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Scrutiny: Report to Cabinet

Scrutiny Committee	Growth, Infrastructure and Resources
Date(s) of Meeting(s)	10 th February, 2022

Agenda Item	Issues to be highlighted to Cabinet
Minerals Authority Contract	<p><u>Issues/Feedback:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Main issues were with the previous monitoring of the contract.• Requests were made for a detailed structure to be put in place to monitor contract• Details on how the contract could be terminated if it was not fit for purpose <p><u>Resolutions:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) NOTED the decision that had been made to award the contract to provide minerals and waste planning advice to the Council.2) COMMENTED on the arrangements set out in the report as to how the contract would be monitored to achieve the required performance and ensure value for money.3) REQUESTED that the Strategic Director of Places circulated the contract including SMART objectives to members of the Growth, Infrastructure and Resources Scrutiny Committee.4) REQUESTED that the Strategic Director of Places produced an update report to be presented to the Growth, Infrastructure and Resources Scrutiny Committee within six months.5) RECOMMENDED a single point of contact within the Planning Team regarding the contract.6) RECOMMENDED that a representative from NNC should attend the meetings of the Greetham Quarry Forum <p><u>Recommendations to Cabinet:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1) RECOMMENDED that Cabinet should consider and evaluate contingency plans for the contract should it fail.
4Oakham	<p><u>Issues/Feedback:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• It was proposed that '4Oakham' needed relaunching following the pandemic lockdown and needed to identify what money was available for it to use

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	<p><u>Recommendations to Cabinet:</u></p> <p>RECOMMENDED that the Leader of the Council meet the Mayors of Oakham and Uppingham for their views on the future of '4Oakham' and report to Full Council regarding re-establishing or disbanding '4Oakham'.</p>
<p>Ground Maintenance and Forestry Procurement</p>	<p><u>Issues/Feedback:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Concerns were raised regarding Parish and Town Council involvement and if Parish/Town Councils were fully aware of the land that they were responsible for maintaining. <p><u>Recommendations:</u></p> <p>1) RECOMMENDED to Cabinet that officers be requested to make the following amendments to the Grounds Maintenance procurement process:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> An additional paragraph be included in the procurement process regarding the active involvement of Parish Councils; That extra time be given to Councillors to feed back to officers on the public consultation questions, the final timescales of which are to be confirmed. The data mapping completed by the service area be shared with Parish Councils.