



STEERING GROUP MEETING – AGENDA

10:00-12:30hrs on Friday 21st February 2020

Tankerville Arms, 20-22 Cottage Rd, Wooler NE71 6AD, Wooler

1. **Introduction** – Angus Collingwood-Cameron, NFLG (Chair)
2. **Apologies** – Rob Stacey, NFRS (Secretary)
3. **Minutes, minute taking and matters arising from the previous meeting** - Angus Collingwood-Cameron (NFLG) and Rob Stacey (NFRS)
4. **Governance and finance update** – Angus Collingwood-Cameron (NFLG)
5. **Wildfire Update from Northumberland Fire and Rescue Service** - Rob Stacey (NFRS):
 - Review of Wildfires in 2019/20
 - Wildfire Fire Plan Project
 - Wildfire Training
 - Collaborative Burning Project
 - Wildfire Exercises for 2020
6. **Briefing on the UK National Wildfire Conference in Cardiff on 21st and 22nd November 2019: Manage the Fuel, Reduce the Risk** - Rob Stacey (NFRS and EWWF)
7. **Discussion Topic: Burning on Blanket Bog** - Chaired by Angus Collingwood-Cameron (NFLG)
8. **Planning for Wildfire Event for Farmers in the Upper Coquet and Breamish Valleys** - Rob Stacey and Keith Kelly (NFRS)
9. **NFRS and NPMRT Off-Road Vehicle Working Group** - Rob Stacey (NFRS) and Andrew Miller (Northumberland NP MRT)
10. **AOB**
11. **Date and location of the next Steering Group Meeting**

Venue and refreshments kindly provided by Lilburn Estate