

Appointments to Outside Bodies

Outside Body	Background	Representatives	Allowances / Expenses	LGA Contact Officer
<p>Motorists Forum</p> <p>Michael Dnes Department for Transport Great Minster House London SW1P 4DR</p> <p>0207 944 6310 michael.dnes@dft.gsi.gov.uk</p>	<p>The Motorists Forum is intended to be the primary regular channel through which road users and other key stakeholders from the roads and motoring sector contribute to government thinking on priorities for and performance of roads. The Forum will both have a role in helping to shape topics of current interest, and setting a longer term strategic direction for roads and motoring policies.</p> <p>LGA representative to be invited by the Chair of the Motorists Forum when an LGA perspective is sought.</p>	<p>1 place</p> <p>Cllr Neil Clarke, Rushcliffe BC (Conservative)</p>	<p>LGA will cover reasonable travel and subsistence</p>	<p>Charles Loft charles.loft@local.gov.uk 020 7665 3874</p> <p>Eamon Lally eamon.lally@local.gov.uk 020 7664 3132</p>
<p>Bus Partnership Forum</p> <p>Mark Hrabí Department for Transport 55 Victoria Street London SW1H 0EU Mark.Hrabí@dft.gsi.gov.uk</p>	<p>Brings together senior representatives from the bus industry, central and local government.</p>	<p>4 places</p> <p>Cllr Shona Johnstone, Cambridgeshire CC (Conservative)</p> <p>Cllr Tony Page, Reading BC (Labour)</p> <p>Vacancy (Liberal Democrat)</p> <p>Cllr Mike Haines, Teignbridge DC (Independent)</p>	<p>LGA will cover reasonable travel and subsistence.</p>	<p>Charles Loft charles.loft@local.gov.uk 020 7665 3874</p> <p>Eamon Lally eamon.lally@local.gov.uk 020 7664 3132</p>

Appointments to LGA bodies

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Rural Commission LGA	Provides a forum in which rural authorities can discuss common issues and share good practice. It ensures the LGA considers rural needs, priorities and aspirations. It helps the LGA promote the role and interests of rural areas and their communities.	1 place Cllr Anne Western, Derbyshire CC (Labour)	No expenses or allowance paid	Eleanor Gasse eleanor.gasse@local.gov.uk 020 7664 3124 Virginia Ponton virginia.ponton@local.gov.uk 0207 664 3068
Urban Commission Steering Committee LGA	Provides a forum in which urban authorities can discuss common issues and share good practice. It assists the LGA in considering urban needs, priorities and aspirations. It helps the LGA promote the role and interests of urban areas and their communities.	1 place Cllr Andrew Carter, Leeds CC (Conservative)	No expenses or allowance paid	Nick Porter nick.porter@local.gov.uk 020 7664 3113 Virginia Ponton virginia.ponton@local.gov.uk 0207 664 3068

Appointments to SIGs

Transport Futures Stuart Wrigley, Secretary stuart.wrigley@btconnect.com 01253 727950	The Public Transport Consortium (PTC) is a Special Interest Group within the Local Government Association. The group promotes public transport issues on behalf of local authorities outside of metropolitan areas, supporting effective local decisions on public transport for the benefit of local citizens.	4 places Cllr Shona Johnstone, Cambridgeshire CC (Conservative) Cllr Heather Kidd, Shropshire CC (Liberal Democrat) Cllr Tony Page, Reading BC (Labour) Cllr Mike Haines, Teignbridge DC (Independent)	LGA will cover reasonable travel and subsistence	Charles Loft charles.loft@local.gov.uk 020 7665 3874 Eamon Lally eamon.lally@local.gov.uk 020 7664 3132
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