



LOCAL ACCESS FORUM County Durham

County Durham Local Access Forum

Date Monday 14 April 2025
Time 5.00 pm
Venue Committee Room 2, County Hall, Durham

Business

1. Welcome, Introduction and Apologies
2. Declarations of Interest
3. Minutes of the Meeting held on 27 January 2025 (Pages 3 - 10)
4. National/Regional Issues
 - a) A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project (Pages 11 - 12)
To note the attached.
 - b) Environmental Land Management Schemes
To receive an update, if any from B Hodgson.
5. Update from Rights of Way Team (including Lost Ways)
6. Stockton and Darlington Railway - Walking and Cycling Routes
To receive update from M Ogden, Access and Rights of Way Team Leader
7. Durham City Green Corridor
To receive an update from M Ogden, Access and Rights of Way Team Leader
8. Public Access to Council-owned Land
To receive update
9. Active Travel Update (Pages 13 - 14)
To note the attached update from A Puddick, Senior Active Travel Officer
10. Northern Saints Trails
To receive an update from M Ogden, Access and Rights of Way Team Leader
11. Bright Water Landscape Project

To receive an update from M Ogden, Access and Rights of Way Team Leader and T Bolton.

12. North Pennines National Landscape Partnership (Pages 15 - 18)
To note the attached minutes of the North Pennines National Landscape Access and Recreation Working Group & Pennine National Trails Northern Working Group.
13. Health
To receive an update if available from H Barber, Senior Rights of Way Officer.
14. Membership Update
15. Member Training
16. Work Programme (Pages 19 - 20)
To consider and update the Work Programme
17. Date, Time and Venue of Next Meeting
Monday 21 July 2025, 5.00 p.m. – Site visit and meeting venue to be confirmed
18. Any other business of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration (subject to the Chair's approval).

Lucy Gladders
Secretary
County Durham Local Access Forum
8 April 2025

To: The Members of County Durham Local Access Forum