



## NI Open Government Network Steering Committee

*The Northern Ireland Open Government Network is welcoming nominations for new steering committee members that will serve from January 2016 for a two year term. Members of the Steering Committee of the NIOGN should be members of the [Northern Ireland Network](#) and should commit to endorse the principles enshrined in the [Open Government Partnership Declaration](#)*

*The Steering Committee meets approximately every 6-8 weeks and the role of Committee members includes:*

- *Overseeing and supporting the Secretariat to deliver the 24 month Action Plan*
- *Developing strategy and policy in the interests of NIOGN as a whole and the public, putting forward ideas and constructively building on those of others*
- *Taking decisions about the prioritising of strategy according to the importance of the issue to the NIOGN*
- *Monitoring implementation of policies and activities of committees at a high level and assesses the effectiveness of the agreed strategy*
- *Representing the NIOGN policies and views in a positive way to external Audiences*
- *Communicating with the membership, representing the views and policies of the NIOGN and gauging the views of the wider membership*

*Nomination forms can be accessed [here](#) and should emailed to [ogn@nienvironmentlink.org](mailto:ogn@nienvironmentlink.org) or sent via post to Northern Ireland Environment Link, 89 Loopland Drive, Belfast. The deadline for submitting nominations is **7<sup>th</sup> January 2016**.*

