a verbal report by Howard Sutcliffe.

## **13 FUTURE MEETING DATES**

22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018 and 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2018.

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

#### Councillors

Derek Butler (FCC) Hugh Jones (WCBC) David Kelly (WCBC) Carolyn Thomas (FCC) Tony Thomas (DCC) Julian Thompson-Hill (DCC)

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