

**RSN Yorkshire & the Humber Regional Seminar
Wednesday 15th January 2020**

**North Yorkshire County Council, The Council Chamber, 3 Racecourse Lane,
Northallerton, DL7 8QZ**

Thank you to North Yorkshire County Council for kindly hosting this event!

PART 1 OF MEETING: 11.00 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.

SEMINAR SESSION

1. **Welcome from North Yorkshire County Council:** David Bowe, Corporate Director for Business and Environmental Services
2. **Introduction by Chair:** Cllr Robert Heseltine, North Yorkshire County Council
3. **Introduction from RSN:** Andy Dean, Assistant Director RSN
4. **Seminar session:**

Barriers to Access – Connectivity and Rural Transport

- (a) Dr Gary Bosworth (University of Lincoln) – “The Future of Rural Mobility: Introducing Our New Toolkit”
 - (b) Colin Walker (East Riding of Yorkshire Council) – “Rural Transport: The Access and Connectivity Conundrum”
 - (c) Martin Higgitt (Martin Higgitt Associates Ltd) – “Issues and Solutions for Rural Connectivity and Transport”
 - (d) Ian Fielding (North Yorkshire County Council) – “Making it Real – Transport in England’s Largest County”
5. **Questions for speakers**

LIGHT LUNCH: 12.30 p.m. - 1.00 p.m.

PART 2 OF MEETING: 1.00 p.m. – Finish at 2.30p.m.

6. To discuss issues raised during this Seminar and to consider recommending any actions to the RSN.
7. To discuss issues on the subject of “Barriers to Access – Connectivity and Rural Transport” which are of current concern in Yorkshire and the Humber areas. Members are free to share evidence and examples of Good Practice.
8. Any other business.

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