

CYFOETH NATURIOL CYMRU / NATURAL RESOURCES WALES  
LOCAL ACCESS FORUMS – WORK PLANS 2016/17

Agenda Item No. 4.

The following are matters that Natural Resources Wales & Welsh Government anticipate that they will refer to LAFs during the year. This is for guidance only and may change to reflect work priorities. **It should not be taken as definitive.** In addition Local Authorities and National Park authorities will refer matters to LAFs. LAF members themselves should also be encouraged to put forward agenda items.

	Referred by	Approx Timing	Nature of Referral	Which LAFs?
1. Glastir Advanced	WG	Ongoing	Review and update proposals to proposed permissive access maps (including access to woodlands). In addition, support Glastir Contract Managers in considering individual permissive access proposals.	All
2. ROWIP Monitoring Implementation	NRW	Ongoing	Work with local authorities to support and monitor the implementation of the provisions of ROWIPs.	All
3. Review of ROWIP	WG / NRW	2016/17 – 2017/18	Support local authorities with the review of their ROWIPs with a view to imputing into the updated plans.	All
4. Wales Coast Path	NRW	Ongoing	Work with coastal local authorities and the 2 national parks (SNP and PCNP) to further develop, enhance and promote the WCP.	Those with coastal areas
5. Access to water	WG/NRW	Ongoing	Take an active interest in promoting access to water. It would be helpful if LAF considered potential areas for new or improved access to water (lakes rivers and the coast) and identified any obvious barriers that could be resolved.	All

6. Countryside Code Campaign	NRW	Ongoing	NRW is now reviewing its guidance for trail users (the old forest user codes), with a mind to update them into a new set of codes for visitors to NRW owned and managed land. The LAFs involvement in the consultation on these codes would be gratefully received.	All
7. Wales Outdoor Recreation Survey	NRW	Ongoing	LAFs to consider the results from the Wales Outdoor Recreation Survey Results to inform their advice <a href="https://naturalresources.wales/our-evidence-and-reports/welsh-outdoor-recreation-survey/?lang=en">https://naturalresources.wales/our-evidence-and-reports/welsh-outdoor-recreation-survey/?lang=en</a>	All
Suggested other areas of work for LAFs to get involved with which aren't directly managed by WG & NRW				
8. Green Flag/Green Flag Community Award	WG	Ongoing	Suggest public green spaces managed by local authorities, corporate organisations and community groups that could be eligible for this award which recognises and publicises the best parks and recreational areas in the country. <a href="http://www.keepwales tidy.org/greenflag">http://www.keepwales tidy.org/greenflag</a>	All