



## **AVM Peer Support Group Lead Volunteer**

### **Purpose**

To lead a local face-to-face peer support group where volunteer managers can meet in person on a regular basis to discuss various topics, learn from each other, share examples and increase professional networks. This role is critical to the success of establishing a network of regional peer support groups amongst volunteer management professionals and better connect and support your peers.

### **Benefits**

- Develop your leadership, organisational and facilitation skills
- Strengthen your own professional network and professional development whilst doing the same for others
- Opportunity to lead on the creation and development of a local peer networking group
- Be a key part of the UK's biggest voice, resource and network for people who manage volunteers and volunteer programmes

### **Role**

- Organise local face-to-face meetings for volunteer management professionals, including date, time, venue and possible resources
- Decide on the agenda for the face-to-face meetings
- Facilitate the meeting, guiding people through the agenda, encouraging conversation and debate
- Attend AVM-run support sessions for leads across the nations
- Help promote AVM membership and events at meetings

### **Who is AVM looking for?**

- Those who are organised and passionate, who are willing to take a leadership role in these meetings
- Those with a current understanding of trends and topics of interest in volunteer management
- Those interested in building and development local networks for volunteer managers

**Main contact:** Director of Networking Provision

**Expected commitment:** Participation in quarterly support sessions with AVM and other regional lead volunteers. Frequency of local face-to-face meetings to be determined by the lead volunteer.

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