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Dear Applicant

Application for Membership of the Dorset Local Access Forum

Thank you for your interest in the Dorset Local Access Forum. The Forum is a statutory body that provides independent advice to numerous local, regional and national organisations with regards to improving public rights of way and green space for people to enjoy by foot, horse, bike and car. The Forum's work concerns a wide range of issues, for example, play and outdoor recreation, sustainable transport, health, tourism, disability, equality & diversity, local economy, planning & development and land-management (agriculture/forestry/environmental conservation). We seek to recruit a balance of members to represent all the above themes/issues.

If you have the time, experience and enthusiasm to make a valuable and constructive contribution to the work of the forum, an application pack is available at <https://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/get-involved-dlaf>

This information pack includes:-

- Application Form
- Person Specification
- Information About the Dorset Local Access Forum

Additional information about the Forum including agendas and minutes of previous meetings can be found on the DLAF website <https://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/dorset-local-access-forum>. The closing date for applications is **7th November 2021**. We will notify you of the selection panel's decision within 4 weeks after the closing date.

Members should be available for the next meeting of the Forum which is to be held on **Friday 25th November 2021**. Subsequent meetings will be held in March, July and November 2022.

Please do not hesitate to contact Tara Hansford, the Forum co-ordinator tel:01305 221779 email tara.hansford@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk if you have any queries or matters you would like to discuss about the Forum or the application process.

Yours sincerely

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