Shropshire Local Access Forum

Date: Wednesday 21 March 2017

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Date:Monday, 3 April 2017Time:2.00 pmVenue:Shrewsbury Room, Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury,Shropshire, SY2 6ND

You are requested to attend the above meeting. The Agenda is attached

Tim Ward Secretary to the Forum

Members of The Forum Name

Fields of Interest Trevor Allison Walking/Tourism Walking/Conservation Wildlife/Disabled Access Stephen Bell Motorised Vehicular Use/Conservation Wildlife/Disabled Access Gareph Boxley Peter Carr Walking/Canals Alex Carson-Taylor Rural Business/Land Owning/Farming/Conservation/Wildlife Will Chambers Cvcling Lee Chapman **Shropshire Council** Walking/Voluntary Activities/Community Chris Chillingworth Health/Tourism/Access Deb Hughes Janet Mees-Robinson Carriage Driving/Disabled Access/Tourism Stewart Pickering Motorised Vehicular Use/Countryside Volunteer/Walking Landowner/Conservation Wildlife/Farming Roger Plowden Zia Robins Horse Riding Tourism, Walking and Disabled Access Jim Stabler Shropshire Council Stuart West Horseriding/Carriage Driving/Voluntary Activities Mark Weston

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AGENDA

1 Welcome and Introductions

2 Apologies for Absence

3 Disclosable Pecuniary Interest

Members are reminded they must not participate in the discussion or vote on any matter in which they have a Disclosable Pecuniary Interest and should leave the room prior to the commencement of the debate.

4 Minutes and any matters arising

To confirm the minutes of the last meeting held on 19th January 2017 (**To** Follow)

5 Public Question Time

To receive any questions or petitions from members of the public, notice of which has been given in accordance with Procedure Rule 14. The deadline for this meeting is 5.00pm on Wednesday 29 March 2017.

6 Shropshire's Great Outdoors Strategy Board (Pages 1 - 12)

Clare Fildes, Outdoor Partnerships Enterprise Manager, will present the amended Constitution, proposed membership application process and timescales for the new Strategy Board.

7 Review of the Countryside Access Strategy and development of the next Rights of Way Improvement Plan (Pages 13 - 52)

Clare Fildes, Outdoor Partnerships Enterprise Manager, will present the draft Countryside Access Strategy review (attached). This is a working document and all comments/ amendments are welcome.

The current Countryside Access Strategy can be found here:

https://www.shropshire.gov.uk/media/268126/countryside-access-strategy-forshropshire-2008-2018.pdf

8 Off-road cycling

To receive a presentation from Mark Slater from Cycling UK on the new Off-road Cycling Report and proposed campaign to upgrade some footpaths as multiuser routes

9 Any other business and dates of future meetings

Future Meetings

(a) Future dates for 2017/18 starting at 10.00 a.m. are as follows:

1st June 2017 28th September 2017 25th January 2018