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### **NEW FOREST NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITY**

## **AUTHORITY MEETING – 27 January 2022**

### APPOINTMENT TO VACANCY ON PLANNING COMMITTEE

**Report by**: David Stone, Manager of Corporate Services

# 1. Committee vacancy

- 1.1 At the Annual Authority meeting on 21 October 2021, members appointed the membership of committees and appointments to external bodies for the ensuing year.
- 1.2 On 17 November 2021 the Authority was advised by New Forest District Council that Barry Rickman would be replaced by Diane Andrews as their representative on the New Forest National Park Authority.
- 1.3 Barry Rickman was a member of the Planning Committee and accordingly a vacancy for a local authority member has been created on that Committee.
- 1.4 In consultation with the Authority Chair, it has been agreed to offer this vacancy to be filled by interested local authority members at the Authority meeting on 27 January 2022. Once agreed, the appointment to the Planning Committee will be until the Annual Authority meeting in October 2022 when the membership of all Committees will be reviewed and reappointed for the ensuing year.
- 1.5 Members are kindly requested to note that the above vacancy will need to be filled only by a local authority member on the Authority.
- 1.6 Barry Rickman did not represent the Authority on any outside bodies and accordingly there are no such vacancies to be filled.

#### RECOMMENDATION

1. That an appointment be made to fill the vacancy for a local authority member on the Planning Committee for the period up until the Annual Authority meeting in October 2022 or until such earlier time as the Authority wishes to amend the membership.

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**Equality Impact Assessment:** There are no equality or diversity implications arising directly from this report.