

**LOCAL PLAN WORKING GROUP**

A meeting of the Local Plan Working Group was held on 15 September 2017.

**PRESENT:** Councillors L Young, (Chair), Harvey, C M Rooney and Walters

**OFFICERS:** A Conti, K Whitwell

**APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE** were submitted on behalf of Councillors Bloundele and N J Walker.

**DECLARATIONS OF INTERESTS**

There were no Declarations of Interest at this point in the meeting.

17/1 **MINUTES - LOCAL PLAN WORKING GROUP - 27 FEBRUARY 2017**

The minutes of the meeting of the Local Plan Working Group held on 27 February 2017 were taken as read and approved as a true record.

17/2 **NEXT STEPS**

- Finalise Preferred Options document.
- Executive approval - November 2017.
- Eight week consultation December 2017 to January 2018.
- Publication document Autumn 2018.

17/3 **ANY OTHER URGENT ITEMS, WHICH IN THE OPINION OF THE CHAIR MAY BE CONSIDERED**

There were no urgent items for consideration.

17/4 **EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

**ORDERED** that the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items on the grounds that, if present, there would be disclosure to them of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 and that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information.

17/5 **LOCAL PLAN PREFERRED OPTIONS**

The Local Plan Preferred Options were presented.