



Notice of Meeting of

LOCAL COMMUNITY NETWORK - TAUNTON

Tuesday, 26 March 2024 at 6.30 pm

John Meikle Room, The Deane House, Belvedere Road, Taunton TA1 1HE

To: The members of the Local Community Network - Taunton

Chair: Councillor Dawn Johnson

Vice-chair: Councillor John Hunt

Councillor Lee Baker

Councillor Tom Deakin

Councillor Derek Perry

Councillor Fran Smith

Councillor Liz Leyshon

Councillor Simon Coles

Councillor Caroline Ellis

Councillor Hazel Prior-Sankey

Councillor Federica Smith-Roberts

Councillor Dixie Darch

Councillor Habib Farbahi

Councillor Mike Rigby

Councillor Andy Sully

For further information about the meeting, including how to join the meeting virtually, please contact LCN Team lcn@somerset.gov.uk.

Please note:

Parking is available at Belvedere Rd Car Park – Free after 6pm.

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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: democraticservicsteam@somerset.gov.uk by **5pm on Wednesday, 20 March 2024**.

This meeting will be open to the public and press, subject to the passing of any resolution under the Local Government Act 1972, Schedule 12A: Access to Information.

The meeting will be webcast and an audio recording made.

Issued by (the Proper Officer) on Friday 14 March 2024

AGENDA

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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 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.

5 Support in the Community

To receive updates from Support in the Community:
Rhys Davies – Community Enterprise Adult Social Care
David Patterson – Wivey Cares

Break Out 10 Minutes – How can the Community Support our residents who need help due to age, illness or disability.

Cllr Sarah Wakefield ~ Portfolio Holder for Adult Social Care

6 Update on working groups

To receive an update on working groups:

Young People’s Working Group ~ Cllr Bev Fernandes
Interest for a Highways Working Group
Update on Community Emergency Planning Workshop.

7 Update on Actions from the Previous Meeting

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

8 Next meeting date

Taunton LCN AGM is on Monday 3rd June 2024.