

August 08

### **Sedgefield Together**

With the demise of Sedgefield Borough Council as part of the proposed local government reorganisation in this area and the subsequent creation of a new unitary authority based on the existing county area there will be a large divide between the local services provided at town / parish level and the strategic county.

Proposals from DCC re the new unitary authority includes a number of area action partnerships and it with this in mind that the town council are looking to coordinate our own 'partnership' which will be established and ready for when the Unitary becomes the statutory authority next April.

The remit of the group is:-

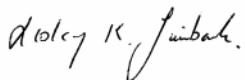
- To formulate a community strategy for Sedgefield
- To bring together local statutory organisations such as Police, Health , Town council etc. and the local voluntary and community groups to discuss issues of mutual interest and concern.
- To be instrumental in providing links to the new unitary authority.

If you would like to make a positive contribution and be involved please register your interest using the form as attached and return to the Council Offices by Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September.

Once we have received all the responses we can formulate the overall representation of the group and arrange the first meeting. It is envisaged that the Group will then meet bi-monthly – and that the first meeting will be held at the beginning of October.

Please contact me if you need any further information.

Yours sincerely,



Town Clerk

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**Name of Group**

**Please tick which category (if any) your group falls into**

<b>Police</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Youth</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Community Safety</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Education</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Sport</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>SCA</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Health</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Environment</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Residents Forum</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Local Business</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Local heritage</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Development Trust</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Voluntary Groups</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Other</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

**Nominated Representative**

**Contact Details of Nominated Representative**

**Address**

**Tel.**

**Email**