

Independent Standards Committee Member

Are you public spirited and interested in promoting high ethical standards?

Could you help adjudicate complaints about councillor misconduct? Do you have an interest in how local councils run?

Do you have some spare time to get involved?

Then this could be of interest to you!

We need a new Independent Member for our Standards Committee, which promotes high standards of conduct by councillors and the Council generally. The Standards Committee also holds public hearings to consider allegations of breaches by councillors of East Devon and the councillors of the Towns and Parishes of East Devon that they have breached their Code of Conduct and which are referred to it by the Monitoring Officer.

Anyone can apply, as long as they are not a serving councillor within the administrative area of East Devon, an officer of the Council or a councillor or officer in any other body having a standards committee.

Training will be given to assist you in this role. Meetings are held in the daytime. We offer an allowance and travelling expenses to the successful candidates.

The Council is keen to hear from you whatever your background.

To download an application form please visit www.eastdevon.gov.uk or contact Anna Herbert to be sent an application form. For further information please contact Henry Gordon Lennox, Monitoring Officer on 01395 517535.

Please send your applications to Anna Herbert, PA to Henry Gordon Lennox, East Devon District Council, Blackdown House, Border Road, Heathpark Industrial Estate, Honiton, EX14 1EJ or email aherbert@eastdevon.gov.uk

**Closing date: 18 February 2022
Interviews: w/c 28 February 2022**

We look forward to receiving your application. The successful candidate will be appointed at the Annual Council Meeting on 11 May 2022