



## Community Leadership Awards (ILM Endorsed)

### Date:

### Course Duration:

Completion is expected within 3 - 12 months of starting each level

### Venue:

Not applicable as these awards are based on a combination of your own organisation's training events and assignments assessed by South West Councils

### Description:

A suite of 3 ILM endorsed programmes that follow the natural developmental activities as Councillors and other Community Leaders become more established and experienced in their role and functions

### Aim:

To provide recognition of the development of skills, knowledge and experience of Councillors and others involved in community leadership as they become more established and experienced in their role and functions

### Content:

The 3 programmes have been endorsed by the Institute of Leadership & Management (ILM) and reflect the following stages:

#### Introduction – Induction

Councillors attend their Council's induction programme and are then assessed by us through a Reflective Review and Professional Discussion Interview. (We can also offer feedback gathered from the assessments on how effective the Councillors have found the Induction programme if required)

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#### Intermediate – Managing Meetings and Public Speaking

Councillors build on their knowledge and experience through taking a leading role in public speaking and managing meetings. These skills are enhanced through attending learning events arranged by their Council or external organisations or through carrying out their role and are then assessed by us through observation and the delivery of a presentation

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#### Advanced – Community Leadership Case Study

Councillors develop their skills and knowledge on a specific theme such as migration, sport, housing, health, social care through attending formal learning events arranged by their Council or external organisations and are then assessed by us through a case-study project

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Candidates can work progressively through each stage, or, if they have sufficient experience, can enter the programme at a level appropriate to them.



### TRAINING DETAILS

#### Course Administrator:

training@swcouncils.gov.uk or  
call 01823 270101

#### Related Courses:

- Essential Skills - 21st Century Councillor
- [Community Leadership Awards](#)
- [Chairing Meetings](#)
- [Planning Committee for Elected Members](#)
- [Understanding Community Leadership](#)
- [Role of the Frontline Councillor](#)
- [Speed Reading](#)
- [Appeals Panels – for Elected Members](#)
- [Bringing Social Enterprise into Your Ward](#)
- [Bringing Money into Your Ward](#)
- [Community Budgeting for Councillors](#)
- [Welfare Reform](#)

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*"I know I will be a better Councillor after completing this course"*

*"I found the course challenging, but rewarding. I was able to analyse the extent to which my own performance could be improved. The questions were searching, but the research required was very stimulating. In all, I found the experience very refreshing, well worthwhile and strangely enjoyable"*

*"The course inspired me to continue and develop my knowledge!"*

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Member Organisations: £175  
Non-Member Organisations: £215

*(All prices subject to VAT. Discounts for multiple bookings may apply)*

