

Register of Interests form

Member: Matt Shardlow

As a member of the Broads Authority, these are the interests which you are required to register with the Authority by section 30 of the [Localism Act 2011](#).

Register of interests must be declared:

- **within 28 days of becoming a member; and**
- **within 28 days of becoming aware of any new interest, or of any change to a registered interest.**

Failure to register or disclose a disclosable pecuniary interest is a criminal offence under the Localism Act 2011.

Where you have a **'sensitive interest'** you must notify the Monitoring Officer with the reasons why you believe it is a sensitive interest. If the Monitoring Officer agrees, they will withhold the interest from the public register. A 'sensitive interest' is an interest which, if disclosed, could lead to the member, or a person connected with the member, being subject to violence or intimidation.

'Disclosable Pecuniary Interest' means an interest of yourself or of your partner if you are aware of your partner's interest.

'Partner' means a spouse or civil partner, or a person with whom you are living as husband or wife, or a person with whom you are living as if you are civil partners.

Please see the Broads Authority [Member Code of Conduct](#) and guidance notes for further information.

In accordance with Chapter 7 of Part 1 of the Localism Act 2011

| Subject | Description | Details of member's interest | Details of partner's interest |
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| Employment, office, trade, profession or vocation | Any employment, office, trade, profession or vocation carried on for profit or gain. | Self-employed Environmental Consultant and author Jacobs Consultant – Senior Associate Director | N/A |
| Sponsorship | Any payment or provision of any other financial benefit (other than from the Authority) made to the member during the previous 12-month period for expenses incurred by him/her in carrying out his/her duties as a member, or towards his/her election expenses. This includes any payment or financial benefit from a trade union within the meaning of the Trade Union and Labour Relations (Consolidation) Act 1992. | None | N/A |

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| Contracts | Any contract made between the member or his/her spouse or civil partner or the person with whom the member is living as if they were spouses/civil partners (or a firm in which such person is a partner, or an incorporated body of which such person is a director or a body that such person has a beneficial interest in the securities of) and the Authority (a) under which goods or services are to be provided or works are to be executed; and (b) which has not been fully discharged. | None | N/A |
| Land and property | Any beneficial interest in land which is within the area of the Authority. 'Land' excludes an easement, servitude, interest or right in or over land which does not give the member or his/her partner a right to occupy or to receive income. | None | N/A |
| Licenses | Any licence (alone or jointly with others) to occupy land in the area of the Authority for a month or longer. | None | N/A |

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| Corporate tenancies | Any tenancy where (to the member's knowledge (a) The landlord is the Authority; and (b) The tenant is a body that the member, or his/her partner is a partner of or a director of or has a beneficial interest in the securities of. | None | N/A |

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| Securities | <p>Any beneficial interest in securities of a body where</p> <p>(a) That body (to the member's knowledge) has a place of business or land in the area of the Authority; and</p> <p>(b) Either</p> <p>i. The total nominal value of the securities exceeds £25,000 or one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that body; or</p> <p>ii. If the share capital of that body is of more than one class, the total nominal value of the shares of any one class in which the member, or his/her partner have a beneficial interest exceeds one hundredth of the total issued share capital of that class.</p> | None | N/A |

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| Any other interests | <p>You must register as an 'Other Registerable Interest':</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) any unpaid directorships (b) any body of which you are a member or are in a position of general control or management and to which you are nominated or appointed by your authority (c) any body <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. exercising functions of a public nature b. directed to charitable purposes or c. one of whose principal purposes includes the influence of public opinion or policy (including any political party or trade union) <p>of which you are a member or in a position of general control or management.</p> | <p>Trustee of the Friends of Gondwana Rainforest</p> <p>Member of:</p> <p>Plantlife</p> <p>British Entomological and Natural History Society</p> <p>RSPB</p> | N/A |

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| <p>Gifts and hospitality I have received a gift or hospitality worth £50 or over from the following persons or bodies or other organisations</p> | <p>This section only applies to gifts or hospitality received in your capacity as a member of the Authority. You do not have to specify the nature or value of the gift or hospitality but you may do so if you wish. If you are not sure of the value of the gift or hospitality, please estimate it. Also, you should register an accumulation of small gifts from the same source over a short period which add up to £50 or over.</p> | None | N/A |
| <p>Toll paying</p> | Annotate if you are a toll payer | N/A | N/A |

Member signature:

Matthew Shardlow

Date:

1 February 2026

Monitoring Officer:

Jonathan Goolden

Date:

9 February 2026