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Fifty-Sixth meeting Devon Countryside Access Forum

Virtual meeting. For joining instructions please contact the Forum Officer for further details on attendance and / or public participation.

Thursday, 24 September 2020 at 10.00 am

The meeting will be open to the public in accordance with provisions of reg.7 of The Local Access Forums (England) Regulations 2007 (under s 94 and 95 of the Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000).

A G E N D A

1. Welcome and introductions
2. Apologies
3. Declarations of interest
4. Minutes of the meeting held on 23 January 2020 (Pages 1 - 12)
5. Matters arising
 - 5.1 Stover Country Park
 - 5.2 Jurassic Coast World Heritage Site Management Plan
 - 5.3 Fire Beacon Hill (Pages 13 - 14)
 - 5.4 Pebblebed Heaths Visitor Management Plan
 - 5.5 Mid Devon Local Plan Review – Proposed Main Modifications

The Devon Countryside Access Forum is a local access forum. It is required, in accordance with Sections 94 and 95 of the Countryside and Rights of Way (CRoW) Act 2000, to provide advice as to the improvement of public access to land for the purposes of open-air recreation and enjoyment

6. Correspondence log (Pages 15 - 26)
7. Election of Chair and Vice Chair
8. Public questions
9. Meetings attended by DCAF members
10. Minutes of the Public Rights of Way Committee held on 5 March 2020 (Pages 27 - 30)
11. Public Rights of Way update and discussion
12. Break - ten minutes
13. Advisory note on trails (Pages 31 - 34)

To approve revised document.

14. Annual Report 2019-2020
15. To note and approve responses to consultations and any feedback
 - 15.1 Network Rail. Public consultation on revised plans to protect the vital rail line between Teignmouth and Dawlish. (Pages 35 - 38)

To note and approve response following the working group meeting.
 - 15.2 England Coast Path (Pages 39 - 46)

To note and approve response sent following the working group meeting. The Natural England consultation was for the sections between Combe Martin and Marsland Mouth and Cremyll and Kingswear.
 - 15.3 North Devon Pioneer Environmental Land Management Scheme (Pages 47 - 50)

To note and approve response submitted.
 - 15.4 Tiverton EUE (Area B) Public Consultation (Pages 51 - 54)

To note and approve response sent to Mid Devon District Council.
 - 15.5 Public Spaces Protection Orders (dogs) (Pages 55 - 80)

To note and approve responses to consultations from four district councils;

Mid Devon, North Devon, South Hams and West Devon.

15.6 Marsh Barton Railway Station (Pages 81 - 86)

To note and approve DCAF response to the formal Devon County Council planning application and earlier pre-application advice.

15.7 England Tree Strategy (Pages 87 - 88)

To note and approve response to the England Tree Strategy, Defra.

16. Current consultations

16.1 Planning for the Future

Consultation on proposals for reform of the planning system in England. Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government.

16.2 Review of the Highway Code (Pages 89 - 94)

The Department for Transport is carrying out this consultation on proposals to amend The Highway Code as part of its Cycling and Walking Investment Strategy safety review. To consider a few questions most relevant to the DCAF.

17. Any other business

18. Date of next meeting

Thursday, 21 January 2021 10.00 a.m.

Notice of questions from the public should be submitted in writing four working days before the Forum meeting. At the discretion of the Chair members of the public may be invited to ask a question or make a statement.