

OUTSIDE BODY AND CONFERENCE FEEDBACK REPORT

Name of Body	Meeting, Member Champion, Cultural Heritage and Landscapes, with PDNPA professional officers
Date of Meeting	5 August 2020
Member in attendance	Ken Smith
Supporting Officer	Suzanne Fletcher plus team managers Anna Badcock & Rhodri Thomas, and Karen Shelley-Jones, Manager, South West Peak Landscape Partnership
Issues raised at the meeting of significance to the Authority	
1.	Defra ELM 'Deep Dive': I fed back from this one-off meeting between Defra and the historic environment sector (I attended as Chair of Trustees of the Council for British Archaeology) re the opportunities presented by historic environment options in the developing ELM agri-environment scheme.
2.	National Tree Strategy: an up-date on the developing Authority response to this national consultation, including balances between short-term impacts of planting and longer-term natural regeneration.
3.	Peatland Strategy: an up-date on the developing response to this consultation, including issues such as the balance between tree cover and work such as that achieved by Moors for the Future; the appropriateness of targets; and what is meant by 'restoration'?
4.	Local Nature Recovery Strategy: an up-date on Local Nature Partnership work and this developing initiative, with pilots in Cumbria, Bucks, Gtr Manchester, Northumberland and Cornwall.
Issues on which the views of Authority Members are sought	
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Relevant documents such as reports and hyperlinks	
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