RECORD OF OPEN DECISIONS

ENVIRONMENTAL AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE

At the Meeting of the Environmental and Development Services Committee held on Thursday, 26th September 2019, the following decisions were taken.

Urgent decisions or those exempt from call-in are indicated in the third column of the table. These decisions cannot be called in and are effective immediately.

All other decisions may be called in until 5.00pm on Monday, 7th October 2019.

A request to call in a decision must be made by at least three Members, including at least one Member of the controlling group. The request must be made in writing to the Chief Executive.

If no request to call in a decision is received within this time limit then the decision becomes effective immediately.

Agenda Item No.	OPEN REPORTS	Urgent/ Call-in Exempt
6.	AGENDA ITEM GOVERNMENT CONSULTATION -PROPOSED REFORMS TO PERMITTED DEVELOPMENT RIGHTS TO SUPPORT THE DEPLOYMENT OF 5G AND EXTEND MOBILE COVERAGE	
	 DECISION: 1.1 That the Committee, in response to the consultation, objects to all proposals relating to new permitted development rights on the grounds that all such telecom developments require careful consideration in the light of the specific merits of the context of individual sites on a case by case basis. Deemed consent would not be appropriate for development particularly in conservation areas and for masts above 25m high, both of which could be harmful to the significance of heritage assets and visual amenity generally. These issues can then be weighed against the acknowledged government objective for the improvement of mobile phone coverage and the enhancement of networks in pursuit of accommodating 5G. 1.2 The Committee approved to delegate authority to the Head of Planning and Strategic Housing, upon liaison with the Vice-Chairman of Environmental and Development Services Committee, to formulate a full technical response to the government consultation and as part of the feedback, request the latest research available on the potential effects of 5G networks which would then be made available to the residents of South Derbyshire. 	

7.	AGENDA ITEM DESIGNATION OF NEIGHBOURHOOD AREA	
	DECISION: The Committee approved to formally designate the Willington Neighbourhood Area in accordance with the application from Willington Parish Council.	
8.	AGENDA ITEM COMMITTEE WORK PROGRAMME	
	DECISION: 1.1 The Committee considered and approved the updated work programme.	

DATED: Monday, 30th September 2019 Chief Executive

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NOTE – this gives an outline of the committee decision for call-in purposes but it does not necessarily reflect the final wording for minute purposes.