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Department: **Community Services**  
Title: **Heritage Champions**  
Description: **Awareness and support for the Historic England's Heritage Champion Initiative.**

**Request/Response: (As Redacted)**

Would you be able to provide the following information?

- Are you aware of Historic England's Heritage Champion Initiative? NO
- Does your local authority currently have an appointed Heritage Champion and if so, when were they appointed?  
No but the Portfolio Holder for Leisure, Health and Culture has the following identified in the allocations of functions – "To determine matters relating to museums and heritage development"
- Do you have the name and contact details of the Heritage Champion?  
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- If you do not have a Heritage Champion, do you have any plans to appoint such a person?  
Not at present

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