



## **SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT**

**MEETING: CABINET – AGENDA ITEM 15**

**MEETING DATE: 15 NOVEMBER 2021**

### **1 BACKGROUND AND MAIN CONSIDERATIONS**

1.1 Following the publication of the Cabinet agenda, Rutland County Council has received a petition from members of the public expressing support for swimming in Rutland. The petition was received at the Council meeting on 8 November 2021 under Procedure Rule 28 and referred to Cabinet to respond.

1.2 The Petition calls upon the Council to:

Decide whether they [Rutland County Council] update and repair what we have [Catmose Pool]

Decide whether to look at a new premises

Find funding for a public pool

1.3 These requests have been carefully considered, and the recommendations set out in the report set out a clear way forward, i.e., not to repair the Catmose pool; to explore the potential for new facilities; to identify RCC match funding from Section 106 receipts to support swimming facilities; and to explore opportunities to secure from external sources the balance of capital funds required.

1.4 A report setting out the action the Cabinet have taken in response to the Petition will be submitted to the next meeting of Council.

### **2.0 CHANGES TO RECOMMENDATIONS**

2.1 In addition to the recommendations set out in Report No. 161/2021, Cabinet is also recommended to:

2.2 Consider the Petition received at the Council meeting on 8 November 2021 from members of the public expressing support for swimming in Rutland and agree to report back to Council on the action taken in response.

### **3.0 APPENDICES**

3.1 Appendix A: Petition submitted to Council on 8 November 2021.