

Devolution – Stage 1 Consultation, Elected Member Feedback

Elected Member	Comments
Cllr Arnold	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • everyone agrees we should join, we cannot not join whether we like it or not. • we need to work together to get best value for local people • we need a voice on any committees to stand up for the north • is HS2 best value for money • need a good deal so we are not left behind • share with other Councils to get the A64 moving • join together to get rid of duplicated working • malton-tc.gov.uk needs a southern bypass or ring road to cater for the extra trains • how local are decisions going to be • need to level up the north and south • we've heard about broadband before but it never happens • electric cars will never happen we will never provide enough charging points or generate enough electricity • more affordable housing, great, low carbon housing great • no powers given up without local consent- not sure about that • spatial plan is good • circular economy is good • everything is not about Malton-tc.gov.uk • if we don't join we will miss out • when you look at the money and the spending proposals it's not that much really
Cllr Goodrick	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concerns about what's in it for Ryedale. I can see the advantages in some areas and disadvantage in others.
Cllr Oxley	<p>Summarised comments as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stressed the importance of greater district council joint working; a clear role for the LEP going forward; an independent Elected Mayor; and the importance of a bottom up approach
Cllr Duncan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Group consensus is that Ryedale should be part of the process, and the benefits of devolution can be seen

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The additional funding and powers on offer are welcomed • It is clear that Ryedale needs the same voting rights as bigger authorities • The key to success will be working together • Need to clarify whether the LEP chair is on the CA board/voting rights held • Need to clarify how the national park fits into the process?
Cllr Burr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is some reluctance, but a recognition of the need to do this • Devolution offers positives for Ryedale – ie. important investment • Need to clarify who picks up the cost of the mayor/mayor's office • Need to clarify issues of power/control/who feeds Ryedale's views into the mayor
Cllr Keal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Is a danger that a small authority like Ryedale could get lost – need to avoid this • Concerns around the cost of the mayor/mayor's office • Need to be clear where the power base lies