

NATURAL AXMOUTH REMIT AND STRUCTURE

Natural Axmouth proposed in September 2013 that it becomes an independent community group. This would enable it to:

- widen membership to anyone in the Axmouth Community who is committed to conserving and enhancing our natural environment;
- link to and draw on the expertise of local conservation and environmental organisations, notably Devon Wildlife Trust (and the new Seaton Visitor Centre), Axe Vale and District Conservation Society, and the East Devon Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty; and
- carry out certain works or projects as may be requested by the parish council or other community groups.

Axmouth Parish Council's relationship with Natural Axmouth

- Liaison between the group and the parish council should be effected through a parish councillor member;
- the parish councillor member will keep the group informed of relevant planning and maintenance matters so that the group can offer comment and advice;
- while the parish council is responsible for flood prevention and thus brook maintenance, it should inform Natural Axmouth when any maintenance is proposed so that the group's advice and recommendations can be offered;
- the tree warden continues to be a role within the parish council but can be delegated to a community member.

Agreed Axmouth Parish Council 16/10/13

Revised by Natural Axmouth Group 3/01/14