



Somerset
Council

Local Community Network

Exmoor Area

Annual General Meeting

Thursday 5 June 2025: 7 - 9pm

**The Moorland Hall, Cutcombe,
Wheddon Cross TA24 7DL**

Please note:

Parking is available onsite or at the Rest and Be Thankful car park.

We want everybody to have the opportunity to take part in the LCN meetings - fully and comfortably - and have booked appropriate venues with accessibility requirements in mind.

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Agenda

1. Election of Chairperson

Only members of the core membership are eligible to be nominated as the Chair. Either the Chair or Vice-Chair of the LCN shall be a Somerset Councillor.

Only voting members can make nominations. The nomination must be seconded to be valid.

2. Election of Vice Chairperson

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Only voting members can make nominations. The nomination must be seconded to be valid.

3. To receive any apologies for absence

4. Approve the minutes of the last meeting

The notes from the meeting held on Thursday 6 March 2025 are attached.

5. Matters arising (not part of later agenda items)

6. Avon and Somerset Police

7. A presentation from West Somerset Citizens Advice By Ian Atkinson, Chief Officer

With an emphasis on financial resilience and personal financial services offered by the advice centre, including access to benefits.

8. Progress on Devolution from Somerset Council

Please find attached committee papers from Corporate and Resources Scrutiny Committee for reference purposes.

9. Exmoor National Park Authority Issues

10. Update on Working Groups

- a. Highways (notes attached)
- b. Housing
- c. Economic Subgroup

11. To consider the Local Community Network Annual Report for 2024-25.

The draft annual report is attached.

12. To determine the priorities and areas of focus for the LCN in the next 12 months

13. To agree the schedule of meetings for the next 12 months.

Proposed Exmoor LCN Dates Venues to be confirmed	Highways Sub-Group Dates – Dulverton Sports Pavilion
Thursday 4 September at 6.30pm including Annual Highways Meeting (Winter Operations)	Friday 17 October 10am – 1pm
Thursday 6 November at 7pm	Friday 28 November 10am – 1pm
Thursday 15 January at 7pm	Friday 20 February 10am – 1pm
Thursday 5 March at 7pm	Friday 17 April 10am – 1pm
Thursday 4 June at 7pm (AGM)	Friday 10 July 10am – 1pm
