

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023

**Notice of meeting:**

**Wye Valley AONB Joint Advisory Committee**

**Monday, 3rd July, 2023 at 2.00 pm**  
**The Council Chamber, Forest of Dean District Council Offices, High Street, Coleford, GL16 8HG**

**AGENDA**

<b>Item No</b>	<b>Item</b>	<b>Pages</b>
1.	Election of Chair.	
2.	Appointment of Vice-Chair.	
3.	Apologies for Absence, Introductions & New Members.	
4.	Declarations of Interest.	
5.	Public Questions.	
6.	To confirm the minutes of the previous meeting dated 6th March 2023.	1 - 8
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7.	River Wye update.	9 - 12
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<b>11.</b>	<b>AONB Partnership Study Tour 2023 - Lower Wye Nature Networks project.</b>	<b>71 - 72</b>
<b>12.</b>	<b>Review of Designated Landscapes in England &amp; Wales.</b>	<b>73 - 76</b>
<b>13.</b>	<b>Partner and AONB Unit progress reports and updates (verbal update).</b>	<b>77 - 90</b>
<b>14.</b>	<b>Date of next meeting: Monday 6th November 2023 at 2.00pm - Forest of Dean District Council Offices.</b>	

**Paul Matthews**

**Chief Executive**

MONMOUTHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL  
CYNGOR SIR FYNWY

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE COMMITTEE IS AS FOLLOWS:

**Local Authority Members with Voting Powers**

**Gloucestershire:**

T. Hale  
G. Morgan

**Herefordshire:**

B. Durkin  
G. Biggs  
E. O'Driscoll  
Vacancy

**Monmouthshire:**

E. Bryn  
S. Garratt  
D. Rooke  
A.E. Webb

**Forest of Dean:**

D. Wheeler  
C. McFarling

**Town / Parish Community Councils with Voting Powers**

C. Evers – Gloucestershire Association of Parish / Town Councils  
R. Gething – Herefordshire Association Local Councils  
Councillor R. Edwards – One Voice Wales

**Co-opted Members with Voting Powers**

Vacancy – Voluntary Conservation Sector in Gloucestershire  
B. Nash - Voluntary Conservation Sector in Herefordshire  
A. Thomas - Voluntary Conservation Sector in Monmouthshire  
H. Dale – Country Land and Business Association  
M. Price – National Farmers Union

**Co-opted Members without Voting Powers**

C. Barron – Wye Valley Society  
R. Hesketh – River Wye Preservation Trust  
A. Lee – Recreation Sector  
R. Clay – Local Tourism Sector  
C. Spicer – Local Wildlife Trusts  
D. Price – National Farmers Union Wales

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# Aims and Values of Monmouthshire County Council

## Sustainable and Resilient Communities

### Outcomes we are working towards

#### **Nobody Is Left Behind**

- Older people are able to live their good life
- People have access to appropriate and affordable housing
- People have good access and mobility

#### **People Are Confident, Capable and Involved**

- People's lives are not affected by alcohol and drug misuse
- Families are supported
- People feel safe

#### **Our County Thrives**

- Business and enterprise
- People have access to practical and flexible learning
- People protect and enhance the environment

### Our priorities

- Schools
- Protection of vulnerable people
- Supporting Business and Job Creation
- Maintaining locally accessible services

### Our Values

- **Openness:** we aspire to be open and honest to develop trusting relationships.
- **Fairness:** we aspire to provide fair choice, opportunities and experiences and become an organisation built on mutual respect.
- **Flexibility:** we aspire to be flexible in our thinking and action to become an effective and efficient organisation.
- **Teamwork:** we aspire to work together to share our successes and failures by building on our strengths and supporting one another to achieve our goals.
- **Kindness:** We will show kindness to all those we work with putting the importance of relationships and the connections we have with one another at the heart of all interactions.

