

Partnerships 2024-25

Partnerships – by Directorate listed newest to oldest

Net Zero Exeter & City Management. Director – David Bartram

- Exeter Innovation Hub (2023)
- Fibre Optic Network (2022)
- Torbay & Devon Adult Safeguarding Partnership (2021)
- Exeter Valley Park and Wild City (2019)
- Car Park Back Office (2019)
- Devon Authorities Strategic Waste Committee (2017)
- Highways England (2017)
- In Exeter (2017)
- Exeter Community Safety Partnership (2017)
- Energy Saving Devon (2017)
- Exeter Business Against Crime (2017)
- Exeter Private Rental Forum (2017)
- Better Business for All (2017)
- Devon Safeguarding Children Partnership (2017)
- Devon Emergency Planning Partnership (2015)
- Exe Estuary Management Partnership (1995)
- Car Park collection arrangement (>20 Years)

Customer, Data, Digital. Director – Jo Yelland

- Eastern Devon Local Care Partnership (2022)
- Wellbeing Exeter Commissioning Board (2017)

Chief Executive – Bindu Arjoon

- Exeter Civic University Agreement (2021)

Culture, Leisure & Tourism. Director – Jon-Paul Hedge

- Art Explora Time Odyssey (2024)
- Exeter Heritage Partnership (2023)
- Women's Rugby World Cup 2025 (2022)
- Friends of RAMM (Registered Charity) (2022)
- RAMM Development Trust (Registered Charity) (2022)
- Exeter Playing Pitch Strategy (2022)
- Creative Arc (2019)
- Sport England / Live and Move (2018)
- Move More Cranbrook (2018)
- Wellbeing Exeter Commissioning Board (2017)
- Arts Council England (2010)

City Development. Director – Ian Collinson

- Greater Exeter Garden Community (2022)
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- Building Greater Exeter (2018)
- Making Every Adult Matter Partnership (2018)
- South East Devon Habitat Regulations Partnership (2017)
- Devon Home Choice (2017)
- Devon and Cornwall Housing Options Partnership (2017)
- Devon Homelessness Prevention Partnership (2015)

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February 2023	Exeter Innovation Hub	The Innovation Hub is to support the commercialisation of research coming out of the University of Exeter, which would drive productivity and GSP within Exeter	University of Exeter ECC SetSquared	Victoria Hatfield victoria.hatfield@exeter.gov.uk	£120,000 over two years – paid for by external funding, UKSPF	Cllr Philip Bialyk
2022	Fibre Optic Network	Shared contribution for repairs to fibre optic network if necessary	ECC DCC University Exeter College R D & E Devon & Cornwall Police	Simon Lane simon.lane@exeter.gov.uk	Likely to enhance maintenance/call out provision to protect this asset so nominal annual charges for this (say £5K per partner organisation).	None
2021	Torbay & Devon Adult Safeguarding Partnership	The TDSAP is the name for the partners of the Torbay & Devon Adult Safeguarding Board which acts as the key mechanism for agreeing how these agencies work together to safeguard and promote the safety and wellbeing of adults at risk and/or in vulnerable situations.	Multi Agency	Melinda Pogue-Jackson melinda.pogue-jackson@exeter.gov.uk	None other than for specific agreed projects	None
2019	Exeter Valley Park and Wild City	- Manage and improve the Valley Parks in the City - Support and advise on community wildlife initiatives in the city	ECC Devon Wildlife Trust	David Bartram david.Bartram@exeter.gov.uk	£425,000 commuted sum	Cllr Harvey

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		- Enhance and protect the wildlife value of green space in the city - Provide opportunities for people to experience and enjoy our amazing urban wildlife				
2019	Car Park Back Office	DCC undertakes all of the back office car park charge tasks in return DCC use the office in the John Lewis car park for their on-street staff	ECC DCC	Victoria Hatfield victoria.hatfield@exeter.gov.uk	Loss of rental on empty office	None
2017	Devon Authorities Strategic Waste Committee	Promote sustainable, cost effective and efficient service delivery through a shared approach to resource and waste management in Devon	All Devon Authorities	Craig Daysh craig.daysh@exeter.gov.uk	£9760 in 16/17	Lead Councillor for Place
2017	Highways England	Improve cleaning standards across the A30	ECC Highways England	Cat Chambers cat.chambers@exeter.gov.uk	None	None
2017	In Exeter	Promotion and Development of BID area	ECC DCC Elected businesses from the BID membership	Catherine Hill catherine.hill@exeter.gov.uk Victoria Hatfield victoria.hatfield@exeter.gov.uk	Project specific	Cllr Laura Wright
2017	Exeter Community Safety Partnership	Statute under the Crime and Disorder Action 1998	Churches Unlimited; CoLab; Exeter Business Against Crime (EBAC) Partnership; ECC; Exeter Probation Service; DCC including: - Devon Youth Justice Service - Public Health Devon	Simon Lane simon.lane@exeter.gov.uk	No funding commitments	Deputy Leader PFH for Arts, Culture and Corporate Services

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			- Safer Devon Partnership. Devon & Cornwall Police; Devon & Somerset Fire & Rescue Service; Devon & Somerset Trading Standards Service; Devon Partnership NHS Trust; InExeter (Exeter Business Improvement District); Met Office; NHS Devon Integrated Care Board; Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Devon, Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly; Space Youth Services; The Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust (Hospital); University of Exeter; University of Exeter Guild of Students			

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2017	Energy Saving Devon	Delivering energy efficient measures	Devon District DCC Community Energy Groups	Simon Lane simon.lane@exeter.gov.uk Claire Hope claire.hope@exeter.gov.uk	None	None
2017	Exeter Business Against Crime	Reduce and deter business crime in Exeter	ECC Police Business community EBAC members	Simon Lane simon.lane@exeter.gov.uk	Annual fees paid by business members	None
2017	Exeter Private Rental Forum	To improve standards of the private rented sector in Exeter	Citizens Advice Exeter; National Residential Landlords Association; Association of Residential Letting Agents; Exeter University of Students Guild; Local letting agents and landlords; Exeter Community Energy ; Young Devon; YMCA	Simon Lane simon.lane@exeter.gov.uk Claire Hope claire.hope@exeter.gov.uk	Cost neutral	None
2017	Better Business for All	Brings together businesses and regulators to consider and change how local regulation is delivered and received	South West District, Unitary and County Councils LEP	Simon Lane simon.lane@exeter.gov.uk Simon Ruddy simon.ruddy@exeter.gov.uk	None	None
2017	Devon Safeguarding Children Partnership	To improve outcomes for children by making multi-agency working more effective	ECC NHS Devon ICB Devon & Cornwall Police DCC Torbay and South Devon NHS	Melinda Pogue-Jackson melinda.pogue-jackson@exeter.gov.uk	For specific agreed projects only	None

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			Foundation Trust Quality Assurance, Reviewing and Safeguarding Service (QARSS)			
2015	Devon Emergency Planning Partnership	Co-ordination and oversight of emergency preparation and preparedness across Devon and Devon districts	ECC DCC Other Devon districts Torbay	Simon Lane simon.lane@exeter.gov.uk	£7,000 pa	None
1995	Exe Estuary Management	To provide a cohesive approach, communicating easily and making the most efficient use of limited resources.	ECC DCC Dawlish Town Council EDDC Environment Agency Exmouth Town Council Devon & Severn Inshore Fisheries & Conservation Authority RSPB - Starcross Teignbridge District Council Woodbury Parish Council	Grahame Forshaw grahame.forshaw@exeter.gov.uk		None
> 20 years	Car Park Collection Arrangement	ECC collects the income from TDC car park machines and in return TDC counts ECC car park income	ECC Teignbridge DC	Victoria Hatfield victoria.hatfield@exeter.gov.uk	Cost of vehicle & staff	None

Culture, Leisure & Tourism. Director – Jon-Paul Hedge

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2024	Art Explora Time Odyssey	To deliver a programme of school visits to RAMM, enabling visits from schools who would not normally come to the museum. The externally-funded project will provide transport to the museum and delivery of digital immersive game.	RAMM Art Explora The British Museum Other regional museums	Helen Hartstein helen.hartstein@exeter.gov.uk	Officers time (project management & marketing)	Cllr Laura Wright
2023	Exeter Heritage Partnership	The Partnership represents heritage institutions (organisations that manage historic buildings, sites and collections) within the city of Exeter. The Mission is to be the voice for Exeter’s heritage institutions; working in partnership to lead inclusive, inspirational and thought-provoking heritage activities which encourage both residents and visitors to engage with the story of Exeter’s 2000-year history. Chaired by Henry French, University of Exeter and supported by ECC.	University of Exeter Devon & Exeter Institution Devon & Exeter Medical Heritage Trust ECQT Exeter Cathedral ECC (including Historic Guildhall, Red Coats, Underground Passages, Custom House, Visit Exeter) Exeter Culture Exeter Historic Buildings Trust Literature Works RAMM St Nicholas Priory SW Heritage Trust Tuckers Hall UNESCO CoL	Sophie Constant sophie.constant@exeter.gov.uk	In-kind support from ECC. Received £9,711 from NHLF for Volunteering Project, looking to put another bid in tbc	Cllr Laura Wright

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2022	Women's Rugby World Cup 2025	To deliver alongside Exeter rugby club, Exeter as a host city destination for WRWC25 including an impact/legacy programme.	ECC Exeter Rugby Club World Rugby Local operating company RFU	Catherine Hill catherine.hill@exeter.gov.uk	£100,000	Cllr Duncan Wood
2022	Friends of RAMM (Registered Charity)	a) support preservation, presentation and development of the collections of said organisation in co-operation with their management, staff and trustees; b) promote awareness of and stimulate interest in the arts, history, culture and heritage within Exeter and the surrounding area through a programme of events, visits, talks and activities.	Trustees: Richard Pocock Irene Herman Andrew McKeon Alan Caig Josephine Hawkins Grisilda Harrison Elizabeth Wells Helen Honeyball	Alison Hopper-Bishop alison.hopperbishop@exeter.gov.uk		None
2022	RAMM Development Trust (Registered Charity)	To advance the education of the public by the promotion, support, assistance and improvement of the Royal Albert Memorial Museum including its galleries, displays, collections, amenities and facilities, educational and research activities and community outreach and engagement programmes.	Trustees: Richard Bearne Cllr Wright Andrew Leadbetter James Browne Sharon Austen Derek Phillips	Alison Hopper-Bishop alison.hopperbishop@exeter.gov.uk		Cllr Laura Wright
2022	Exeter Playing Pitch Strategy	To create, improve and develop excellent, free and accessible family play provision across the city, promoting active and healthy lifestyles.	ECC Sport England National Governing Bodies of Sport BELAP University of Exeter	James Bogue james.bogue@exeter.gov.uk		Cllr Josie Parkhouse

Date Established	Name of partnership	Scope of the partnership	Member Bodies	ECC Lead Officer & email address	Financial Commitment	Member Involvement
			Exeter College			
2019	Creative Arc	To deliver a programme of cultural activity across the city to build pride of place and increase life chances. Creative Arc will explore cultural solutions to the social, economic and environmental challenges facing the city now and in the future (part of the Exeter Civic University Agreement).	ECC University of Exeter	Sophie Constant sophie.constant@exeter.gov.uk		Cllr Laura Wright
2018	Sport England / Live and Move	To deliver the Sport England Local Delivery Pilot work in meeting outcomes of increased levels of physical activity, wellbeing, active travel and strengthening communities	ECC DCC Sport England East Devon District Council Cranbrook Town Council Active Devon Devon Community Foundation Tedd Wragg Trust Inclusive Exeter	Jon-Paul Hedge jon-paul.hedge@exeter.gov.uk	Weekly strategic and operational input. Quarterly formal meetings	Cllr Duncan Wood
2018	Move More Cranbrook	To listen and respond to the needs of residents and organisations to help people to be more physically active. The Move More group are offering advice, support and easier access to funding for people who are looking to provide opportunities for the outcomes below.	ECC Cranbrook Town Council DCC LED Leisure EDDC Active Devon Sport England Livewest Cranbrook Education Campus	James Bogue james.bogue@exeter.gov.uk	Budget circa £40k for 2024/25	None

Date Established	Name of partnership	Scope of the partnership	Member Bodies	ECC Lead Officer & email address	Financial Commitment	Member Involvement
2017	Wellbeing Exeter Commissioning Board	To help people move from a dependence on medical services, through a safe and supported period of transition, into increased involvement with the local community and having a richer and more fulfilled interdependent life with neighbours and friends	ECC DCC Devon Community Foundation Public agencies Voluntary agencies Community sector organisations GP practices	James Bogue james.bogue@exeter.gov.uk	Budget circa £700k for 2024/25	Cllr Martin Pearce
2010	Arts Council England	To deliver National Portfolio Organisation (NPO) programmes of work agreed and funded by Arts Council England, based on their strategic priorities for cultural development and its role in community place shaping and enrichment of individual quality of life	As an NPO RAMM is part of a national programme, membership of which is reviewed approximately every three years	Helen Hartstein helen.hartstein@exeter.gov.uk	Based on Exeter City Council's revenue expenditure on RAMM	Cllr Laura Wright

City Development. Director – Ian Collinson

Date Established	Name of partnership	Scope of the partnership	Member Bodies	ECC Lead Officer & email address	Financial Commitment	Member Involvement
2022	Greater Exeter Garden Community	To Jointly bid for Homes England funding with neighbouring authorities	ECC Teignbridge DC Mid Devon DC East Devon DC Devon County Council	Ian Collinson ian.collinson@exeter.gov.uk		None
2022	Social Housing Extra Care Scheme (Edwards Court)	Delivery of Extra Care at Edwards Court	ECC Devon County Council	Claire Taylor claire.taylor@exeter.gov.uk		None

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			Radis Community Care			
2021	Domestic Abuse Local Partnership Board	Devon Local Authority consistent approach to Domestic Abuse.	Devon Local Authorities including DCC	Richard Crompton richard.crompton@exeter.gov.uk		None (occasional DCC Cllr)
2020	Liveable Exeter Place Board	To bring together the city's leading public and private sector organisations, to collaboratively and proactively plan for the city's future – with the aim of delivering on the city's 2040 vision and making Exeter an exceptional place to Live, Work, Study or Visit	ECC Devon County council University of Exeter DWP Earl of Devon RD&E Exeter College LiveWest Midas Group Sport England Exeter Rugby Club Arts Council Devon Community Foundation Oxygen House Exeter Chamber of Commerce Exeter City Football Club Community Trust GWR Bishop of Exeter Network Rail TEDxExeter Dean of Exeter Cathedral MP's for Exeter and East Devon Met Office	Ian Collinson ian.collinson@exeter.gov.uk		Leader
2020	System Change Action Alliance	Development of trauma-informed practice across	ECC NDDC	Robert Fenwick robert.fenwick@exeter.gov.uk		None

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		multi-disciplinary partners supporting complex needs and homelessness	MEAM DCC Public Health VCSE partners RSLs			
2019	Exeter Homelessness Partnership	Broaden the resources and citywide commitment to resolve Exeter's' rough sleepers	ECC Julian House COLAB BCHA	Richard Crompton richard.crompton@exeter.gov.uk		None
2018	Building Greater Exeter	Building Greater Exeter is a public and private sector employability and skills initiative supporting the built environment to shape the future workforce by inspiring new candidates, supporting employers and promoting a culture that makes it a great place to work across Exeter, East Devon and Teignbridge.	Within our geography: ECC, EDDC and TDC; Local employers within the built environment from large-scale organisations to supply chains; Training providers and initiatives; Colleges; University of Exeter; Schools (non-paying)	George Marshall george.marshall@exeter.gov.uk	20k per annum from the Shared Prosperity Fund (SPF) 2023-2025; External funding from Member Bodies; Additional revenues sought through ESP's on major developments, sponsorship and grant funding.	Cllr Emma Morse
2018	Making Every Adult Matter Partnership	Best practice partnership for working with people with complex and multiple needs	ECC COLAB MEAM	Richard Crompton richard.crompton@exeter.gov.uk		None
2017	South East Devon Habitat Regulations Partnership (2017)	To devise and deliver a site mitigation strategy for the protected habitats in the area	ECC Teignbridge District Council East Devon District Council Natural England Devon Wildlife Trust RSPB Exe Estuary Management Partnership	Dale Cooper dale.cooper@exeter.gov.uk	Staff time (although the council will contribute several million pounds towards the mitigation strategy)	None

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2017	Devon Home Choice	Advertising and allocation of all social housing throughout Devon	All LA's in Devon and all main RSL's, Community Council of Devon	Lena MacFarlane Lena.macfarlane@exeter.gov.uk	£2,500 per year financial contribution to Devon Home Choice. £50 charge for each ECC home advertised through Devon Home Choice The 2 Devon Home Choice posts and the IT system are funded by the charge levied on homes advertised, together with the £2,500 contribution from each of the 10 partner LAs.	None
2017	Devon and Cornwall Housing Options Partnership	To share good practice, to improve efficiency and consistency of approaches. To share ideas and agree on countywide protocols.	All Devon LA's including unitaries and Cornwall	Vicki Whitty vicki.whitty@exeter.gov.uk	£5000 annually	None
2015	Devon Homelessness Prevention Partnership	To share good practice, to improve efficiency and consistency of approaches, to share ideas and agree on countywide protocols for homeless 16 and 17 year olds and also those leaving care.	All Devon LA's, excluding unitaries	Vicki Whitty vicki.whitty@exeter.gov.uk		None

Customer, Data, Digital. Director – Jo Yelland

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2022	Eastern Devon Local Care Partnership	To work to connect people and services in ways that enable people to live healthy and happier lives and to better join up hospital and community-based services, physical and mental health, and health and social care whilst increasing the existing strengths of communities.	ECC Devon Community Foundation Devon Communities Together DCC Devon Partnership NHS Trust East Devon District Council Healthwatch Honiton Health Matter Involve Mid Devon Light-up Axminster Mental Health Network Mid Devon DC NHS Devon Clinical Commissioning Group Ottery St Mary Health & Wellbeing Forum Sid Valley Help R D & E WEB Community Health & Wellbeing Board Wellbeing Exeter	Jo Yelland jo.yelland@exeter.gov.uk		None

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			Wellmoor West Devon BC West Devon CVS			
2017	Wellbeing Exeter Commissioning Board	To help people move from a dependence on medical services, through a safe and supported period of transition, into increased involvement with the local community and having a richer and more fulfilled interdependent life with neighbours and friends	ECC DCC Devon Community Foundation Public agencies Voluntary agencies Community sector organisations GP practices	James Bogue james.bogue@exeter.gov.uk	Budget circa £700k for 2024/25	Cllr Martin Pearce

Chief Executive – Bindu Arjoon

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2021	Exeter Civic University Agreement	To improve levels of prosperity, equal opportunity, sustainability, health and wellbeing for Exeter's citizens, families and communities	ECC University of Exeter RD&E Exeter College	Bindu Arjoon bindu.arjoon@exeter.gov.uk		Leader