

# Communication Structure

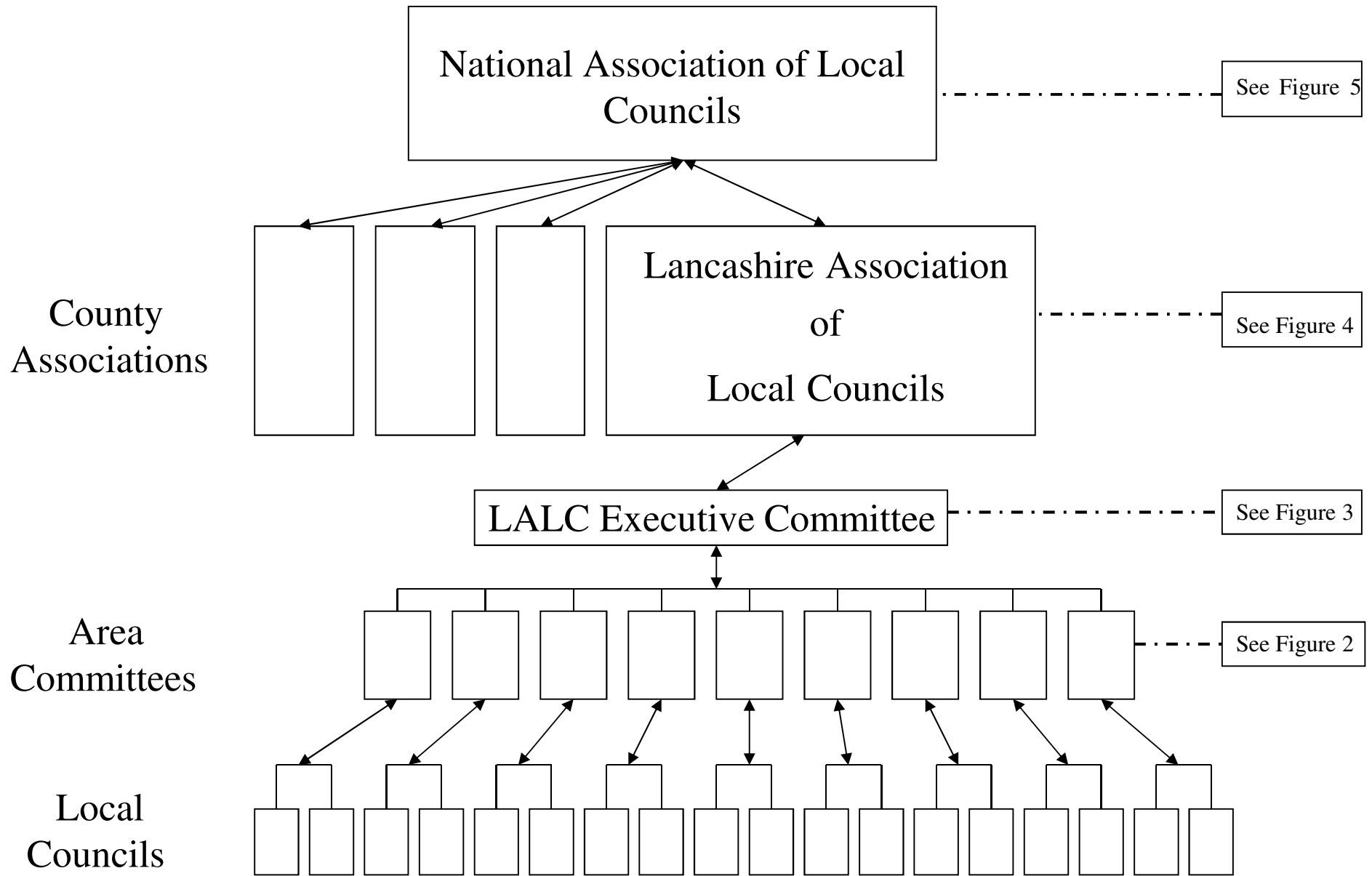
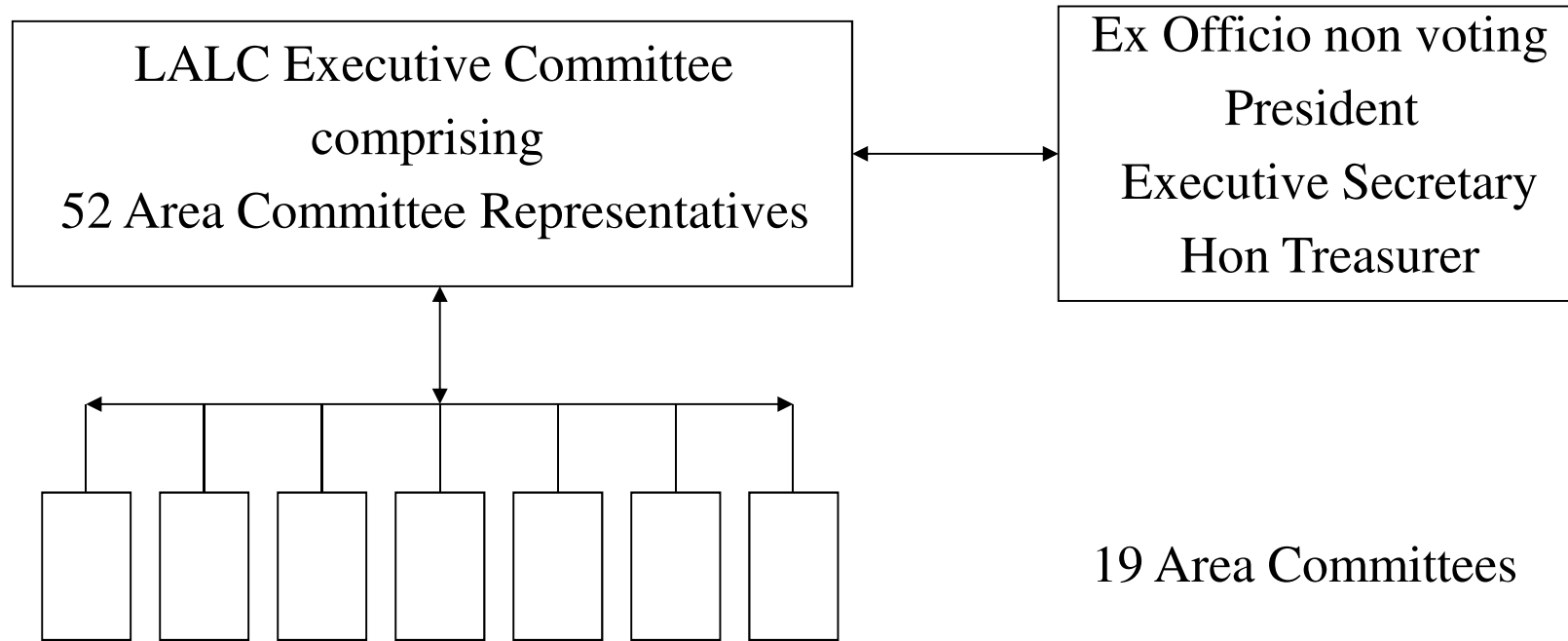


Figure 1

## Area Democratic Structure



19 Area Committees

## Primary Responsibilities of Area Committees

- Election of Representatives to the Executive
- Information exchange between Councils and Executive
- Election of Representatives to Area Outside Bodies
- Liaison with Principal Authorities
- Spreading Best Practice

Figure 2

LALC Working Structure

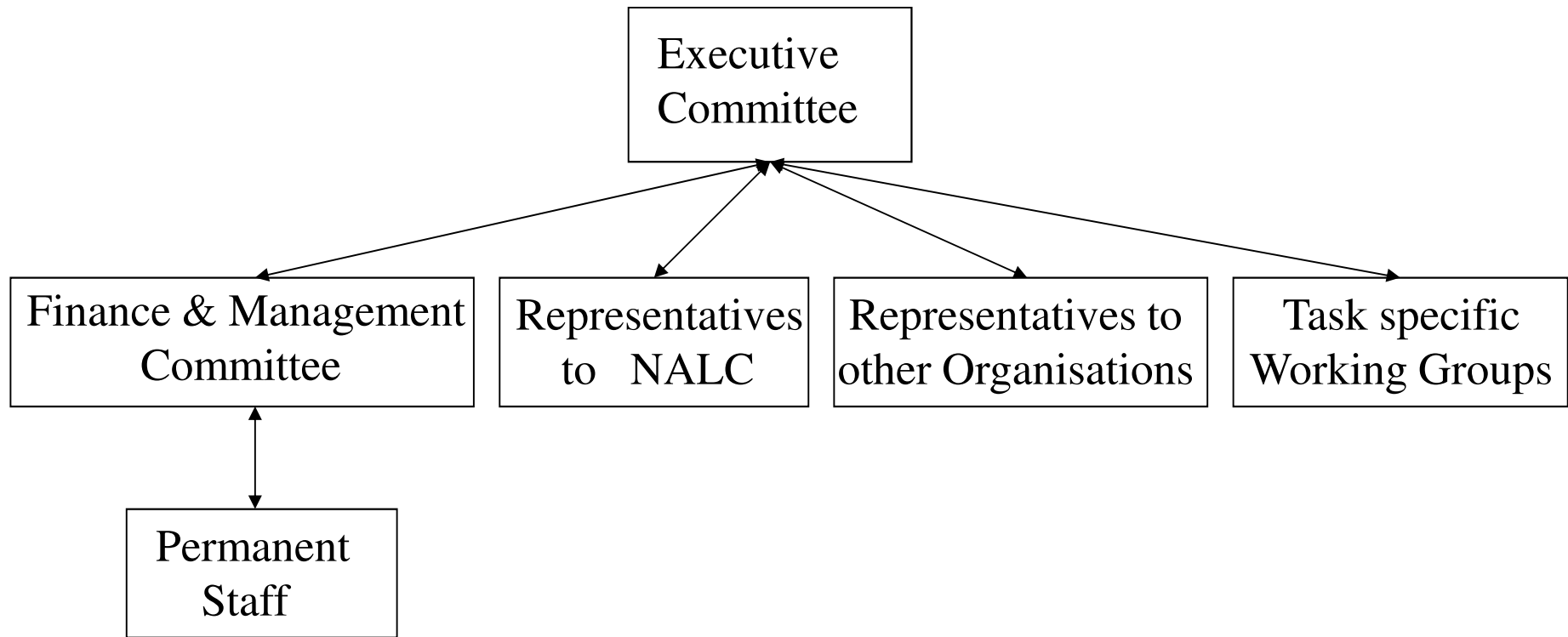
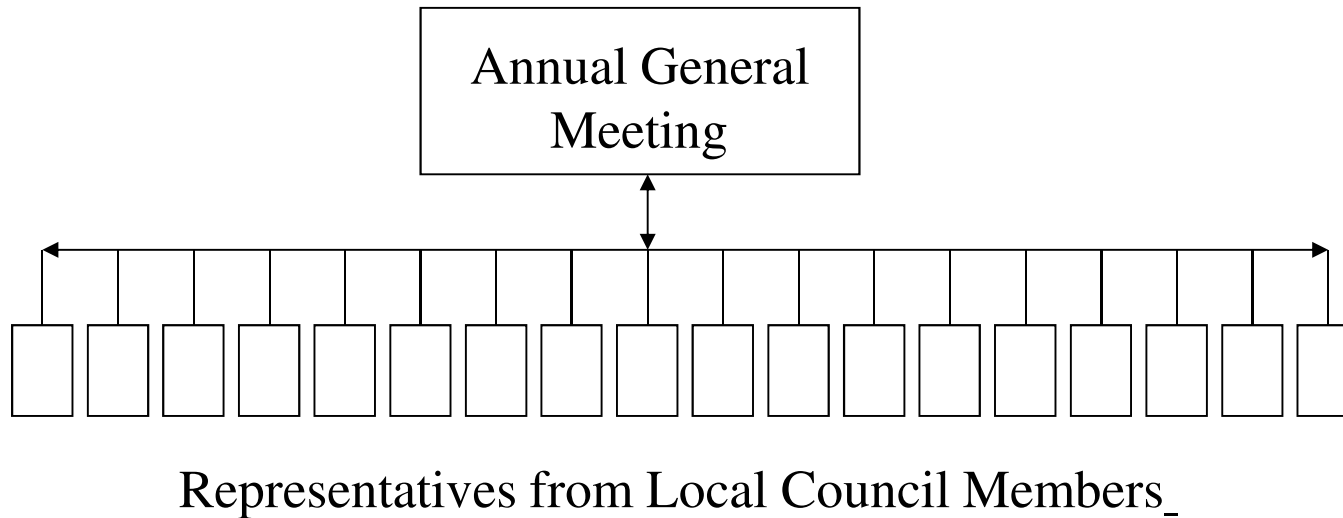


Figure 3

Democratic Structure



Primary Responsibilities

Constitution & Rules

Approval of Annual Accounts

Approval of Annual Budget

Calculation of Subscriptions

Association Policy & Resolutions

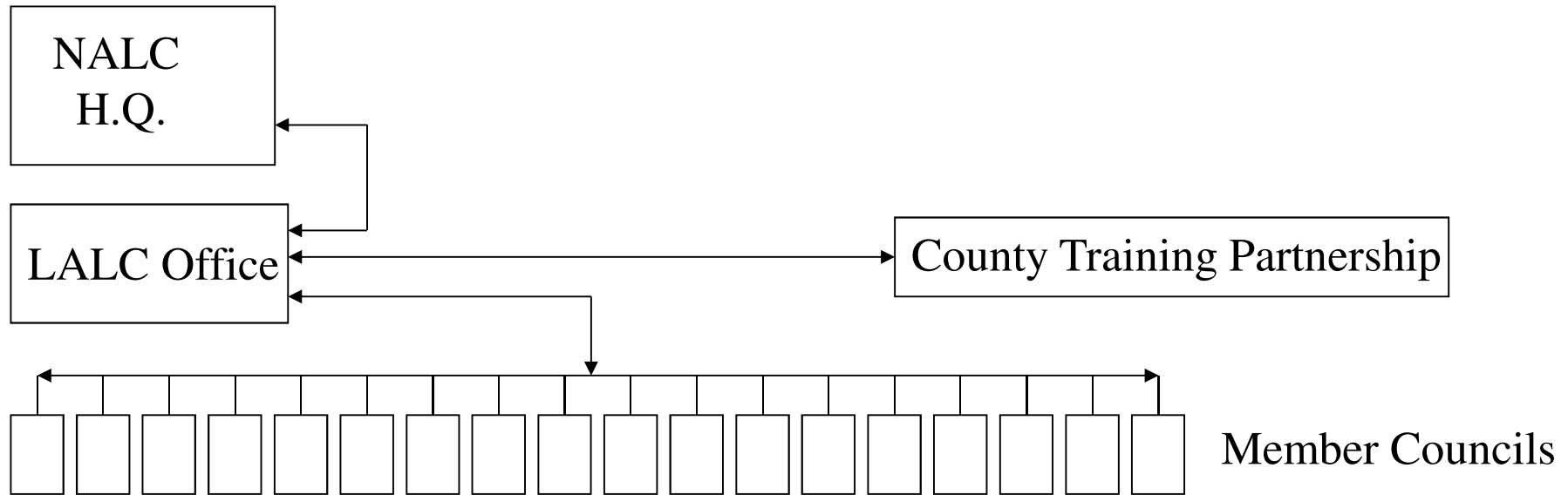
Election of President

Election of Vice Presidents

Election of Treasurer & Accountants

Figure 4

## Technical Guidance



## Some LALC Office Functions

Legal advice

Technical support

Tailored Training modules

Mentoring

Information Cascade

Mail Service

Organise Local Annual Conference

Access, training, liaison for NALC

Administration for Local Council Award Scheme

Liaison with :

Northwest Federation of Local Councils

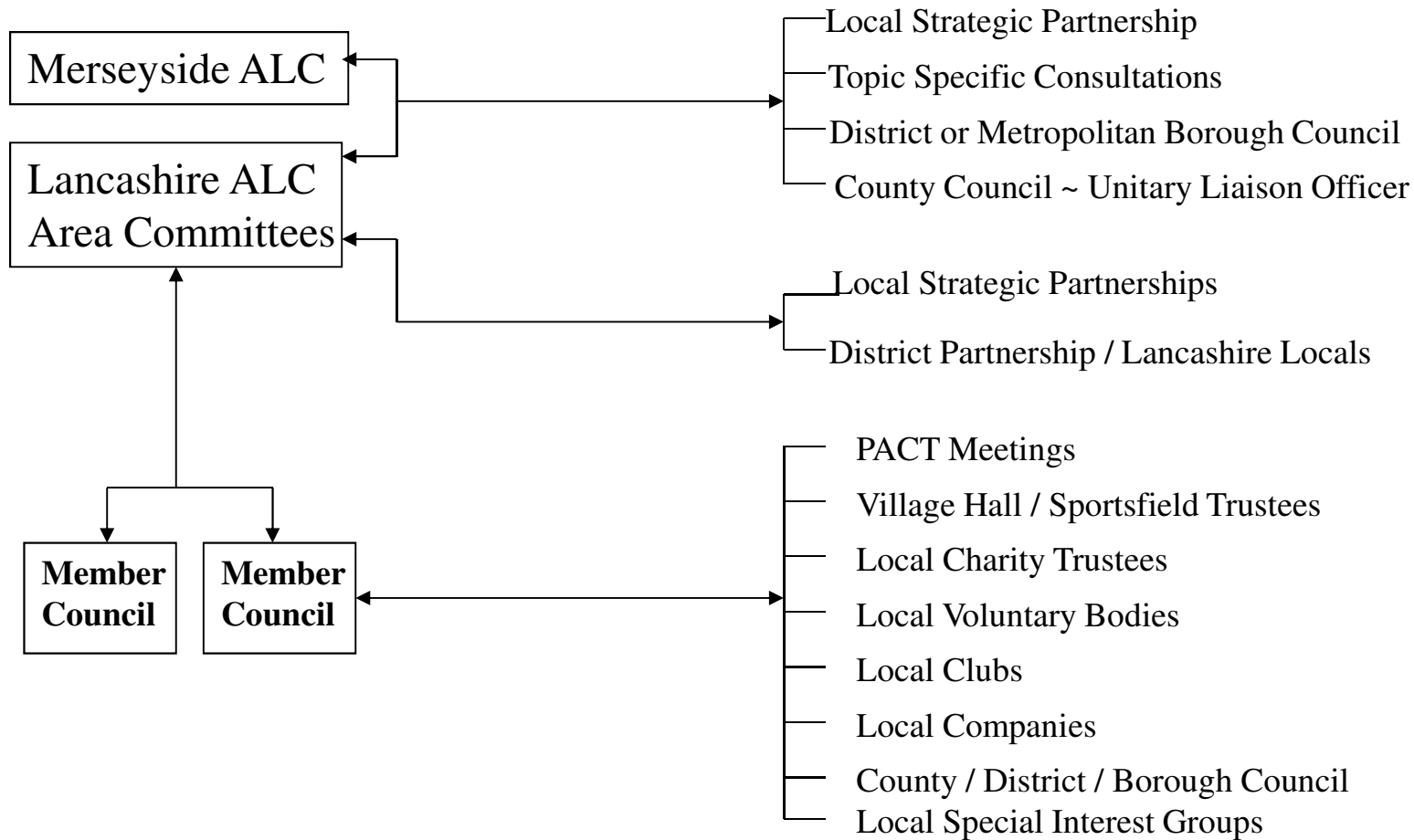
Northern Group

Lancashire County Council and Boroughs

Community Futures etc.

Figure 5

**AREA COMMITTEE ~ PARISH COUNCIL**  
**RELATIONSHIPS**



Area Committee meetings are open to ALL member Councillors and Clerks

Member Councils may nominate 3 voting representatives to their Area Committee. These may include the Clerk.

Figure 6