

**RSN Seminar: Rural Economies
Online via Zoom
11:00-13:00, Wednesday, 30th November 2022
Agenda**

11:00 Introduction & Housekeeping

11:05 Welcome and introduction to the topic of Rural Economies
[Kerry Booth](#), Chief Executive Designate, Rural Services Network

Seminar session: Rural Economies

11:10 Nigel Wilcock, Director, [Institute of Economic Development](#)
Delivering in Uncertain Times
Short Q&A with the speaker

**11.30 Mel Sealey, Senior Manager, Economic Infrastructure and Strategic Intelligence,
[Devon County Council](#)
Community Renewal Fund – Lessons Learned
Short Q&A with the speaker**

11:50 Mark Sealey, Business Development Executive, [Airband](#)
Rural Broadband supporting the Rural Economy
Short Q&A with the speaker

12.10 Graham Biggs, Chief Executive, [Rural Services Network](#)
“Rural Economy and Cost of Living Crisis”
Short Q&A with the speaker

12:20 Open forum discussion led by Kerry Booth focusing on Rural Economies
Wider discussion with evidence and examples of Good Practice that members wish to share.

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13:00 Close of Seminar



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