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Subject: East Midlands County Combined Authority Engaging with the East Midlands Mayoral Candidates – Forthcoming Events

On 2 May, an election will take place for the first Mayor of the new East Midlands County Combined Authority. The role comes with enhanced funding and increased powers in areas such as transport, education and skills, housing, the environment and economic development.

We have pulled together several opportunities to engage with some of the prospective candidates, which may be of interest to you and/or your colleagues:

East Midlands Chamber Events

- Q1 Members Forum (Derbyshire), includes a discussion with Ben Bradley (Conservative) Matt Relf (Independent) and Frank Adlington-Stringer (Derbyshire Green Party)*, online – 19 March (15:30 – 17:00hrs)
- Q1 Members Forum (Nottinghamshire), as above, online – 22 March (15:30 – 17:00hrs)
- Mayoral Combined County Authority – Mayoral Husting, Liniar, Denby – 11 April (15:00 – 17:00hrs)

*Please note, Claire Ward (Labour) wasn't available for the online dates.

Non- Chamber Events

- Business Peak District: An Audience with the Candidates for the Mayor of EMCCA, Matlock - 13 March (08:00 – 10:00hrs)
- Destination Chesterfield: In Conversation with the East Midlands Combined County Mayoral Candidates part of the annual Celebrate Chesterfield Business Conference, Chesterfield - 20 March (07.30 – 11:00hrs)
- TheCityUK's Business: Attendees will hear from candidates for the new position of Metro Mayor in the East Midlands – Claire Ward (Labour) and Cllr Ben Bradley MP (Conservative), held at Capitol One, Trent House, Nottingham – 14 March (17:30 – 18:30) – if you are interested in attending this event please email judith.hawkes@thecityuk.com

To find out more and reserve your place, please visit our event page [here](#)

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