

SOUTH DOWNS NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITY AUTHORITY MEETING

All Members are hereby summoned to attend the Meeting of the South Downs National Park Authority to be held at 2.00pm on 16 October 2018 at the Memorial Hall, South Downs Centre, North Street, Midhurst, West Sussex, GU29 9DH.

Trevor Beattie

Chief Executive (National Park Officer)

AGENDA PART I

I. Apologies for absence

2. Declaration of Interests

To enable Members to declare to the meeting any disclosable interest they may have in any matter on the agenda for the meeting.

3. Minutes of the previous meeting held on 3 July 2018

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the Authority meetings held on 3 July 2018 (Page 1).

4. Matters arising

To enable any matters arising from the 3 July 2018 Authority Meeting minutes that are not covered elsewhere on this agenda to be raised.

5. Urgent Matters

To consider any matter on the agenda which the Chair agrees should be considered as a matter of urgency to due special circumstances (if Members have any urgent matters they are asked to consult the Chair before the meeting commences).

6. Public Participation

The Chair will allow members of the public to ask questions, make statements or present a petition on any matter on the agenda for this meeting or on any matter that falls within the Authority's powers, subject to procedures set out in Appendix 3 to the Authority's Standing Orders.

7. Authority Chair Update

To consider a report from the Authority Chair (Report NPA25/18 page 9).

8. Chief Executive's Progress Report

To consider a report from the Chief Executive Officer (Report NPA26/18 page 11).

9. Reports from Members Appointed to Outside Bodies

To receive reports from Members.

Sustainable Communities Fund (Report NPA27/18 page 19).

10. South Downs National Park Trust Update

To receive a verbal update from the Chair of the South Downs National Park Trust.

II. National Accord Between Forestry Commission (England) and National Parks England

To consider a report from the Countryside and Policy Manager – Central Downs (Report NPA28/18 page 21).

12. Options Paper for the Future of the Sustainable Communities Fund

To consider a report from Head of Marketing and Income Generation (Report NPA29/18 page 31).

13. Appointment of Deputy Chair(s) to Policy and Resources Committee To consider a report from the Head of Governance (Report NPA30/18 page 51).

14. Appointment of Committees and Outside Bodies

To consider a report from the Head of Governance (Report NPA31/18 page 55).

15. A27 Arundel Judicial Review Update

To consider a report from the Major Planning Projects and Performance Manager (Report NPA32/18 page 57).

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE INCLUDED ON THE AGENDA FOR INFORMATION

16. Planning Committee

Minutes of the Planning Committee meetings held on the 14 June 2018 (confirmed page 65), 12 July 2018 (confirmed page 77), 9 August 2018 (confirmed page 83) and 13 September 2018 (unconfirmed page 91).

17. Policy & Resources Committee

Minutes of the Policy & Resources Committee meeting held on the 19 July 2018 (confirmed page 99).

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH DOWNS NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITY

Members' Interests

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Members are required to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest that is not already entered in the Authority's register of interests, and any personal interest and/or public service interest (as defined in Paragraph 18 of the Authority's Code of Conduct) they may consider relevant to an item of business being considered at the meeting (such disclosure to be made at the commencement of the meeting, or when the interest becomes apparent).

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