

Notice of meeting and agenda

Pentland Hills Regional Park Joint Committee

12.00 Noon, Tuesday, 8th September, 2020

Meeting will be held by Teams

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1. Order of Business

- 1.1 Including any notices of motion and any other items of business submitted as urgent for consideration at the meeting.

2. Declaration of Interests

- 2.1 Members should declare any financial and non-financial interests they have in the items of business for consideration, identifying the relevant agenda item and the nature of their interest.

3. Deputations

- 3.1 If any.

4. Minutes

- 4.1 Minute of the Pentland Hills Regional Park Joint Committee of 24.02.20 – submitted for approval as a correct record 5 - 14

5. Regional Park Issues

- 5.1 Operation Boxy – verbal report by Police Inspector Murray Tait
- 5.2 Managing Increased Vehicular Access and irresponsible Camping in the Pentland Hills Regional Park – report by the Executive Director of Place (circulated) 15 - 28

- 5.3 Pentland Hills Regional Park Management Update - verbal report by the Parks, Greenspace and Cemeteries Manager

- 5.4 Strategic Management Plan - Update on the Final Draft - verbal report by the Senior Natural Heritage Officer

- 5.5 Update on Heritage Lottery Fund Pentland Path Project - verbal report by Senior Natural Heritage Officer

6. Any Other Urgent Committee Business

- 6.1 Farmers and Landowners – Any Other Items they would like to see in the Consultative Forum Agenda

7. Dates of Next Meetings

- 7.1 Dates for future meetings –

PHRP Consultative Forum	To be confirmed.
PHRP Joint Committee	To be confirmed.

Laurence Rockey

Head of Strategy and Communications

Pentland Hills Regional Park Joint Committee Members

Voting Members

The City of Edinburgh Council: Councillors Neil Gardiner (Convener), Graeme Bruce, and Ricky Henderson.

Midlothian Council: Councillors Russell Imrie, Kelly Parrie and Pauline Winchester.

West Lothian Council: Councillor Damian Timson.

Non-voting members:

Scottish Water: Alan Fail.

Scottish Natural Heritage: Janice Winning.

East Lothian Council (to be nominated).

Farming: Bob Barr (NFU).

Landowning: Clare Sturla (SLE).

Information about the Pentland Hills Regional Park Joint Committee

The Joint Committee is responsible for the funding and governance of the Regional Park and comprises elected members from the constituent local authorities covering the area of the Regional Park, and other public bodies with an interest in the area, and a representative each from the farming and landowning interests. The Joint Committee meets at least twice each year.

Further information

If you have any questions about the agenda or meeting arrangements, please contact Blair Ritchie, Committee Services, City of Edinburgh Council, Waverley Court, Business Centre 2.1, 4 East Market Street, Edinburgh EH8 8BG Tel 0131 529 4085, e-mail blair.ritchie@edinburgh.gov.uk

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