

County Hall Rhadyr Usk NP15 1GA

Monday, 28 October 2024

## Notice of meeting:

# **Wye Valley AONB Joint Advisory Committee**

Monday, 4th November, 2024 at 2.00 pm, The Council Chamber, Forest of Dean District Council Offices, High Street, Coleford, GL16 8HG

### **AGENDA**

Item No	Item	Pages
1.	Apologies for Absence and Introductions.	
2.	Declarations of Interest.	
3.	Public Questions.	
4.	To confirm the minutes of the previous meeting - 8th July 2024:	1 - 10
4.1.	Matters arising (verbal update).	
	i. [2] Wye Bridge update. ii. [4] JAC review.	
	ii. [4] JAC review. iii. Renewables Position Statement.	
5.	National Landscape Funding and Memorandum of Understanding.	11 - 14
6.	Annual Report 2023/24:	
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8.	Farming in Protected Landscapes (FIPL), Sustainable Development Fund (SDF) and Herefordshire Community Foundation (HCF) Wye Valley National Landscape Fund.	45 - 48
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13.	Next Meetings (to be confirmed):	
	Monday 3rd March 2025 at 2.00pm. Monday 7th July 2025 at 2.00pm. Monday 3rd November 2025 at 2.00pm.	
	The meetings will be held in the Council Chamber, Forest of Dean District Council Offices, Coleford.	

## **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
- S. Cole

#### 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
- B. Vine Herefordshire Association Local Councils

Councillor L. Parker - 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**

#### Our purpose

To become a zero-carbon county, supporting well-being, health and dignity for everyone at every stage of life.

#### Objectives we are working towards

- Fair place to live where the effects of inequality and poverty have been reduced.
- Green place to live and work with reduced carbon emissions and making a positive contribution to addressing the climate and nature emergency.
- Thriving and ambitious place, where there are vibrant town centres and where businesses can grow and develop.
- Safe place to live where people have a home where they feel secure in.
- Connected place where people feel part of a community and are valued.

#### 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.