

## Board Agenda

Title of Meeting: NRW Board Meeting - in Public

Date of Meeting: 17<sup>th</sup> May 2018 Venue: Catrin Finch Centre,

Wrexham

Time: Subject

11.15 1. Standard Board Business (5 mins)

Welcome and introduction to meeting held in public

- Apologies for Absence

- Declaration of Interest and dealing with conflicts of interest

11.20 Information 2. Local Issues Presentation (30 mins)

**Sponsor: Tim Jones** 

**Presenter: Anthony Randles** 

The presentation will take a local theme linking together the work the local teams undertake to protect the area around Wrexham and the upland areas. Links to Agriculture and SSSIs

and the relationship with land owners.

11.50 Scrutiny 3. Strategic Direction of Agricultural Policy and the work of the Wales Land Management Forum sub-group on

agricultural pollution

NRW B B 17.18 (45 mins)

Sponsor: Ceri Davies Presenter: Bob Vaughan

Authors: Bob Vaughan/Brian Pawson

To discuss the work to date by NRW, celebrate the approach and use of the Principles of SMNR, recognise the ongoing challenges. Noting that the report is currently with the Cabinet

Secretary for further discussion on action and further



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development in the context of Future Land Management and EU Transition.

12.35 Scrutiny

4. Performance Reporting Paper NRW B B 18.18 and Presentation (1 hour)

**Sponsor: Clare Pillman** 

**Presenter: Clare Pillman and Executive Team** 

**Author: Mark Hughes** 

Board to scrutinise NRW's performance report for period 3 of 2017/18. To approve or amend the report prior to sending to Welsh Government. Specifically, to consider:

- The adequacy of the supporting explanation for each measure and how we are adopting ways of working that demonstrate the application of sustainable management of natural resources,
- The mitigations and actions proposed to address risks to delivery.

13.35

Break for lunch (30 mins)

14.05 Scrutiny and Approval 5. Finance Update Paper NRW B B 19.18 (20 mins)

Sponsor: Kevin Ingram Presenter: Rob Bell

For the Board to scrutinise the NRW's Financial performance for 2017-18 and approve a procurement contract with a value of over £5m.

14.25 Scrutiny 6. Governance Matters
Minutes & Matters arising from previous Statutory Sub
Committees and other reports (20 mins)

- NRW Board Minutes and Action log
- People and Remuneration Committee Paul Williams



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No update required since the Committee has not met since the last Board meeting. Next meeting scheduled for 7<sup>th</sup> June 2018.

- Audit and Risk Assurance Committee Karen Balmer No update required: Committee has not met since the last Board meeting. Next meeting scheduled for 7<sup>th</sup> June 2018.
- Flood Risk Management Advisory Group

   Madeleine Havard
  No update required: Committee has not met since the last
  Board meeting. Next meeting scheduled for 8<sup>th</sup> June 2018.
- Protected Areas Committee Andy Middleton
  No update required: The Committee has not met since the
  last Board meeting. Next meeting if required is scheduled for
  12<sup>th</sup> June 2018.
- Public Service Boards Update from Sub Group Howard C. Davies (verbal)
- JNCC Madeleine Havard
   No update required: The Committee has not met since the last Board meeting. Next meeting scheduled for 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> June 2018.

14.45	7. Any Other Business (5 mins)
14:50	8. Close of Formal Meeting
14.50	9. Public Review/Comments
	Opportunity for any members of the public to raise any key issues or observations with the Board.
15.00	10. Depart