



GATWICK AREA CONSERVATION CAMPAIGN

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New Chairman for GACC

Peter Barclay is to be the new Chairman of the Gatwick Area Conservation Campaign. He will take over when the present chairman, Brendon Sewill, retires on 15 October.

Peter says: ' I aim to follow in Brendon's footsteps and lead GACC in opposing the unnecessary second runway at Gatwick and in the protection of our environment against unsustainable expansion of the airport.'

Peter is currently Vice-Chairman of GACC, and represents Environmental and Community Groups on the Gatwick Airport Consultative Committee. He is a Trustee of the Aviation Environment Trust.

He had a career in aviation in the course of which he lived and travelled extensively in the Far East and Africa. He is at present semi-retired but acts as clerk to Charlwood and Newdigate Parish Councils.

Peter adds: 'Many years of travelling enables me to understand the benefits and disadvantages of aviation. Having worked in the industry helps me to interpret some of the technical issues, while my parish council work gives an insight into community affairs and assists with networking at a local and national level.'

Peter and his wife, Cathy, live in Charlwood. When not thinking about the problems caused by aircraft, he manages a number of jazz and traditional singing groups,

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Campaigning for a better environment for the whole area around Gatwick

GACC, founded in 1968, has as paid-up members over 50 councils and over 40 community groups. We have built a reputation for sound judgement and reliable information and thus have the support of all local Members of Parliament.