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| Committee and Date Shropshire Hills AONB Partnership |
| 29 July 2009 |
| 10.00am |

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Minutes of the meeting held on 26 February 2009

10.00am - 12.15pm

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Present

Local Authorities

Shrewsbury & Atcham Borough Council
Shropshire County Council
South Shropshire District Council

Cllr Tim Barker
Cllr James Gibson
Cllr Lee Chapman

Statutory/Voluntary Agencies & Individual members

Individual member
Individual member
Individual member
Individual member
LEADER Panel Chair
Parish Council representative
Parish Council representative
Campaign to Protect Rural England (CPRE)
Country Land & Business Association
Hereford Diocese
Institute of Chartered Foresters
Long Mynd & District Bridleways Association
National Farmers Union
Ramblers Association
South Shropshire Tourism Association
Teme Catchment Fisheries Association

George Chancellor (Vice Chair)
David Gibbon
Peter Norman (Chair)
Elizabeth Thomas
Glyn Barratt
Pat Fairclough
Bob Welch
Claire Cox
Stewart Minton-Beddoes
Rev Nick Read
John Voysey
Sue Lee
David Watson-Jones
David Shelley
Ian Kemsley
Tony Bostock

Observers/Officers

Shropshire County Council
Shrewsbury & Atcham Borough Council
South Shropshire District Council
Shropshire Hills AONB Team

Tim Ward
Karen Jones
David Francis
Clare Fildes
Phil Holden

Apologies for Absence

1. Apologies for absence were received from Ms Alison Caffyn (Individual Member), Mr David C Smith (SGS), Mr Leo Smith (Upper Onny Wildlife Group/ Shropshire Ornithological Society), Cllr William Parr (Bridgnorth DC), Mr Michael Whithouse (Caring for God's Acre), Ms Sally Powell, (Natural England), Joy Tetsill (AONB Team) and Peter Lindsell (Bridgnorth DC).

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting and explained that the meeting would receive two presentations and then would break into small groups for discussion prior to reconvening to draw everything together.

Shropshire Core Strategy: Issues and Options Consultations

2. The meeting received a presentation from David Francis Planning Policy Officer SSDC which outlined the reasons for the consultation and the options that were being put forward. He took the meeting through the proposals highlighting any that were of particular importance to the AONB. He then answered questions from members.

The Meeting then received a presentation from the AONB Manager which looked at the proposals from the perspective of the AONB and the effect that they would have on the AONB.

There was brief discussion by members prior to the meeting breaking up into small groups which discussed certain aspects of the proposals.

The meeting then reconvened and each group reported back to the meeting and discussion followed.

The Chair in closing the meeting thanked all those present for their contribution and commented that the discussion held would be used to guide a draft response from the Partnership, on which members would be consulted by email/post.