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**REPORT FROM:** Head of Leisure & Community Development

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**SUBJECT:** CONSULTATION – A PLAN FOR SPORT IN DERBYSHIRE

**REF:** SB/TH

**WARD(S) AFFECTED:** ALL

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### **1.0 Recommendations**

1.1 That Members consider the consultation document for A Plan for Sport in Derbyshire and their comments are forwarded in written form to Derbyshire Sport.

### **2.0 Purpose of Report**

2.1 The report seeks Members views on a consultation document provided by Derbyshire Sport on the future of sport in the county.

### **3.0 Detail**

3.1 The District Council along with other public, voluntary and community sector organisations involved in the delivery of sport, recreation and physical activity are being consulted on the future of sport in Derbyshire.

3.2 The full consultation document is provided as Annexe No. 1.

3.3 The Council has specific interest in this Plan as it is one of the core partners and is leading on the establishment of the South Derbyshire Local Sports Network which will be charged with delivering the 'Plan' locally.

3.4 The Vision of Derbyshire Sport is, 'to make sport a part of everybody's life'.

3.5 The Mission or Purpose is, 'for organisations to work together and through sport, to improve the quality of life for the people of Derbyshire'.

3.6 The Strategic Goals which the Plan works to achieve are:

1. to increase participation in sport.
2. to improve levels of performance in sport.
3. to promote the value of sport in improving the quality of life.

3.7 The consultation focuses on the high level actions required to increase the levels of participation and improve the standards of sport in Derbyshire.

3.8 Once the Derbyshire Plan for Sport is completed the South Derbyshire Plan will be developed, which will be adopted by the partners in the South Derbyshire Local Sports Network and delivered over the coming years.

#### **4.0 Financial Implications**

4.1 There are no direct financial implications arising from this report, although it is very important that the Derbyshire Plan is an effective and dynamic document to ensure value for the Councils financial commitment to Derbyshire Sport is achieved and that the Local Sports Network receives as much money for local delivery as possible.

#### **5.0 Corporate Implications**

5.1 There are no corporate implications arising from this report.

#### **6.0 Community Implications**

6.1 The Plan for Sport will ensure that local communities will benefit from sport due to increased investment in the number of coaches, volunteers and activities provided through partnership working of local and county partners.

#### **7.0 Conclusion**

7.1 The Derbyshire Plan for Sport will take the county sports partnership on to a new level of working from which South Derbyshire will benefit through increased opportunities for local people to become engaged in sport.

#### **8.0 Background Papers**

Consultation Document