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Dear Local Access Forum Member

Sharing Good Practice Workshop
Venue: The Grand Committee Room, County Hall, Northallerton
Time: 9.30am to 3.00pm

I am writing to invite you to attend a one day event hosted by the North Yorkshire LAF on 19 March 2009.

The event will take place at County Hall and will provide an opportunity for all members of the three Local Access Forums operational in North Yorkshire to share ideas, concerns and opportunities that will help in delivering their role in the future.

The three chairs (or their representatives) have already met and agreed four topics to be explored on the day which you will see from the attached draft agenda.

The purpose of this letter is to give as much warning of the date and time so that as many Members as possible will be able to participate.

For catering and planning purposes I would be grateful if you would let Jane Wilkinson know at North Yorkshire County Council Legal and Democratic Services Section by Friday 27 February 2009 if you are able to attend. Her contact details are below:-

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I very much look forward to having this opportunity to meet colleagues from other Local Access Forums and I do hope that you will be able to attend on 19 March. The final programme together with briefing papers and a location map and travel directions will be sent out at the beginning of March.

Best Wishes

Tony Turner (Chair, North Yorkshire LAF)
On behalf of the Chairs of all three North Yorkshire LAFs

To: All Members of: The North Yorkshire Local Access Forum

Yorkshire Dales Access Forum

North York Moors Local Access Forum

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SHARING GOOD PRACTICE WORKSHOP

THURSDAY, 19 MARCH 2009

THE GRAND COMMITTEE ROOM COUNTY HALL, NORTHALLERTON

9.00am to 9.30am	Registration (Tea/Coffee available)
9.30am – 9.45am	Welcome to the Day
9.45am – 10.30am	How do LAFs influence others? Real Consultation! Real Influence!
	Tony Turner, Chair of North Yorkshire LAF
10.30am – 11.15am	Wider Access – Improving opportunities for minority groups to use Rights of Way
	Rachel Briggs, Access Development Officer North York Moors Access Forum
11.15am – 11.30am	BREAK
11.45am – 12.15pm	Recreational Motor Vehicles On Green Lanes
	Michael Bartholomew, Chair, Yorkshire Dales Access Forum
12.15pm – 1.15pm	LUNCH (provided)
1.15pm – 2.00pm	Signage and Waymarking On The Public Rights of Way Network
	Aidan Raynor, Public Rights of Way Team Leader North Yorkshire County Council
2.00pm - 2.45pm	Discussion Groups on each of the four topics introduced today
2.45pm – 3.00	Plenary to collect action points from discussion groups and Goodbye!