

Schedule B

Representatives on North East Combined Authority and Joint Authorities/Joint Committees 2025/26

(All appointments are made until the next Annual Meeting unless otherwise stated).

North East Combined Authority

North East Combined Authority Cabinet Number of Representatives: 1 (plus 2 substitutes)			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Karen Kilgour	Leader of Council	
Labour	Alex Hay	Substitute Member	
Labour	Dan Greenhough	Substitute Member	

North East Combined Authority Overview and Scrutiny Committee			
Number of Represent	tatives: 2 (plus 2 subst	itutes)	
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Linda Wright		
Liberal Democrat	Colin Ferguson		
Labour	Steve Fairlie	Substitute Member	
Liberal Democrat	Greg Stone	Substitute Member	

North East Combined Authority Audit and Standards Committee Number of Representatives: 2 (plus 2 substitutes)			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Ged Bell		
Liberal Democrat	Mark Mitchell		
Labour	Milo Barnett	Substitute Member	
Liberal Democrat	Colin Ferguson	Substitute Member	

Joint Committees

Collaborative Procurement Sub Committee (NEPO)			
Number of Representatives: 1			
Party	Councillor		Special Responsibility
Labour	Paul Frew		Cabinet Member

Joint Street Lighting Committee Number of Representatives: 2			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Juna Sathian	Cabinet Member	
Labour	Stephen Fairlie		
Labour	Irim Ali	Substitute Member	
Labour	Alex Hay	Substitute Member	

Joint Tyne Bridges Committee Number of Representatives: 4 (3+1)			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Alex Hay	Cabinet Member	
Labour	Steve Fairlie		
Labour	Juna Sathian		
Liberal Democrat	Pauline Allen		
Liberal Democrat	P J Morrissey	Substitute Member	

Newcastle International Airport Holding Company Number of Representatives: 2			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Karen Kilgour	Leader of Council	
Labour	Alex Hay	Alternate Director	

North East Joint Health Overview and Scrutiny Committee Number of Representatives: 1 – Chair of Health and Social Care Scrutiny Committee or another nominated deputy			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Liberal Democrat	Wendy Taylor	Chair of Health and Social Care Scrutiny Committee	

Northumbria Police and Crime Panel			
Number of Representatives: 2			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Irim Ali		
Liberal Democrat	Peter Lovatt		

North East Museums Strategic Board			
Number of Representatives: 2 (ToRs updated 27.03.25)			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Abdul Samad	Cabinet Member	
Labour	Linda Wright		

Tyne and Wear Fire and Rescue Authority Number of Representatives: 4 (3+1)			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Karen Kilgour		
Labour	Jacqui Robinson		
Labour	Ged Bell		
Liberal Democrat	Tom Woodwark		

Tyne and Wear Joint Trading Standards Committee Number of Representatives: 4 (3+1)			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Alex Hay	Cabinet Member	
Labour	Adam Walker		
Labour	Maureen Lowson		
Liberal Democrat	Peter Lovatt		
Liberal Democrat	Karen Robinson	Substitute Member	

Tyne and Wear Pensions Committee Number of Representatives: 1			
Party	Councillor	Comments	
Labour	Paul Frew	Cabinet Member	
Labour	Ged Bell	Substitute	