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## **Portfolio Holder Executive Decision Statement**

The Local Authority (Executive Arrangements)(Meetings and Access to Information)(England) Regulations 2012

### Subject:

Under the Localism Act 2011, Parish and Town Councils have the opportunity to produce community-led plans, in the form of a Neighbourhood Plan.

#### **Details of Decision taken**

To approve the designation of Neighbourhood Plan Area for Swanley for the area proposed in Appendix A

## **Reason for Decision**

To allow the Town of Swanley to prepare a Neighbourhood Plan in accordance with government guidance.

#### All Documents considered:

Swanley Neighbourhood Area Designation and Summary of Consultation Questionnaire Responses

## Financial implications

There are no financial implications for the Council

# **Legal Implications and Risk Assessment Statement** N/A

**Equality Impacts** (Consideration of impacts under the Public Sector Equality Duty) this can be deleted if the decision has been taken on a report format and the heading already filled in

Question		Answer	Explanation / Evidence
a.	Does the decision being made or recommended through this paper have potential to disadvantage or discriminate against different groups in the community?	No	N/A
b.	Does the decision being made or recommended through this paper have the potential to promote equality of opportunity?	No	
c.	What steps can be taken to mitigate, reduce, avoid or minimise the impacts identified above?		Include steps that could be taken for all decision options being presented.

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Decision taken by:	Portfolio Holder for Local Planning and Environment	
Signed by Portfolio Holder		
Date of Decision	21/5/2015	
Record made by:	George Lewis	
Date of record:	26 May 2015	

Supersedes Portfolio Holder Decision 66 (2014/15)