

# RECORD OF DECISIONS

## ENVIRONMENTAL AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE

At the Meeting of the Environmental and Development Services Committee held on 6th March 2008, 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 14th March 2008.

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<sup>1</sup>.

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

<u>Agenda Item No.</u>	<b><u>OPEN REPORTS</u></b>	<u>Urgent/ Call-in Exempt</u>
7.	<b><u>AGENDA ITEM</u></b> SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD WARDEN REVIEW CONSISTING OF FIXED PENALTY NOTICE POLICY AND SETTING FINES.	
	<b><u>DECISION:</u></b> That: (1) The newly developed policy on the service of fixed penalty notice be approved. (2) The proposed charges for fixed penalty notices for the remaining offences introduced in the Clean Neighbourhoods and Environment Act 2005 be approved.	
8.	<b><u>AGENDA ITEM</u></b> AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROVISION IN SOUTH DERBYSHIRE: A GUIDE TO DELIVERY.	
	<b><u>DECISION:</u></b> The draft document entitled 'Affordable housing in South Derbyshire – a guide to delivery' be approved.	
9.	<b><u>AGENDA ITEM</u></b> IMPLEMENTATION OF DESIGNATED PUBLIC PLACE ORDERS.	
	<b><u>DECISION:</u></b> The Committee gave approval for Officers to carry out the necessary consultation to assess whether a Designated Public Place Order (DPPO) is appropriate in the Linton Road area of Castle Gresley, covering Basses Crescent, Cedar Road and part of Arthur Street leading back to Linton Road. This area also covered the front of the shops on Linton Road, the park/play area and the area to the rear of the flats on Linton Road detailed within an Appendix within the report.	

9a.	<b><u>AGENDA ITEM</u></b> PRIVATE HIRE KNOWLEDGE TEST.	
	<b>DECISION:</b> That:- (1) The introduction of a Knowledge Test as an element of the application for a Private Hire Driver be approved. (2) Existing drivers will be requested to undertake the test following substantial complaints from members of the public or failure to successfully complete "Mystery Passenger" exercises. (3) A fee of £20 be levied for each knowledge test undertaken.	

DATED: 7th March 2008

Chief Executive

- <sup>1</sup> Although it is not necessary to use a prescribed form, copies are available from the Chief Executive.
- <sup>2</sup> 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.
- <sup>3</sup> Insert both the agenda item number and its heading.