

## APPOINTMENTS MADE BY THE LEADER

BODIES	MEMBERSHIP	CONTACT
Ashford Future Delivery Board	Mr M A Wickham (Con)	<p>Ashford's Future is a partnership between a number of organisations, including Ashford Borough Council, Kent County Council, SEEDA, English Partnerships and The Housing Corporation. Ashford is a Growth Area, and Ashford's Future's remit is to manage the Growth Area funding to ensure physical, social and community infrastructure is delivered in a timely fashion to ensure a sustainable future for the town.</p> <p>Judith Armit Managing Director <a href="mailto:judith.armitt@ashford.gov.uk">judith.armitt@ashford.gov.uk</a> 01233-330811</p>
East Kent Spatial Development Company Board	Mr S Holden (Con)  Mr M C Dance (Con)	<p>The East Kent Spatial Development Company was established in 2001 as a regeneration initiative, which in essence sought to deliver utility infrastructure and also to deliver finance to pump prime future projects. The original partners were Thanet and Dover District Councils, Kent County Council, South East England Development Agency and English Partnerships (this last agency is now part of the wider Homes and Communities Agency).</p> <p>Mrs Naisha Polaine (Director) Canterbury Innovation Centre University Road Canterbury Kent CT2 7FG</p>
East Kent Opportunities Board	Mr M C Dance (Con)	<p>East Kent Opportunities LLP is a joint venture partnership between Thanet District Council and Kent County Council which aims to bring forward economic growth and regeneration to East Kent.</p> <p><a href="mailto:info@ekopportunities.com">info@ekopportunities.com</a></p>
East Kent Regeneration Board	Mr M C Dance (Con)	<p>The leaders of Shepway, Thanet, Dover, Canterbury and Ashford councils, as well as Kent County Council, want to build on the positive developments already in line for the Enterprise Zone by removing constraints to progress in other parts of the region. It aims to set out a co-ordinated, coherent approach to kick-start the economy in one of the hardest-hit parts of the South East.</p> <p>Ross Gill <a href="mailto:ross.gill@kent.gov.uk">ross.gill@kent.gov.uk</a> 01622 221312</p>
Homes and Communities Agency Strategic Assets Stewardship Group	Mr M C Dance (Con)	<p>Works with local partners, using its skills and investment in housing and regeneration to meet the needs of local communities; creating new affordable homes and thriving places.</p>
Kent Children and Young People's Joint Commissioning	Mrs J Whittle (Con)	<p>The principle function of the Kent Children and Young People's Joint Commissioning Board (CYPJCB) is to improve outcomes for children and young people, pre birth to 19 years (24 for LAC and disabled young people), through the effective commissioning of services in partnership with a range of agencies, ensuring resources are prioritised according to need and</p>

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Board	Mr R Gough (Con)	where they achieve the most impact.  <a href="mailto:Stephanie.Brown@kent.gov.uk">Stephanie.Brown@kent.gov.uk</a> Business Information & Support Officer 01622 696679
Kent Economic Board	Mr P B Carter (Con)	KEB as a working group of the Kent Forum has a responsibility to pursue the Economic Success theme of the Vision for Kent, and Bold Steps for Kent. There is a clear expectation that it will support the implementation of the Kent Regeneration Framework via the activities of its Task Groups, the Business Advisory Board and the co-ordinating function of the Board itself.  Invicta House, Maidstone 01622 221940 <a href="mailto:enquiries@keb.org.uk">enquiries@keb.org.uk</a>
Kent Forum	Mr P B Carter (Con)	To grow the Kent economy; to tackle disadvantage; to put citizens in control.  Kent Forum, Room 2.70 Sessions House, Maidstone ME14 1XQ 01622 696567 <a href="mailto:kentforum@kent.gov.uk">kentforum@kent.gov.uk</a>
Kent Partnership	Mr M A Wickham (Con)	Works with a wide range of individuals and organisations providing everything from youth clubs to security advice for the elderly, graffiti cleanup to CCTV for women's refuges, youth mentoring to drug rehabilitation schemes. These projects help prevent crime, and genuinely improve the safety and well being of local communities.  Kent Police Headquarters, Sutton Road, Maidstone Kent ME15 9BZ 01622 653208 <a href="mailto:kentpeoplestrust@kent.pnn.police.uk">kentpeoplestrust@kent.pnn.police.uk</a>
Kent Rural Board	Mr M A Wickham (Con)  Mr S Holden	The Kent Rural Board is the strategic rural partnership for Kent and Medway. Created in 2004, the Kent Rural Board was set-up to foster collaborative cross-sector working on a range of key policy agendas. The Kent Rural Board is responsible for:  1. Joining up Kent's rural agenda: providing an expert, multi-agency rural voice for Kent.  2. Working as a rural advocate for Kent through influencing and rural-proofing policy and attracting further investment into Kent's rural areas.  3. Acting as a catalyst to bring about step-change in rural delivery across Kent.

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Kent Safeguarding Children's Board	Mr L B Ridings (Con)	<p>The Children Act 2004 required each local authority to establish a Local Safeguarding Children Board (LSCB). The core objectives of the LSCB are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To co-ordinate what is done by each person or body represented on the Board for the purposes of safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children in the area of the authority; and</li> <li>• To ensure the effectiveness of what is done by each such person or body for that purpose.</li> </ul> <p>Sessions House County Hall <a href="mailto:kscb@kent.gov.uk">kscb@kent.gov.uk</a> Tel: 01622 694859</p>
Locate in Kent	<p>Mr N C Dance (Con)</p> <p>Mr B Sweetland (Con)</p>	<p>Locate in Kent is the investment promotion agency for Kent and Medway. We're passionate about sharing the area's opportunities with businesses.</p> <p>Locate in Kent Ltd, 35 Kings Hill Avenue, Kings Hill, West Malling Kent, ME19 4DG 01732 520700 <a href="mailto:enquiries@locateinkent.com">enquiries@locateinkent.com</a></p>
Produced in Kent Board	Mr M A Wickham (Con)	<p>To promote local and seasonal produce and provide support and services to our Members through strategic objectives which are reviewed annually.</p> <p>01732 853172 Hadlow College <a href="mailto:jill.sargent@kent.gov.uk">jill.sargent@kent.gov.uk</a></p>
South East England Tourist Board Regional Advisory Committee	Mr M C Dance (Con)	<p>TSE is a not-for-profit organisation with a mission to provide services and expertise that supports the performance and growth of tourism businesses. It achieves this by working hard with others to deliver a range of relevant services and support programmes designed with its member businesses' and destination partners' needs in mind. It also make its expertise available to other clients in the South East and beyond on a paid-for basis. Activities include a full range of domestic and international marketing campaigns, PR and web promotions, highly respected training courses, research and visitor information services, networking opportunities and advocacy.</p> <p><a href="mailto:industry@tourismse.com">industry@tourismse.com</a></p>

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SE England Councils	Mr P B Carter (Con)  Mr J Simmonds (Con)	SEEC works to four principles: To strive for a fair funding deal for the South East; Promote the South East's position as a leading global economy; Act as a single democratic voice for South East interests; and Monitor the pulse of the South East.  South East England Councils Room 215, County Hall Penrhyn Road Kingston upon Thames KT1 2DN 0208 541 7555 <a href="mailto:info@secouncils.gov.uk">info@secouncils.gov.uk</a>
SE Regional Arts Council	Mr P M Hill (Con)	Arts Council England champions, develops and invests in artistic and cultural experiences that enrich people's lives.  0845 300 6200
Swale Forward Board	Vacancy	Swale's local regeneration partnership.  Swale Forward, Swale House, East Street Sittingbourne ME10 3HT 01795 417218
Thames Gateway Kent Partnership Board	Mr M C Dance (Con)	The Partnership Board is chaired by the private sector and comprises senior representatives from across the North Kent business, local authority and higher/further education community, from national government and agencies - Job Centre Plus, the Homes and Communities Agency, the Environment Agency - and a North Kent Member of Parliament.  Thames Gateway Kent Partnership, Innovation Centre Medway, 1st floor (F33) Maidstone Road, Chatham ME5 9SF 01634 338148
Turner Contemporary Trust	Mrs S V Hohler (Con)	Manages Turner Contemporary Art Gallery.  01843 233 000/020 1826 1828/01865 34811/01328 702267 <a href="http://www.turnercontemporary.net">www.turnercontemporary.net</a>
Visit Kent Board	Mr M C Dance (Con)	Visit Kent is a ground breaking new venture aimed at growing tourism to the Garden of England and at increasing visitor satisfaction with a visit to Kent. It brings into partnership all of Kent's public and private sector tourism enterprises.

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