



Rutland County Council

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RECORD OF OFFICER DECISIONS

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17th March 2020

DECISION TAKER (name and title)
Name: Helen Briggs Title: Chief Executive Officer
DELEGATION GIVEN UNDER
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A specific express authorisation (at a meeting, include date and name of meeting): Cabinet – 17 th March 2020. Consultation with Cabinet Members to enable a delegated decision to be taken under the urgent delegation below
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Under general authorisation (in the constitution or other document stating what section applies) Part 3 – Scheme of Delegation (section 11.10.5) <i>‘To take any urgent action necessary in the event of a civil emergency and deal with matters relating to civil protection/emergency planning arising from the Council’s powers and duties under the appropriate legislation’.</i>
THE EFFECT OF THE DECISION
<input type="checkbox"/> Grant a permission or Licence
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Affect the rights of an individual
<input type="checkbox"/> Award a contract or incur expenditure which materially affects the council’s financial position
<input type="checkbox"/> Update purposes
ARE YOU FOLLOWING A PROCESS TO COME TO THE RESULTED ACTION OR ARE YOU MAKING A CHOICE BETWEEN TWO OR MORE ALTERNATIVES?
<input type="checkbox"/> Following a process – No further action required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Choosing between alternatives

IS THE RECORD OF THE DECISION, INCLUDING THE DATE, DECISION AND REASONS ALREADY PUBLISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ANY OTHER STATUTORY REQUIREMENT?

Yes (on the forward plan) – No further action required

No

TITLE OF DECISION:

Planning Enforcement Policy

PURPOSE OF THE DECISION

The report was prepared to update Members on the proposed changes to the Planning Enforcement policy which is 6 years old and due for revision.

DECISION DETAIL

To approve and adopt the updated Planning Enforcement Policy

REASON FOR THE DECISION

It is recommended that the Cabinet adopts the updated Enforcement Policy to ensure that the Council is able to priorities the investigation of breaches of planning control in an efficient manner making best use of the teams resources.

OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED

The alternative option would be to continue with the existing policy. Given this is now six years' old there is a need to make the planning enforcement policy meets current national guidance and legislation so the alternative option has been discounted.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT BODY DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST OF MEMBERS GIVEN IF AUTHORISATION WAS GIVEN AT A MEETING

None

SUMMARY OF EXEMPT OR CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION NOT DISCLOSED

N/A

Signed:



Date: 17/03/2020