RECORD OF OPEN DECISIONS

ENVIRONMENTAL AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE

At the Special Meeting of the Environmental and Development Services Committee held on Thursday, 15th March 2012, 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 5.00 p.m. on Friday, 23rd March 2012.

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 DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL CONSULTATION ON DRAFT DERBYSHIRE INFRASTRUCTURE PLAN	
	 DECISION: That the Chief Executive, in consultation with the Chairman, be authorised to issue a response to the draft Derbyshire Infrastructure Plan, as follows: (1) The draft Derbyshire Infrastructure Plan is supported in principle as a helpful guide to the County Council's priorities for infrastructure. (2) The County Council be requested to include the following additional items given their importance to the sustainable development of South Derbyshire: a bypass scheme at Hatton; 	
	 provision of an additional household waste recycling facility and retention of existing recycling facilities; flood management and alleviation measures at Egginton, Ambaston and Shardlow including recognition of the £250k gap funding needed to implement the lower Dove Flood Risk Management Scheme; to work with Leicestershire County Council on an eastward extension of the planned Woodville Regeneration route to create a direct connection to the Ashby Bypass; Reviewing the need for improved road links between the East and West Midlands. 	
	(3) A commitment be sought from the County Council for a periodic review of the Infrastructure Plan to incorporate any new priorities which may emerge in South Derbyshire. In this regard, the consultation process has been insufficient and	

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Derbyshire County Council should agree a protocol to ensure members' early involvement in any future review. (4) The District Council make clear that developer contributions via Community Infrastructure Levy and/or S.106 will only be sought by the District Council for items set out in the Derbyshire Infrastructure Plan having regard to the need to also fund other types of infrastructure, together with overall development viability. In particular, it is unrealistic to expect a new secondary school to be funded solely through a South Derbyshire CIL given the County Council's statutory duties in this regard. (5) The draft Infrastructure Plan be amended to exclude unhelpful references to growth targets currently set out in the East Midlands Regional Plan, given the Government's stated intentions for its abolition.	

DATED: 16th March 2012 Chief Executive

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Insert both the agenda item number and its heading.

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.