

Agenda

Connected Communities Scrutiny Committee

Date: **Wednesday 15 April 2026**

Time: **2.00 pm**

Place: **Conference Room 1 - Herefordshire Council, Plough Lane Offices, Hereford, HR4 0LE**

Notes: Please note the time, date and venue of the meeting.

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Membership

Chairperson **Councillor Ed O'Driscoll**
Vice-Chairperson **Councillor Frank Cornthwaite**

Councillor Bruce Baker
Councillor Helen Heathfield
Councillor Rob Owens
Councillor Roger Phillips
Councillor Diana Toynbee

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3.	<p>DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST</p> <p>To receive declarations of interest in respect of items on the agenda.</p>	
4.	<p>MINUTES</p> <p>To receive the minutes of the meeting held on Tuesday 17 February 2026.</p> <p>HOW TO SUBMIT QUESTIONS</p> <p>The deadline for the submission of questions for this meeting is 5.00 pm on Thursday 9 April 2026.</p> <p>Questions must be submitted to councillorservices@herefordshire.gov.uk. Questions sent to any other address may not be accepted.</p> <p>Accepted questions and the responses will be published as a supplement to the agenda papers prior to the meeting. Further information and guidance is available at www.herefordshire.gov.uk/getinvolved</p>	13 - 18
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