

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM : CO-OPTED MEMBERS OF BASINGSTOKE CANAL JMC

After the initial period all will be co-opted for a period of 4 years and are eligible for re-

Full Name of Organisation	Woking Cycle Users' Group	
Name of individual	Chris Bore Fordwater, Pond Road, Woking, Surrey GU22 0JZ	
Expression of Interest (Max 500 words)	<p>I would be delighted to be considered to be a non-voting co-opted member of the Canal JMC.</p> <p>Not only to represent the interests of cyclists to the canal, but – equally important – to represent the interests of other canal users to cyclists.</p> <p>Although I understand the invitation in this instance refers to cycling interests, I would hope to be actively supportive of the canal in all its aspects and for all its users.</p> <p>I live in Hook Heath near to the canal at St Johns.</p> <p>I walk, cycle and run along the canal frequently and recognise its value but also its special challenges due to its variety of users. I believe the keys to shared use including cycling are consideration, courtesy and understanding.</p> <p>I am a qualified cycle ride planner and leader (Sky Rides and British Cycling) and have led many social group rides along the canal. I do also understand that amongst the cyclist users of the canal is great variation – in type of use as well as attitude. I would hope to try to understand and represent all those varied modes of use as productively as possible.</p> <p>I am also a UK Athletics qualified Run Leader and have led run groups, and organised social informal fun runs (with the cooperation of the Canal Authority) along the canal.</p> <p>My volunteering background includes being Chair of Governors at Woking High School, and Chair of the Appointments Committee for Esher District Scout Association. I also lead a weekly social run group, and organise Woking's 'Café Scientific'. I am a member of Surrey Wildlife Trust.</p> <p>I am 60 years old. I work as a consultant in mathematical physics. The nature of my work allows me flexibility and time to take an active part in voluntary work and activities.</p> <p>If there are any questions I would be very happy to answer them.</p> <p>Thank you for your consideration.</p>	
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