

---

**REPRESENTATION ON OTHER BODIES 2009/10**

---

**Responsible Cabinet Member - Councillor John Williams, Leader**

**Responsible Director - Paul Wildsmith, Director of Corporate Services**

---

**SUMMARY REPORT**

**Purpose of the Report**

1. To consider this Council's representation on other bodies for the 2009/10 Municipal Year, to which Cabinet appoints.

**Recommendation**

2. It is recommended that the appointments to the other bodies, as detailed in paragraph 6 of the main report, for the 2009/10 Municipal Year, be approved

**Reasons**

3. The recommendation is supported to comply with the nominations received from the Political Groups.

**Paul Wildsmith  
Director of Corporate Services**

**Background Papers**

No background papers were used in the preparation of this report.

Lynne Wood : Extension 2287

S17 Crime and Disorder	The report contributes to the prevention of crime and disorder, in a number of ways, through the involvement of local elected representatives in a number of outside bodies.
Health and Well Being	The appointment of local elected representatives to various outside bodies will enable the health and well-being of the people of the Borough to be highlighted through the work, policies and decisions of those bodies.
Sustainability	The appointment of local elected representatives to a range of key local and national bodies, will enable sustainability to be considered in the development of policies and other decisions through those bodies.
Diversity	The report contributes to diversity in a number of ways through the involvement of local elected representatives on a range of key local and national bodies, and the development of policies and other decisions through those bodies.
Wards Affected	This report does not immediately affect any wards within the Borough.
Groups Affected	This report does not have any affect on any particular parts of the community.
Budget and Policy Framework	This report does not recommend a change to the Council's budget or policy framework.
Key Decision	This is a non Executive decision.
Urgent Decision	This is not an urgent decision.
One Darlington: Perfectly Placed	The report contributes to the delivery of the objectives of the community strategy in a number of ways through the involvement of local elected representatives on a range of key local and national bodies, and the development of policies and other decisions through those bodies.
Efficiency	There are no direct efficiencies to the Council from the information contained within this report. There is cost to the Council in attendance to meetings of bodies outside Darlington.

## MAIN REPORT

### Information and Analysis

4. Listed below are details of nominations made to other bodies which have, for ease of reference, been listed in alphabetical order.
5. In accordance with this Council's Constitution, a number of appointments have been made by Annual Council at its meeting held on 21st May, 2009, and listed below are those appointments to be made by Cabinet.
6. The details show nominations received from the Labour, Conservative and the Liberal Democrat Groups for the 2009/10 Municipal Year.

Name of Body or Organisation	Labour Group Nomination(s)	Conservative Group and Liberal Democrat Nomination(s)
Arts Council England North East	Cabinet Member with Health and Leisure Portfolio (Councillor Harker) and Chair of Economy and Environment Scrutiny Committee (Councillor Long)	
Charitable Organisations for the Blind (COB)	Councillor Swift	
County Durham and Darlington Foundation Trust – Board of Governors	Councillor Copeland	
County Durham Waste Management Partnership Steering Group	Cabinet Member with Sustainable Environment and Climate Change Portfolio (Councillor Wallis)	
Darlington and District Youth and Community Association (2002)	Councillor Baldwin	Councillor Nicholson
Darlington Borough Council Fostering Panel	Councillor Nutt	
Darlington College Corporation Board	No Vacancies	
Darlington Partnership Board	Leader of the Council (Councillor Williams) and Cabinet Member with Communities and Engagement Portfolio (Councillor A. J. Scott)	Councillor Mrs. Scott (Leader of the Opposition)
Darlington Railway Museum Trust	Cabinet Member with Health and Leisure Portfolio (Councillor Haker)	
Disability Sport England –	Councillor Nutt	Councillor York

<b>Name of Body or Organisation</b>	<b>Labour Group Nomination(s)</b>	<b>Conservative Group and Liberal Democrat Nomination(s)</b>
Northern Region		
Durham County Pension Fund Committee	Cabinet Member with Efficiency and Resources Portfolio (Councillor McEwan) and Chair of Resources Scrutiny Committee (Councillor Haszeldine)	
Durham Tees Valley International Airport Limited	Councillor Williams (Director) with Councillor D. A. Lyonette as substitute Council Director	
Durham Tees Valley International Airport Consultative Committee	Cabinet Member with Transport Portfolio (Councillor D. A. Lyonette)	
Durham Valuation Tribunal	No Vacancies	
Family Help Organisation	Councillors J. Lyonette and Newall	Councillor Mrs. D. Jones
Financial Incentives Appraisal Panel	Cabinet Member with Transport Portfolio (Councillor D. A. Lyonette) and Chair of Economy and Environment Scrutiny Committee (Councillor Long)	Councillor Ruck
Firthmoor Community Centre Management Committee	Councillors Dixon and Vasey (Ward Members)	
Groundwork North East Board	Cabinet Member with Health and Leisure Portfolio (Councillor Harker)	
Local Access Forum	Councillor L. Haszeldine	
Museum Libraries Archives North East - Company	Cabinet Member with the Health and Leisure Portfolio (Councillor Harker)	
National Society for Clean Air (Northern Division)	Councillor Walker	Councillor Ruck
North East Strategic Migration Partnership	Cabinet Member with Communities and Engagement Portfolio (Councillor A. J. Scott) (Councillor Hughes as named substitute)	
North East Contracting Consortium for Asylum Support (NECCAS)	Councillor Hughes (Councillor Swift as named substitute)	
North East Highways Training Centre – Management Committee	Cabinet Member with Transport Portfolio (Councillor D.A. Lyonette)	

<b>Name of Body or Organisation</b>	<b>Labour Group Nomination(s)</b>	<b>Conservative Group and Liberal Democrat Nomination(s)</b>
North East Purchasing Organisation (NEPO)	Cabinet Member with Efficiency and Resources Portfolio (Councillor McEwan) and Chair of Resources Scrutiny Committee (Councillor Haszeldine)	Councillor Richmond
North East Regional Employers Organisation	Cabinet Member with Efficiency and Resources Portfolio (Councillor McEwan), Chair of Resources Scrutiny Committee (Councillor Haszeldine) and Vice-Chair of Resources Scrutiny Committee (Councillor Walker)	
North East Sports Council	Councillor Nutt (Councillor Baldwin Observer status)	
Northern Housing Consortium	Cabinet Member with Neighbourhood Services and Community Safety Portfolio (Councillor Dixon)	
Northern Council of Education Authorities	Cabinet Member with Children and Young People Portfolio (Councillor Chapman) and Chair of Children and Young People Scrutiny Committee (Councillor Hughes)	Councillor Armstrong
Northumbrian Regional Flood Defence Committee	Councillor Wallis (observer status until 1st June, 2011)	
RELATE North East	Councillor Regan	Councillor M. Cartwright
Shopmobility Steering Group	Cabinet Member with Transport Portfolio (Councillor D.A. Lyonette) and Cabinet Member with Communities and Engagement Portfolio (Councillor A.J. Scott)	
Skerne Park Youth and Community Centre - Management Committee	Councillors Hughes and J. Lyonette (Ward Members)	
Strategic Transport for Health Management Group	Cabinet Member with Transport Portfolio (Councillor D. A. Lyonette) and Cabinet Member with Adult Services Portfolio (Councillor Copeland)	
Tees Valley Environmental Protection Group	Cabinet Member with Sustainable Environment and Climate Change Portfolio (Councillor Wallis) and Councillor Maddison	Vice-Chair of Economy and Environment Scrutiny Committee (Councillor Lawton)

<b>Name of Body or Organisation</b>	<b>Labour Group Nomination(s)</b>	<b>Conservative Group and Liberal Democrat Nomination(s)</b>
Tees Valley Local Government Association	Leader of the Council (Councillor Williams) and Deputy Leader (Councillor Dixon)	
Tees Valley Rivers and Fisheries Association	Member of Environment Scrutiny Committee (Councillor Jenkinson)	
<b>Tees Valley Unlimited</b>		
Leadership Board	Leader of the Council (Councillor Williams)	
Planning and Economic Strategy	Cabinet Member with Economy Portfolio (Councillor Williams)	
Transport for Tees Valley	Cabinet Member with Transport Portfolio (Councillor D.A. Lyonette)	
Housing Board	Cabinet Member with Neighbourhood Services and Community Safety Portfolio (Councillor Dixon)	
Tidy North Regional Consultative Committee	Cabinet Member with Sustainable Environment and Climate Change Portfolio (Councillor Wallis)	

**Outcome of Consultation**

7. No other consultation, other than with the political groups, was undertaken.