



Dear Colleague,

Welcome to Your LCC Bimonthly Newsletter

Welcome to 2025! With us now settled into the new year, it's a good time to re-focus on the intentions and hopes we have for the months ahead. New Year resolutions can easily slip by the wayside, so taking some time to plan positive actions after the first few weeks of the year is a useful strategy.

Here at LCC, our intentions are to continue to fulfil the demand for our existing locum and consultancy services, whilst also expanding our service offerings to provide more choice and support for the local council sector.



We are planning to launch both our internal audit service and our climate change support service within the next few months and are looking at other opportunities to introduce later in the year.

2025 looks to be an exciting and successful year and we are looking forward to working with you all.

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Locum & Interim Services



Selection & Recruitment

Come and see us!

We will be at the 2025 Practitioners' Conference at Chesford Grange Hotel, Kenilworth, Warwickshire on Wednesday 29 and Thursday 30 January, so if you are there, please do drop by our stand and say hello. We will also be running a session 'Local Council Consultancy – Hear All About It!' at 12.10pm on the Wednesday so if you know of anyone who would like to join LCC or use our services, do let them know.

LCC will also be at the SLCC Bedfordshire Branch event on 13 March 2025, so if you are in that area, again it would be great to see you.

About Practitioners' Conference

Payroll dates

Don't forget that with effect from this month, the payroll date for locums has been brought forward to the 20th of each month (from the 28th) so please ensure your timesheets are sent promptly at the beginning of each month to ensure we can process these in time for the cut-off.

Client Feedback Shared on our X Account in December and January:

'Local councils are busy, extremely so, and clerks are multitaskers extraordinaire. But sometimes we just don't have the time to learn all about this new thing we need to do, and then we don't have the time to do it. And that is the time to consider asking for some assistance. LCC Consultancy – here to help. You lead the way.'

Steph Bennett FSLCC, LCC Associate, on project support to Winkfield Parish Council

'The professional service and advice that we received was invaluable in moving our project along in a timely and professional manner. Thank you.'

Ruth Lyes, Clerk at Winkfield Parish Council, on project support

'This has been a positive experience, which has been straight forward to get involved with, with the support of LCC and clarity of aims and objectives as well as the support information provided up front.'

Pete Turner, LCC Associate, on job evaluation of a parish council clerk's role

'Working with LCC has been a rewarding experience. The LCC team are clearly dedicated to providing high quality, tailored support to town and parish councils and to making a positive difference in the sector. I look forward to collaborating on future projects and contributing to the important work it provides for local communities.'

Laura Waude PSLCC, LCC Associate, on a parish council staffing review

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