

Developing the Voluntary Party

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We believe that this plan is both essential and desired by the members: it needs no change to the constitution, but will build a more engaged and effective team of volunteers as it takes what we know works and allows even more Associations the freedom to make it work for them too.

To be successful this programme of change requires the support of the Leadership of our Party and the endorsement of the Party Board.

However, above all it needs to be the catalyst to persuade the Voluntary Party to enthusiastically embrace a more outward looking role, reaching out into their communities.

This document therefore proposes 3 critical steps.

First the agreement of the Leader to the direction of travel – to our Party embracing localism, Social Action and personal responsibility.

Second the agreement of the Board that an important part of the professional resources of our Party be dedicated to the realisation of this vision.

Finally, and most importantly, that the Voluntary Party lead a programme of discussion and consultation on the need for this change with a view to securing the full endorsement of the Voluntary Party.

Changing minds requires engagement from the bottom up. It can be time consuming and it can be messy – but we are confident that this is the way to secure the lasting change that our Party needs.

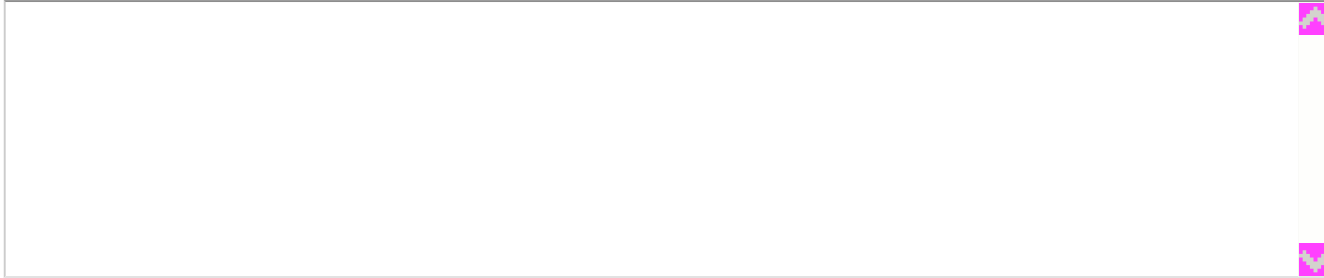
Your View On The Proposals As A Whole *

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Your Comments On The Proposals As A Whole



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