

**RINGWOOD TOWN COUNCIL - Representatives on Outside Bodies 2026-27—updated 27.5.26**

<b>ORGANISATION / POSITION</b>	<b>COMMENTS</b>	<b>REPRESENTATIVE</b>
New Forest Association of Local Councils (NFALC)	Two councillors needed. Representatives from every town and parish council in New Forest district are invited to meet quarterly to consider reports from NFDC and NFNPA and other issues of mutual interest.	Cllr Janet Georgiou Cllr Gareth DeBoos
Flood Wardens	Two councillors needed to join a co-opted volunteer: Peter Street.	Cllr Peter Kelleher Cllr John Haywood
New Forest Business Partnership	Two councillors	Cllr Mary DeBoos Cllr Rae Frederick
*New Forest Consultative Panel	One councillor needed	Cllr Janet Georgiou
New Forest National Park Authority - South West Quadrant	One councillor needed Representatives from every town and parish council in the SW quadrant of the National Park are invited to meet quarterly to consider relevant National Park issues and initiatives.	Cllr Gareth DeBoos
Ringwood Twinning Association	The Mayor is President <i>ex officio</i> . Two other councillors are needed. Organizes exchange visits and fund-raising.	Mayor-Cllr Mary DeBoos Cllr Luke Dadford Cllr Becci Windsor
The Ringwood Society	Two councillors needed. Monthly meetings to monitor planning applications and discuss local development issues.	Cllr Glenys Turner Cllr John Haywood
Tree Warden	One councillor needed. Works with Town Clerk and other staff on tree management issues especially those involving members of the public.	Cllr Glenys Turner
*Western Escarpment Conservation Area Steering Group	One councillor needed. Representatives from every town and parish council in this Conservation Area on the edge of the National Park are invited to meet quarterly to consider relevant National Park issues and initiatives	Cllr Janet Georgiou
Ringwood United Charities	Up to six trustees appointed to the role by the Council (this can be anyone with a connection to Ringwood). Legal office with associated duties	Cllr Mary DeBoos Cllr Rae Frederick Cllr Michael Thierry DC Jeremy Heron DC Rippon-Swaine
Sports Development at Long Lane Steering Group	Council representatives	Cllr Andy Briers Cllr James Swyer (deputy)
Thriving Market Place	Council representatives	Cllr Gareth DeBoos Cllr Rae Frederick Cllr Janet Georgiou Cllr John Haywood Cllr Michael Thierry
Ringwood & Fordingbridge Business Community	Council representative (adopted informally)	Cllr Rae Frederick
*Need to establish if these groups still meet as Cllr Georgiou has never been invited to attend.		