1. **Attendees:**
Open to any Social Enterprise organisation in Aberdeenshire.

2. **Frequency:**
Teams meetings once a month. (We will alternate times and days to make sure we can accommodate every working pattern where possible).

3. **Ground Rules:**
Open and honest, fully inclusive, Friendly, Non-judgemental, Confidential.

4. **What we will achieve:**
   - Network members adopt the Voluntary Code of Practice for SE
   - Building relationships with other social enterprises providing mutual support.
   - A place to share knowledge and experience.
   - Collaborative working relationships and connection across Aberdeenshire and the wider North East of Scotland and wider Social Enterprise community.
   - Identify emerging themes.
   - Be an advocate for funding specifically designed for Social Enterprises
   - Receive relevant updates and provide feedback to strategic groups via AVA
   - Better services & experiences.

5. **What Difference Will it make:**
   - Improved communication and an opportunity to network and learn from each other.
   - More informed on Aberdeenshire / national developments.
   - Improved experiences for Social Enterprises.

6. **Communications:**
   - Regular emails with up-to-date information of training and development and funding.

7. **Governance:**
AVA will host and support these meetings and terms of reference can be reviewed initially after 6 months and there after annually.
Members can chair meetings.

8. **Membership:**
Is open to anyone working in a Social Enterprise can sign up via the website or by invitations using a Microsoft from.

9. **Data protection & Confidentiality**