



Meeting of the West Sussex Local Access Forum Wednesday 20 October 2021

A meeting of the West Sussex Local Access Forum (WSLAF) will be held at 10.30am, Wednesday 20 October 2021. Due to WSCC COVID restrictions the meeting will take place online and invites have been sent to all WSLAF members.

Agenda

1. **Apologies and welcomes** 10:30am
2. **Introductions** 10:35am
 - a) New WSLAF members: Janet Duncton, WSCC, & Andrew Baldwin, WSCC
 - b) WSCC Rights of Way Officer, Public Path Orders: Ami Dye
3. **Minutes of the Forum** 10:45am
 - a) Minutes of formal meeting of 28 April 2021
 - i. To approve minutes of the previous formal meeting
 - ii. Actions and matters arising not covered by agenda
 - b) Minutes of informal meeting of 14 July 2021
 - iii. Actions and matters arising not covered by agenda
4. **Any urgent matters to be considered not on the agenda** 11:00am
5. **Planning matters – how can WSCC & WSLAF support each other** 11:05am

An update by Donna Trethewey, Planning and Communities Officer, WSCC Public Rights of Way, on strategic planning work, including major road schemes
6. **Countryside Service’s shared use routes surface specification** 11:25am
7. **Consultations and advice** 11:30am
 - a) **Current consultations**
 - i. Lyminster bypass – WSCC (pre-formal consultation input)
 - ii. A259 Chichester to Bognor Regis Corridor Feasibility Study - WSCC
 - b) **Consultation responses, advice given**
 - i. West Sussex Local Transport Plan Review 2022-2036 - WSCC
 - ii. Rampion 2
 - iii. Arundel to Ford Pathways – Arun DC and Arundel Cycling and Walking Group
 - iv. South Downs Design Guide, Supplementary Planning Document - SDNPA

- v. Agriculture Act 2020 & Environment Land Management Schemes (ELMS) – Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs
- vi. Scaynes Hill to Lindfield cycle/walkway – Scaynes Hill Sustainability Group

All of the above responses have been circulated to members

8. **WSLAF's work** 11:50am

To agree WSLAF's work and priorities. *A briefing note has been circulated to members*

9. **Downs Link / A281 crossing at Rudgwick** 12:00noon

An update from Andy Ekinsmyth, Head of Transport and Network Operations, WSCC

10. **General Report** 12:20pm

To note a written report on items of interest to members of the Forum (copy attached). If members have questions regarding the General Report, please contact Jane Noble, Forum Officer, prior to the meeting.

11. **Dates of Next Formal Meetings** 12:25pm

- Informal: January TBD
- Formal: Wednesday 27 April 2022 – AGM Chichester/online

12. **AONB** 12:30pm