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Agenda



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February 2024

Membership No: 448924
Our Ref: L2EMFKDD-CAA

Dear Member

Thank you for being part of a movement committed to protecting our beautiful countryside for everyone. I've popped your membership card in with this letter.

I hope your organisation is proud to be a member of CPRE, the countryside charity – together we've achieved many important successes over the past 12 months. Here are just some of the campaign wins we've achieved together recently:

- In collaboration with a broad coalition across the sector, we ensured that a new type of national planning policy introduced in the Levelling Up and Regeneration Act would require public consultation as standard. Initial drafting of this legislation would have given the Secretary of State carte-blanc power to create and modify planning rules - covering green belt to housing - at their own discretion.
- By lobbying the government, we influenced the confirmation of a new funding scheme to pay farmers to plant more hedgerows and manage them sustainably.
- We've recruited 34 parliamentary champions for rooftop solar who are helping us lobby the government for more action to get solar panels on top of buildings, cutting carbon emissions and protecting valuable greenspace for nature and farming.

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15-21 Provost Street
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Tel: 020 7981 2870
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Any questions?
Please call Supporter Care
on 020 7981 2870.

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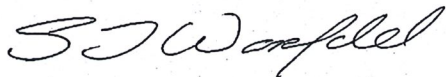
This real progress is thanks to organisations like yours, but there is, as always, still much to do and your continuing membership is crucial.

As you renew your membership, please would you also consider increasing your contribution? We are very grateful for the generosity of so many of members like you who have already agreed to pay more. We have made some suggestions for you on the 'Your Membership' section on the following page. We know that times are tough, and that not everyone will be able to make a change, so whatever you decide, thank you for your support.

I understand that the renewal of your CPRE membership needs to be approved by your organisation, and that this approvals process can take up to two months. That's why we're sending your renewal notice now, and we look forward to you renewing your CPRE membership.

Only because of our loyal members are we able to carry on our vital work. I hope we can count on you to help protect our countryside from urgent threats including irresponsible planning decisions, loss of rural thriving communities and pollution.

Best wishes

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sandra Worsfold', written in a cursive style.

Sandra Worsfold
Supporter Care and Development Manager



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Your Membership

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Your annual Parish/Town Council membership needs to be renewed so that you can continue to be part of a movement dedicated to helping to protect your local countryside.

A little more could make a big difference – by topping up your membership payment, you can do even more to promote, enhance and protect your local countryside.

An extra £12.00 each year could help your local CPRE Avon and Bristol group protect green spaces near you from development

An extra £24.00 could help train volunteers in tree and hedgerow surveying, laying and planting

An extra £30.00 could help maintain footpaths and signposts, making it easier for everyone to access the countryside

To renew your membership, and if you can, to increase the amount of your payment, please complete the form below and return it in the enclosed FREEPOST envelope or call our Supporter Care Helpline on 020 7981 2870.

Thank you.

Step 1: Renewal

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Yes, I want to renew my Parish/Town Council membership, and I would like to increase my payment to the new rate of

£60.00, or Other amount £_____ or, I would prefer to continue at £36.00

Payment Method

by making a one-off payment with a cheque to CPRE for £_____ and enclosing it along with this completed form in the enclosed Freepost envelope.

Annual Direct Debit

£36.00 £60.00 other amount £_____

Please complete the direct debit mandate below, and return it in the FREEPOST envelope enclosed



Name and full postal address of your Bank/Building Society

To: The Manager	Bank/Building Society
Address	
Postcode	

Name(s) of account holder(s)

Branch Sort Code

Bank/Building Society account number

Service User Number

Instructions to your Bank or Building Society

Please pay CPRE Direct Debits from the account detailed in this instruction subject to the safeguards assured by the Direct Debit Guarantee. I understand that this instruction will remain with CPRE and, if so, my details will be passed electronically to my Bank/Building Society.

Signature(s)

Date

Banks and building societies may not accept Direct Debit Instructions for some types of account.

Please turn over...

OR by credit/debit card, or by another method, by calling our Supporter Care Helpline on 020 7981 2870 Monday to Friday 9am – 5pm (or you can leave a message for us outside these hours)

OR Paying by BACS Direct Transfer? Please use the following information:
Account number: 65724623 | Sort Code: 51-50-03 | Reference: 448924

Our recommended minimum annual payment for new members is £60 for individuals and organisations, and £84 for households. Every penny counts, and we are grateful for all of your support, whatever you are able to contribute. Thank you.

Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____

Ref: 448924

If you are sending a cheque, please send it to us along with this form in the envelope provided, to Freepost Plus RUCX-XTZA-CSLZ, Supporter Care, CPRE the countryside charity, 15-21 Provost Street, London N1 7NH

Step 2

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Thank You for supporting the work of CPRE, the countryside charity.

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Unfortunately, as an organisational or Parish Council CPRE member you're ineligible for the Gift Aid Scheme.

Step 3

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If you do not want to hear from us again, or to change the way you hear from us, please contact our Supporter Care team on **020 7981 2870** or email supportercare@cpre.org.uk, including your full name and address. Alternatively, write to: Supporter Care Team, CPRE, 15-21 Provost Street, London N1 7NH. Personal data will be treated in accordance with our Privacy Policy at cpre.org.uk/privacy-policy.

Want to change or update your membership details?

Call our **Supporter Care Helpline on 020 7981 2870** Monday to Friday 9am – 5pm (or you can leave a message for us outside these hours)

Please post your completed form back to us in the freepost envelope provided. If the envelope is missing, then you can still send it to us at Freepost Plus RUCX-XTZA-CSLZ, Supporter Care, CPRE the countryside charity, 15-21 Provost Street, London N1 7NH, and you do not need to use a postage stamp.

Thank you!



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