

## COUNCIL

10 April 2017

### CABINET RECOMMENDATIONS TO COUNCIL

#### Report of the Cabinet

Strategic Aim:	All		
Exempt Information		No	
Cabinet Member(s) Responsible:		N/A	
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#### DECISION RECOMMENDATIONS

1. That Council notes the Key Decisions made by Cabinet since the publication of the agenda for the previous ordinary meeting of the Council on 13 March 2017, as detailed in Appendix A to this report.
2. That Council approves the following Recommendation from Cabinet:

The making of the Langham Neighbourhood Plan in Appendix A to Report No. 57/2017.

**21 March 2017**  
**Decision No. 688**  
**Report No. 57/2017**  
**Langham Neighbourhood Plan**

#### 1 PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

- 1.1 To consider the recommendations of Cabinet since the publication of the agenda for the previous ordinary meeting of the Council on 13 March 2017.
- 1.2 To report to Council the Key Decisions made by Cabinet since the publication of the agenda for the previous ordinary meeting of the Council on 13 March 2017, as detailed in Appendix A to this report.

## **2 BACKGROUND AND MAIN CONSIDERATIONS**

### **2.1 Langham Neighbourhood Plan - Report number 57/2017**

Following the Cabinet meeting on 21st March 2017 Councillors queried the validity of the commentary within the report on wider issues falling outside the remit of planning policy such as Education and Highways.

As Neighbourhood Plans are primarily about the use and development of land and buildings only those elements relating to planning policy will have consideration in planning term and will be 'made', becoming part of the statutory development plan and therefore a material consideration in determining planning applications. Other proposals or community aspirations for the Natural Environment, Education and Development, Community and Economy carry no weight; these are important community aspirations which have been developed through extensive engagement with the local community and reflect local needs but are not material planning concerns.

The work of the Neighbourhood Planning Steering group will address this matter in future plans.

Further background and considerations can be found in report 57/2017.

- 2.2 The Key Decisions Listed in Appendix A have already been taken and can be found in the Cabinet Record of Decisions for the meetings of 21 March 2017

## **3 CONSULTATION**

- 3.1 As outlined in report number 57/2017.
- 3.2 Consultation for key decisions is included in the reports for the meetings of Cabinet referred to in Appendix A.

## **4 ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS**

- 4.1 The only other option would be to not receive the Cabinet's report to Council. However Procedure Rule 246.3 of the Constitution requires the submission of the report.

## **5 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 5.1 Any financial implications are outlined in report 57/2017, or contained in the reports referred to in Appendix A.

## **6 LEGAL AND GOVERNANCE CONSIDERATIONS**

- 6.1 As outlined in report 57/2017.
- 6.2 The Key Decisions listed in Appendix A have already been taken and the record is for Council's information only.

## **7 EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

- 7.1 As outlined in report 57/2017, or contained in the reports referred to in Appendix A.

## **8 COMMUNITY SAFETY IMPLICATIONS**

- 8.1 Any Community Safety implications are outlined in report 57/2017, or contained in the reports referred to in Appendix A.

## **9 HEALTH AND WELLBEING IMPLICATIONS**

- 9.1 Any Health and Wellbeing implications are outlined in report 57/2017, or contained in the reports referred to in Appendix A.

## **10 CONCLUSION AND SUMMARY OF REASONS FOR THE RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 10.1 That Council notes the report and considers the recommendations from Cabinet in order to ensure the procedure rules in the Constitution are followed.

## **11 BACKGROUND PAPERS**

- 11.1 Cabinet Record of Decisions: 21 March 2017

## **12 APPENDICES**

- 12.1 Appendix A - Key Decisions Made by Cabinet since the Previous Ordinary Meeting of the Council.

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