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EAST MIDLANDS COUNCILS' ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The EMC Annual General Meeting will take place at 10.00am on Friday 12 July 2024 at Nottinghamshire County Council, County Hall, West Bridgford, Nottingham, NG2 7QP. All councillors in the East Midlands are invited to attend.

Refreshments will be available from 9.00am with political pre-meetings taking place at 9.30am.

The main meeting will start at 10.00am with lunch from 12.00pm.

This year we will be joined Richard Humphries, Senior Advisor at Health Foundation. A full agenda will be made available shortly.

WORKSHOP FOR NEWLY ELECTED COUNCILLORS

Following our AGM, we are inviting newly elected Councillors to attend our highly anticipated session 'One Year On', which will take place from 1:30pm to 4pm on 12 July. Attendees are invited to attend lunch, which will be served from midday.

This workshop, which will be facilitated by EMC, Councillors & the LGA, aims to continue supporting newly elected members with their learning journey through networking, reflection, information updates & taster skills sessions all included.

This is an informal, interactive session where you will benefit from the learning, the opportunity to ask questions & making new connections with both councillors & officers. Find out more and book to attend:

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CHAIRING SKILLS FOR MEMBERS

This development session has been created for Councillors in the East Midlands who are interested in developing their Chairing skills.

The session will take place on **Wednesday 17 July from 6pm—8pm**, & will provide participants with tips & techniques associated with being a skilled chair of a virtual, physical or hybrid meeting.

UPCOMING ACCREDITED TRAINING IN LEADERSHIP & COACHING - JUNE 2024

ILM LEVEL 5 CERTIFICATE IN LEADERSHIP & MANAGEMENT

This 9-day programme for current & aspiring middle manager wishing to extend their skills to get the best from teams & resources within their organisation. This qualification prepares managers for more demanding leadership roles where teams & individuals may work remotely from them, or where they need to engage with partners & other project teams inside & outside of the organisation.



ILM LEVEL 5 CERTIFICATE IN EFFECTIVE COACHING & MENTORING

This 7-day programme is for those who are required to coach &/or mentor others within their organisation either as a line manager or as a participant in a wider coaching pool. This is the level of qualification required for any coaches in your organisation who wish to be part of the EMC Regional Coaching & Mentoring network.

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(DISCOUNTED) UPCOMING OFFICER TRAINING

Influencing & Persuading Others

This course is for anyone whose success is dependent on gaining assistance/ commitment from others. To learn how to influence & persuade others is one of the most valuable & transferable skills to have.



The Effective Team Leader

For new or existing team leaders or supervisors seeking a working knowledge of good practice techniques in managing & getting the best from staff. An opportunity for delegates to consider the key areas of good management practice & to identify areas to develop themselves to enhance performance of themselves & their team.

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Courageous Conversations - The Right Way

Suitable for those who manage staff, or deal with others where they are required to give feedback which may not always be welcome, or where difficult & sensitive subjects may be raised.

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Assertiveness & Personal Effectiveness

A course which will equip participants with the skills & knowledge they need to become more confident in their exchanges at work & in the wider aspects of their life. The course will consider aspects such as personal brand, self-esteem, values, responses to potential or actual conflict & situational self-confidence.

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EAST MIDLANDS ROLL-OUT - LOCAL GOVERNMENT RECRUITMENT ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN - 11TH JULY

Following a successful pilot in the North East, EMC is working with the LGA to roll-out a recruitment campaign for local government in the East Midlands.

We are jointly hosting a half-day event on 11th July at the King Power Stadium in Leicester for HR and Communications colleagues to learn about the campaign and input on how it would be tailored for you. Find out more and book to attend:

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D2N2 TEAM JOINS THE EAST MIDLANDS COMBINED COUNTY AUTHORITY

This week, the D2N2 LEP staff team joined the East Midlands Combined County Authority (EMCCA).

The D2N2 Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP) was established in 2010, alongside over 30 other LEPs across the country, with the purpose of driving local economic development in our region.

As part of the devolution deal agreed with government that established EMCCA, the LEP's board agreed that its staff team and functions would be incorporated into



the EMCCA to deliver a unified approach to tackling the region's challenges. The move means that all 20 LEP staff have now joined the EMCCA, delivering improvements in transport, housing, skills and adult education, and net zero.

LGC AWARD WINNERS

Congratulations to Derby City Council who won the Diversity & Inclusion Award at the recent LGC Awards in London.



ONS LOCAL—MAY 2024

The ONS Local newsletter is a monthly update for all with an interest in subnational data and analysis. This month's bulletin includes:

- Childcare accessibility by neighbourhood
- Short-term lets through online collaborative economy platforms
- Housing prices in your area— Broken down and compared with local rental costs
- Travel trends: 2023
- And more...

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EMC Leadership

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