

## **NORTHUMBERLAND NATIONAL PARK AND COUNTRYSIDE JOINT LOCAL ACCESS FORUM**

**Meeting to be held on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2003 at 6.00pm  
at The Clock Room, Blagdon, Seaton Burn, Northumberland.  
Members to be in attendance from 5.30 pm**

**After the main body of the meeting has been concluded, there will be a short presentation, from NNPA, on a selection of the Countryside Agency's responses to representations made by Northumberland National Park and Countryside Joint Local Access Forum regarding the draft maps of Registered Common Land and Open Country for Area 5.**

**Copies of all the Countryside Agency's responses will be on display on the evening, as will the Provisional Maps for Registered Common Land and Open Country for Area 5.**

### **AGENDA**

- 1. Welcome**
- 2. Apologies for Absence**
- 3. Declarations of Interest**  
In accordance with paragraph 6 of The Local Access Forums (England) Regulations 2002 members are asked to declare any direct or indirect personal interests (including financial) in relation to items on the agenda for this meeting and shall disclose the nature of those interests to the meeting.
- 4. Minutes**  
To confirm the Minutes of the meeting held on 30<sup>th</sup> September 2003 (previously circulated).
- 5. Public Participation**  
To receive any questions from the public which have been submitted.
- 6. Update on timetable for Provisional Maps for Area 4. Area 5 to be discussed at end of meeting.**
- 7. Chillingham White Cattle – update.**
- 8. Relationship with National Countryside Access Forum – update.**
- 9. North of England LAF Group October 2003 – update.**

10. **Removal or Relaxation of General Restrictions on Access Land under Part 1 of the Countryside Rights of Way Act 2000.**
11. **Rights of Way Improvement Plan - Update.**
12. **Countryside Agency Signage issues.**
13. **Northumberland County Council Countryside Section budget issues.**
14. **LAF response to above.**
15. **Hadrian's Wall Bus Service.**
16. **Engagement of Members. – Membership of working groups. (see attached).**
17. **Tenure of Forum Membership.**
18. **Future Training Issues.**
19. **RPS Consultation on Otterburn.**
20. **Such other Business which, in the opinion of the Chairman, should be considered as a matter of urgency.**
21. **Update on Forum Members' Activities.**
22. **Date and time of Next Meeting.**

**Presentation to follow.**

The meetings of the Northumberland National Park and Countryside Joint Local Access Forum will be open to the press and public.

In accordance with the provisions of regulation 7 of The Local Access Forums (England) Regulations 2002 (under s 94 and 95 of the Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000]

**MEMBERSHIP OF THE NORTHUMBERLAND NATIONAL PARK AND COUNTRYSIDE JOINT LOCAL ACCESS FORUM**

Bryan Harwood	Chair	Richard Cross	Deputy Chair
Erica Bamford		Sue Bolam	
James Boulton		Pamela Brooks	
Peter Clark		Jo Deniel-Rowe	
Ian Douglas		Richard Fordham	
Graham Gill		Trevor Hardy	
Kevin Heymann		Ted Liddle	
Pam Neal		Janet Robinson	
Nick Rossiter		Pat Scott	
Michael Walton		Mark Wood	