
NORTH YORKSHIRE LOCAL ACCESS FORUM

AGENDA

- VENUE:** The Grand Committee Room, County Hall,
Northallerton
- DATE:** Thursday, 14 May 2009 commencing at 10.00 am
- NOTE:** *Buffet available from 12.30 pm*

Business

1. Appointment of Chairman.
2. Appointment of Vice-Chairman.
3. Chairman's Welcome and Introduction of New Members.
4. Apologies for Absence.
5. Minutes of the meeting held on 26 February 2009. **(Pages 1 to 8)**
6. Matters Arising.
7. Public Questions or Statements – Members of the public have a right to attend any meeting of the forum held in public, or that part of the proceedings which are held in public, and have access to any public report or other public papers, and have a right to ask questions or make statements relating to the business of the Forum.
8. Oral Report from Forum Sub-Groups.
 - (a) Wider Access – 16 April 2009.
 - (b) Improving Rights of Way – 16 April 2009.
9. Minutes of a meeting of the North York Moors National Park LAF held on 3 March 2009. **(FOR INFORMATION ONLY)** **(Pages 9 to 16)**
10. Feedback from Yorkshire and Humber Regional LAF – Oral Report John Taylor.
11. Feedback on the North Yorkshire Joint LAF event held on 19 March 2009 – Oral Report by Forum Member – Tony Turner.

12. England Access Forum
 - (a) Minutes of a meeting held on 11 March 2009 **(Pages 17 to 21)**
 - (b) Presentation by Natural England on Diversity and Equality
(Pages 22 to 26)
13. Work completed 2008/09 – Report of the Public Rights of Way Team Leader.
(Pages 27 to 28)
14. Forward Plan – Report of the Access and Rights of Way Manager.
(Page 29)
15. Date of Next Meeting – 20 August 2009, venue to be agreed.
16. Any other business which the Chairman agrees should be considered as a matter of special urgency because of special circumstances.

JANE WILKINSON
Secretary to North Yorkshire Local Access Forum

County Hall
NORTHALLERTON

30 April 2009
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NOTES

INTERESTS

The Local Access Forums (England) Regulations 2002 state:-

- (7) A member of a Local Access Forum who is directly or indirectly interested in any matter brought up for consideration at a meeting of the Forum shall disclose the nature of his interest to the meeting

(Those members of the Local Access Forum who are County Councillors are also bound by the North Yorkshire County Council Members' Code of Conduct, as they serve on the Forum as County Councillors. County Councillors must, therefore, declare any personal interest they may have in any matter considered at a meeting and, if that interest is prejudicial, must so declare it and leave the meeting during consideration of that item.)

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