

Central Local Area Committee

Thursday 13 July 2023 at 6.00 pm

St Mary's Church, Howard Road,
Walkley, Sheffield, S6 3RX

The Press and Public are Welcome to Attend



Local Area
Committees

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Councillor Brian Holmshaw
Councillor Maleiki Haybe
Councillor Angela Argenzio
Councillor Christine Gilligan
Kubo
Councillor Tom Hunt
Councillor Douglas Johnson
Councillor Bernard Little
Councillor Toby Mallinson
Councillor Laura McClean
Councillor Ruth Mersereau
Councillor Henry Nottage
Councillor Martin Phipps

PUBLIC ACCESS TO THE MEETING

Local Area Committees engage, enable, and empower communities across the city with increasing control over decision making, marking a major shift in power to communities. The Committees provide a geographical framework that, over time, will be used to prioritise and direct the local delivery of an increasing number of Council services and oversee the production of a co-produced annual Area Committee Plan which will reflect resident priorities.

A copy of the agenda and reports is available on the Council's website at www.sheffield.gov.uk. You may not be allowed to see some reports because they contain confidential information. These items are usually marked * on the agenda.

Members of the public have the right to ask questions or submit petitions to Area Committee meetings and recording is allowed under the direction of the Chair.

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Local Area Committee meetings are normally open to the public but sometimes the Committee may have to discuss an item in private. If this happens, you will be asked to leave. Any private items are normally left until last.

Local Area Committee executive decisions are effective six working days after the meeting has taken place, unless called-in for scrutiny by the relevant Scrutiny Committee or referred to the City Council meeting, in which case the matter is normally resolved within the monthly cycle of meetings.

In order for us to be able to effectively facilitate attendance at the meeting, we would encourage all attendees to notify us of your attendance in advance by contacting the [Area Committee Team](#) or emailing committee@sheffield.gov.uk

It is recommended that you wear a face covering in crowded and enclosed spaces where you come into contact with people you don't normally meet. We also encourage washing or sanitising your hands frequently - hand sanitiser will be provided. Please do not attend if you test positive for Covid-19 or if you are experiencing any Covid-19 symptoms.

If you require any further information please contact email committee@sheffield.gov.uk.

**CENTRAL LOCAL AREA COMMITTEE AGENDA
13 JULY 2023**

Order of Business

- 1. Welcome and Housekeeping Arrangements**
- 2. Apologies for Absence**
- 3. Exclusion of Public and Press**
To identify items where resolutions may be moved to exclude the press and public
- 4. Declarations of Interest** (Pages 5 - 8)
Members to declare any interests they have in the business to be considered at the meeting
- 5. Central LAC Update (5 Minutes)**
Presentation by Adeel Zahman - Community Services Manager
- 6. The Councils Parks and Countryside Service (5 Minutes)**
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- 7. Presentation on the work of the Green Spaces Forum in Sheffield (10 Minutes)**
Presentation by Ted Talbot - Director of Place, Green Estate and also Chair of the Sheffield Green Spaces Forum
- 8. Update on Task and Finish Group setup by Communities, Parks and Leisure Committee (3 Minutes)**
Update from Councillor Bernard Little
- 9. Nature Recovery Sheffield Presentation (5 Minutes)**
Presentation by Dr Nicky Rivers Advocacy and Development Manager – Sheffield and Rotherham Wildlife Trust
- 10. Interactive Breakout Discussions (45 Minutes)**

Table 1 - How can we support **Parks and Countryside** to deliver appropriate, quality green spaces given budget pressures?

Table 2- How can **Green and Blue (rivers, canals, ponds) spaces** work better together?

Table 3- What **skills, resources and support** do we need to

tackle the biodiversity and nature emergency?

Table 4- How can the **Sheffield public** help us to improve our Open Spaces?

Table 5 – Come and Speak to LAC officers on project ideas and your areas

11. Feedback from Breakout Session (3 Minutes per table)

12. Public Questions and Petitions (10 Minutes)

To receive any questions or petitions from members of the public

13. Minutes of Previous Meeting

To approve the minutes of the meeting of the Area Committee held on

(Pages 9 - 18)

NOTE: The next meeting of Central Local Area Committee will be held on Tuesday 3 October 2023 at 6.00 pm

