



Notice of Meeting of

**LOCAL COMMUNITY NETWORK - SHEPTON**

**Thursday, 11 January 2024 at 7.00 pm**

**Council Chamber, Council Offices, Cannards  
Grave Road, Shepton Mallet BA4 5BT**

To: The members of the Local Community Network - Shepton

Chair: Councillor Philip Ham  
Vice-chair: Councillor Claire Sully

Councillor Barry Clarke	Councillor Bente Height
Councillor Edric Hobbs	Councillor Martin Lovell
Councillor Tony Robbins	Councillor Alex Wiltshire
Ashwick	Batcombe
Chilcompton	Coleford Parish Council
Cranmore	Crocombe Parish Council
Doultling	Downhead
East Pennard	Evercreech
Holcombe	Kilmersdon
Leigh on Mendip	Milton Clevedon
Pilton	Pylle
Shepton Mallet	Stoke St Michael
Ston Easton	Stratton on the Fosse

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

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Issued by (the Proper Officer) on Wednesday, 3 January 2024

# **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's current financial position - Q&A**

### **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 Discussion on Highways and Transport issues**

## **7 Item suggestions for future meetings**

Item suggestions for future meetings:

a – Shepton Mallet Leisure Centre?

b – Working Groups going forward – HGV Issues?, Rural/Public Transport?

## **8 Dates of future meetings**