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NOTICE OF MEETING

Meeting: **National Park Authority Meeting**
Date: **4 October 2013**
Time: **10.00 am**
Venue: **Aldern House Baslow Road Bakewell**

JIM DIXON
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

AGENDA

PART A

1. **Apologies for absence.**
2. **Chairs Announcements**
2. **Minutes of the meeting held on 5 July 2013:** approve as a correct record.
3. **Urgent Business.**
6. **Public Participation.**

To note any questions or to receive any statements, representations, deputations and petitions which relate to the published reports on Part A of the Agenda.

7. **Members Declarations of Interest.**

Members are asked to declare any disclosable pecuniary, personal or prejudicial interests they may have in relation to items on the agenda for this meeting.

8. **Budget Planning: Allocation of one off extra resource. (A137/RMM)** 15 Mins
Appendix 1
9. **Amendment to Members' Code of Conduct – Recommendation from the Meeting of the Audit and Resources Committee meeting on 20 September 2013 (A.111/JS)** 15 Mins
Appendix 1
10. **Members' Learning and Development Annual Report (A.111/RC)** 10 Mins
Appendix 1

11. Items for approval with no discussion

At the Authority meeting held on 5 October Members agreed to introduce a trial of the Chair identifying agenda items where there would be no discussion unless there was an advance request from an individual member for a discussion to take place. The Chair has agreed that the following items will be dealt with in this way:

- 1. Amendments to Part 2 of Standing Orders and the Confidential Reporting/Whistle-Blowing Policy (A.111/AGM)**
Appendix 1

In the event of not completing its business within 3 hours of the start of the meeting, in accordance with the Authority's Standing Orders, the Authority will decide whether or not to continue the meeting. If the Authority decides not to continue the meeting it will be adjourned and the remaining business considered at the next scheduled meeting.

If the Authority has not completed its business by 1.00pm and decides to continue the meeting the Chair will exercise discretion to adjourn the meeting at a suitable point for a 30 minute lunch break after which the committee will re-convene.

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To: National Park Authority Members

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