

# Community Leadership Workshop

# Please note this is not a public meeting but a development session

Date(s) Thursday 24 February 2011

**Time(s)**: starting at 2.00 pm

**Venue(s)**: Council Chamber, Monkton Park, Chippenham SN15 1ER

### **Brief description**

## **Community Leadership Workshop**

A half-day workshop giving you a detailed understanding of the tools and processes available for pursuing issues on behalf of your constituents.

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Venue: Council Chamber, Monkton Park, Chippenham SN15 1ER

Number of attendees: unlimited

This session may be of particular interest for: non executive councillors

**Trainer / Course provider**: to be confirmed

#### **Programme**

#### Programme

This half-day workshop will help you to:

- resolve Area Board issues (understanding the Area Board process, Area Boards' powers, the new Community Issues System, impact of the Localism & Decentralisation Bill, e.g. community budgets)
- use Overview & Scrutiny (Scrutiny's powers, the scrutiny process, how to get an

item on a scrutiny agenda, scrutiny's interaction with Area Boards)

- use the Councillor Call for Action (what the CCfA is and *isn't*, how it works in practice, examples of the CCfA in action)
- Petitions and public engagement
- Notice of Motion & Questions to Full Council
- Access to documents and information

#### Please note

- 1. Different venues, times and days are proposed when possible to enable as many councillors to attend but we do have to use the one(s) with the most possible attendees.
- 2. Following a development session the information, if possible, will be made available on the Councillor Development Area on the Intranet.
- 3. If you are not able to attend a session that you were very interested in and the information cannot be made available on line it may be possible to organise a one-to-one with a relevant officer or a personal development session; if you are interested please contact Rita Sanders.
- 4. Pre-booking is essential. If you do not book 3 working days in advance, catering (if applicable) cannot be guaranteed, nor parking or seating at the venue.
- 5. There is a cost to providing any development event. If you are unable to attend a previously booked course, please let Rita Sanders know so that the place can be offered to others.
- 6. Co-opted members, Town and Parish Councillors, Partners and Councillors from neighbouring authorities may be in attendance at some sessions.

#### If you would like to attend please contact:

Wiltshire Councillors do not need to complete a request form for this session but for administrative purposes please let us know if you wish to attend

Email: <u>CouncillorDevelopment@wiltshire.gov.uk</u>

Fax: 01225 713099

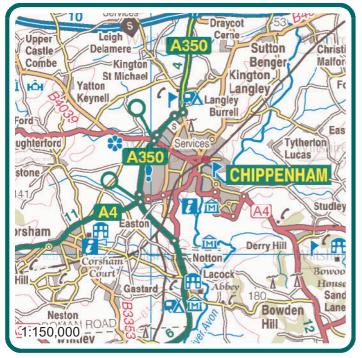
Tel: 01225 718375 (Rita Sanders)

Post: Democratic Services, County Hall, Bythesea Road, Trowbridge, BA14 8JN

#### Access to the venue

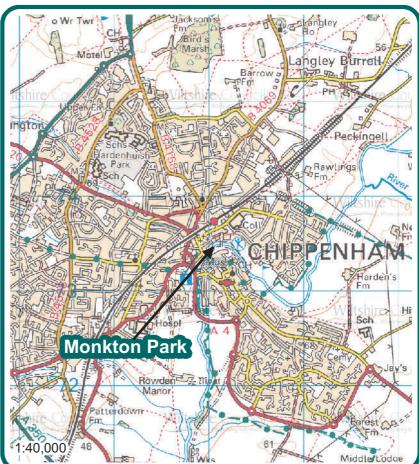
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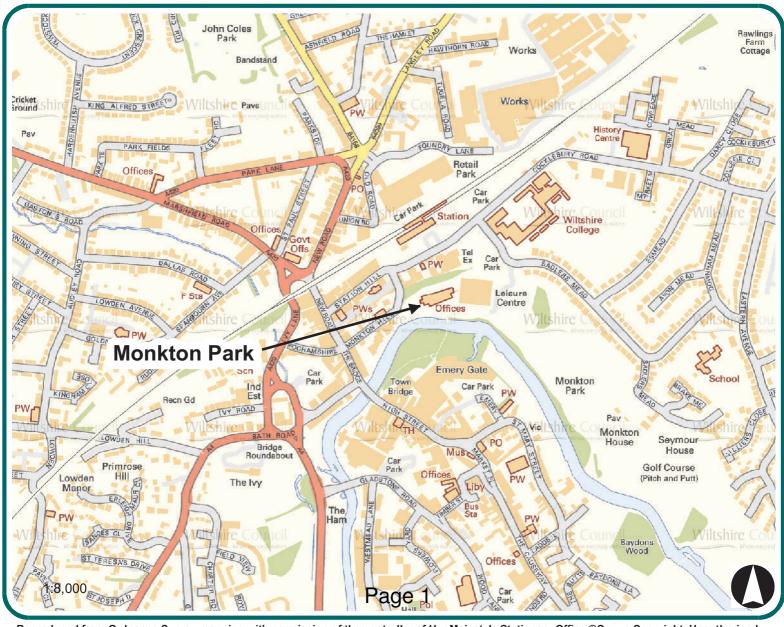




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