

Area Committee Representatives

Role: To ensure the views and recommendations of the member Councils are shared with other representatives of the Area Committee. To cascade information from the Area Committee back to the member Council for their information and action as Necessary

Approximate time commitment: Attendance at four quarterly Area Committee's (usually held between 7 pm and 9 pm). Additionally, there may be other time commitments/responsibilities should the Area Committee elect the person to represent them at external meetings.

Skills and experience: Knowledge of Community and Town Councils / Local Government
Approachable and contactable
Excellent communicator
Reliable and committed.
Friendly
Approachable
Leader
Enthusiastic
Open to new ideas
Supportive to other Community or Town Councillors/Clerks

Support / Training: Support from the regional Development Officer covering the Area Committee.

Key Tasks

To regularly attend meetings of the Area Committee and to feed in the views of their Council to the Area Committee and likewise to feedback to their Council information received at the Area Committee for their information and action as necessary e.g., training courses, policy consultations, good practice, guidance documents, consultancy.

Benefits of being your Council's One Voice Wales Area Committee representative:

- A brilliant CV booster – working with One Voice Wales staff and regional Councillors furthering the work of the Community and Town Council Sector.
- Satisfaction from doing something to make a difference within the Community and Town Council sector and region as well as your local community.
- Development of your interests to potentially become a National Executive Committee member or another part of the One Voice Wales governance structure

i.e., supporting One Voice Wales policy work and helping to develop sector responses to Welsh Government policy consultations.

- Social benefits – a chance to get out, have fun and meet some new people.
- Supporting your local community – putting something back into your community, personal satisfaction knowing you have helped others.

For further information, please contact your One Voice Wales Regional Development Officer