

Tim's PC Bio

In 2014, I moved from Bristol to North Devon with my wife, Michele, following our retirement.

After formal education, I completed seven years of agricultural study, including college and practical work on farms, and went on to Queensland, Australia for a time, working on a cattle/forestry ranch. Most of my working career, however, has been in plant hire, working with major construction and building firms, local authorities and universities, taking me from London, along the M4 corridor, settling in the Oxford area for several years, then on to Bristol.

The countryside has always held a special place for me, and my ambition was to retire to the rural West Country. Therefore, I was delighted to finally settle in our cottage in East Knowstone, in sight of Exmoor and surrounded by farmland. I was invited to join the Parish Council in 2015 and became the councillor responsible for local footpaths. My interest in, and love for, my community centres around the fabric of this parish and the people who live and work here. As a councillor, I feel privileged to help support and sustain the historic and traditional framework of the parish, whilst helping to facilitate necessary changes.