



## Steering Group Meeting Minutes

10.00 am 15/06/22

<b>Attended</b>	<b>Paul Clarke</b> Middlesbrough Borough Council; <b>Graham Clingan</b> Stockton Borough Council; <b>Chris Francis</b> RSPB; <b>Rachel Murtagh</b> TVNP; <b>Sarah Scarr</b> Hartlepool Borough Council; <b>Judy Power</b> Tees Rivers Trust; <b>Sarah Scarr</b> Hartlepool Council; <b>Briony Fox</b> North York Moors National Park; <b>Jim Smith</b> Forestry Commission; <b>Cara Courage</b> Natural England; <b>Gail Buzzard</b> National Trust; <b>Abedin Mohammad</b> Teesside University;
<b>Apologies</b>	<b>David Hand</b> Darlington Borough Council; <b>Geraldine Brown</b> TVCA; <b>Timothy Crawshaw</b> Chair TVNP; <b>Eddie Halstead</b> Environment Agency; <b>Ben Lamb</b> Tees Rivers Trust; <b>Jeremy Garside</b> Tees Valley Wildlife Trust; <b>Clare Deasy</b> Northumbrian Water
<b>Chair</b>	<b>Graeme Hull</b> Environment Agency
<b>Secretariat</b>	<b>Louise Richards</b> TVNP

Agenda Item	Notes	Action
<b>SG/01.02.22</b>	<i>Welcome and Introduction</i>  Introducing new members: – Cara Courage – Gail Buzzard – Briony Fox – Abedin Mohammad	
<b>SG/02.02.22</b>	<i>Putting us in the Picture</i>  <b>RM</b> gave a presentation of where we currently are with the past business plan and the work we have done towards the next business plan.	
<b>SG/03.02.22</b>	<i>Business plan actions</i>  A workshop based around the actions from the last business plan and what needs including/reworking/removing for the next business plan.	
<b>SG/04.02.22</b>	<i>Actions and Milestones</i>  A workshop based on the previous activity, reworking any actions that need attention and adding new actions for the next business plan	
<b>SG/05.02.22</b>	<i>Key Priorities – Short Term</i>  <b>RM</b> gave a presentation on the key priorities of TVNP in the short term.	
<b>SG/06.02.22</b>	<i>Update from working groups and AOB</i>  <b>NAWG</b> Bowesfield Nature Reserve Extension <a href="#">Proposal attached</a>  Part of the site was never designated as an LWS, so it was proposed to extend the LWS to include the entire site. Steering group agreed to the proposal which will be sent to Stockton-On-Tees Council  The group were also concerned about the lack of decision for a responsible body for the LNRS strategy which was raised at the SG	<b>LR</b> to send the proposal to Stockton-On-Tees Council
<b>Date of next meeting: 10.00am 21<sup>st</sup> of September 2022</b>		