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Dear Candidate,

Thank you for your interest in the role of Director of Resources here at Dartmoor National Park Authority. You have the opportunity to help make the Authority a better, modern, inspiring and impactful place to work.

Dartmoor was one of the very first National Parks in Britain, founded in 1951 and celebrating our 75th anniversary this year. It is an incredibly special place, rich in cultural heritage, farming tradition and wild natural beauty.

As Chief Executive of the Authority I am totally committed to true partnership with the people who live and work here, as well as with the many millions who visit us each year, in order to deliver our statutory purposes:

- to conserve and enhance Dartmoor National Park's natural beauty, wildlife and cultural heritage. and
- to promote opportunities for the public to understand and enjoy the special qualities of Dartmoor National Park.

To deliver the very best for Dartmoor, we need to be the very best organisation we can - aligned behind a single vision and transforming the way we work to support our dedicated and hardworking teams.

Climate change, changing land use practice, the decline of nature and ever-increasing development around the national park all bring huge challenges, but also great opportunities to not just secure the special qualities of Dartmoor for the next 75 years, but make it a better, more vibrant and inclusive place for those who visit us.

We are a small organisation, with big ambitions. There is much to be done, but the opportunity to have impact not just on the organisation, but the place, is real. If you believe you have the skills, experience and passion to join our leadership team and steer the Authority through the transformation necessary to secure the future for Dartmoor, then I would love to hear from you.

If you would like to discuss the role in more detail, do please get in touch.

All the very best,

Tom Surrey
Chief Executive
Dartmoor National Park Authority

Will Dracup Chair **Tom Surrey** Chief Executive (National Park Officer)

The purposes of the Dartmoor National Park Authority are to conserve and enhance the natural beauty, wildlife and cultural heritage of the National Park and to promote opportunities for the understanding and enjoyment of the area's special qualities.

In pursuing these purposes, the Authority has a duty to seek to foster the economic and social well-being of the local community.

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