



**Visit by Rolande Anderson,  
Director General of the Office of  
the Third Sector**

Rolande Anderson, Director General at the Office of the Third Sector, visited Living Options Devon on Tuesday 12th January. She met with members of staff including Diana, Diane, Helen, Jo, Kristy and Debbie. Peter Swain, Chairman of Trustees, was also present at the meeting. This was an opportunity for Rolande to hear more about what Living Options does and there was a broad ranging discussion about the development of the third sector as a leading agency in the delivery of frontline services.

We have been involved very closely with the Office of the Third Sector and the Cabinet Office for some months and this visit follows a meeting with some more junior staff during the autumn when the organisation was canvassed about its opinions on a variety of topics by researchers. It is thought this will be part of an ongoing discussion with key government departments during the next year.