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Dear Mr Tigwell

Designation of Dartmoor Forest Parish Neighbourhood Plan Area

I am pleased to advise that the Dartmoor National Park Authority has approved Dartmoor Forest Parish Council's proposal to designate a Neighbourhood Area, for the purposes of preparing a Neighbourhood Development Plan.

This Authority will support the Parish Council's preparation of the Neighbourhood Plan and officers will be happy to meet with as you develop your plan. Officers will be able to offer advice on the legal requirements the plan must adhere to, consultation and engagement processes and on the national and local planning and other policies and regulations that your Neighbourhood Development Plan must conform with.

Several organisations offer useful neighbourhood planning advice and web links to guidance from some of these can be found at the end of this letter.

Yours sincerely

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Weblinks

Planning Aid: <http://www.ourneighbourhoodplanning.org.uk/>

Locality: <http://locality.org.uk/projects/building-community/>

Locality Grants: <http://mycommunity.org.uk/programme/neighbourhood-planning/>

Town & Country Planning Assoc: http://www.tcpa.org.uk/data/files/your_place_your_plan.pdf

Community Council of Devon: <https://www.devoncommunities.org.uk/community-plans-and-parish-plans>

Peter Harper Chairman Kevin Bishop PhD 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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