



Notice of Meeting of

## **LOCAL COMMUNITY NETWORK - MINEHEAD AND WATCHET**

**Wednesday, 7 February 2024 at 6.30 pm**

### **West Somerset House Council Chamber, Williton**

To: The members of the Local Community Network - Minehead and Watchet

Chair: Councillor Andy Sully  
Vice-chair: Cllr Brenda Maitland Walker - (Carhampton PC)

Councillor Mandy Chilcott  
Councillor Andy Hadley  
Councillor Christine Lawrence  
Councillor Rosemary Woods

Councillor Hugh Davies  
Councillor Marcus Kravis  
Councillor Mike Rigby

Ash Priors Parish Meeting  
Combe Florey Parish Council  
Dunster Parish Council  
East Quantoxhead Parish Meeting  
Lydeard St Lawrence & Tolland PC  
Monksilver Parish Council  
Old Cleeve Parish Council  
Stogumber Parish Council  
West Bagborough Parish Council  
Williton Parish Council

Bicknoller Parish Council  
Crowcombe Parish Council  
Elworthy Parish Meeting  
  
Minehead Town Council  
Nettlecombe Parish Council  
Sampford Brett Parish Council  
Watchet Town Council  
West Quantoxhead Parish Council  
Withycombe Parish Council

Avon and Somerset Police  
Devon and Somerset Fire Rescue Service  
Somerset Association of Local Councils  
WACET – Business Chamber  
Minehead Business Chamber  
Minehead Coastal Development Trust  
Somerset Activity Sports Partnership  
Spark Somerset  
Community Council for Somerset  
West Somerset Citizens Advice  
Somerset Rivers Authority  
Somerset Local Nature Partnership  
The Onion Collective  
West Somerset Flood Group  
Home Start West Somerset  
Quantock Landscapes (Prev AONB)  
Minehead Eye  
YMCA  
At West  
Watchet Coastal Community Team.

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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).

All members of the public are welcome to attend our meetings and ask questions or make a statement **by giving advance notice** in writing or by e-mail to the Monitoring Officer at email: [democraticservicesteam@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:democraticservicesteam@somerset.gov.uk) by **5pm on Thursday, 1 February 2024**.

The LCN team want everybody to have the opportunity to take part in the LCN meetings and have booked appropriate venues with accessibility requirements in mind. If you have specific access needs, and are at all concerned, please contact the LCN Team so they can provide reassurance or seek solutions beforehand: [lcn@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:lcn@somerset.gov.uk) or [mineheadandwatchetlcn@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:mineheadandwatchetlcn@somerset.gov.uk).

Issued by (the Proper Officer) on Tuesday, 30 January 2024

# **AGENDA**

**Local Community Network - Minehead and Watchet - 6.30 pm Wednesday, 7  
February 2024**

## **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 - 20)**

To approve the notes from the previous meeting.

### **4 Update on Actions from the Previous Meeting**

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

### **5 Update on Somerset Council's Financial Position**

- General Update
- Service and Asset Devolution
  - To include Williton Recycling Centre Closure

## **6 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.

## **7 Update on the Highway Steward Scheme and Highways Working Subgroup - Terms of Reference**

## **8 Priorities for action in 2024 - items for future meetings**

## **9 West Somerset Community Land Trust - Maureen Smith**

## **10 Dates and Agendas for the next meeting**