Appointment of four Board Members of Natural England

“As a member of the Board, you will be essential in supporting me, as new Chair of the Board of Natural England, to drive forward ambitious plans with the senior leadership of the organisation. You will be able to share your experience and enthusiasm for the natural environment, and be able to work collaboratively and in partnership at the national and local level.

If you have the skills, passion and experience to help lead Natural England, whatever your background, we very much look forward to hearing from you.”

Tony Juniper, Chair of Natural England

Current recruitment: The Board provides leadership and strategic vision, sets the overall strategic operational direction of Natural England, ensures good governance and holds the executive to account. The Board will promote a positive and constructive relationship with everyone that works with Natural England including farmers and other land managers, business and industry, planners and developers, and a wide range of interest groups and local communities as well as other Government Departments, regulators and local government. The appointment will be up to three years with remuneration of £328 per day (£11,808 pro rata) for a time commitment of approximately three days a month.

About Natural England: Our vision is Thriving Nature for People and Planet, our mission is Building Partnerships for Nature’s Recovery with four developing programmes focussed on Greener Farming and Fisheries, Sustainable Development, Connecting People with Nature, and Resilient Landscapes and Seas. Natural England is committed to working in partnership with the Defra Group and other government bodies to achieve our shared ambition to be the first generation to leave the natural environment in a better condition than we found it. Natural England will be a leading player in delivering the Government’s 25-year plan for the environment and Net Zero ambitions.
Further information and to apply: please visit the Centre for Public Appointments
Closing date for applications: Noon on 14 November 2019

We actively encourage applications from individuals from a diverse range of backgrounds. Defra operates a guaranteed interview scheme for disabled people. These appointments are made in accordance with the Ministerial Governance Code and regulated by the Commissioner for Public Appointments.