



Notice of Meeting of

## **LOCAL COMMUNITY NETWORK - WELLS AND RURAL**

**Thursday, 16 November 2023 at 7.00 pm**

**Wells Town Hall, Market Place, Wells, BA5 2RB**

To: The members of the Local Community Network - Wells and Rural

Chair: Councillor Edric Hobbs

Vice-chair: St Cuthbert Out Parish Councillor Tony Hathway

Councillor Theo Butt Philip  
Councillor Tessa Munt  
Councillor Heather Shearer  
Binegar  
Emborough  
Litton  
Priddy  
Wells City  
Wookey Parish

Councillor Edric Hobbs  
Councillor Tony Robbins  
Councillor Ros Wyke  
Chewton Mendip  
Godney  
North Wootton  
St Cuthbert Out  
Westbury Sub Mendip

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For further information about the meeting, including how to join the meeting virtually, please contact LCN Team [lcn@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:lcn@somerset.gov.uk).

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[lcnsomerset@gov.uk](mailto:lcnsomerset@gov.uk).

Issued by (the Proper Officer) on Wednesday, 8 November 2023

# **AGENDA**

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## **Core Membership (Pages 5 - 6)**

### **Click here to join the online meeting (Pages 7 - 8)**

#### **1 Apologies for Absence**

To receive any apologies for absence.

#### **2 Declarations of Interest**

To receive and note any declarations of interests in respect of any matters included on the agenda for consideration at this meeting.

(The other registrable interests of Councillors of Somerset Council, arising from membership of City, Town or Parish Councils and other Local Authorities will automatically be recorded in the minutes: [City, Town & Parish Twin Hatters - Somerset Councillors 2023](#) )

#### **3 Notes from the Previous Meeting (Pages 9 - 16)**

To approve the notes from the previous meeting.

#### **4 Update on Somerset Council Financial position**

To discuss the current financial position of the Somerset Council.

#### **5 Public Question Time**

The Chair to advise of any questions, statements or petitions received that are not covered by items on the agenda for the meeting on which members of the public have requested to speak.

#### **6 Topics continued from previous meeting**

To discuss matters arising from the notes not covered in later agenda items.

**6.1** Winter planning - presentation, Scott Mcmillan from Volunteer Network

**6.2** Active Travel - Discussion regarding maps, what we want from them

**6.3** Working groups going forward (Active Travel, Planning Policy)

**7** **Action and next Steps**

**8** **Dates of future meetings**