Decision Number: 06 2023/24

Portfolio Holder Executive Decision Statement

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

Subject:

Approval of the formal SDC response to the Fawkham Neighbourhood Plan Regulation 14 Consultation (August 2023)

Details of Decision taken:

To approve the formal representation by Sevenoaks District Council in response to the Fawkham Neighbourhood Plan Regulation 14 consultation, including comments from the Strategic Planning team.

Reason for Decision

Under the Localism Act 2011, Parish and Town Councils have the opportunity to produced community-led plans, in the form of a Neighbourhood Plan. This decision is to allow SDC to respond to the Regulation 14 consultation formally, prior to submission of the Neighbourhood Plan to SDC (Regulation 15).

All Documents considered:

SDC Response to Fawkham Neighbourhood Plan Regulation 14 Consultation (August 2023)

Appendix A – SDC Informal Comments prior to Fawkham Reg 14 June 23

Details of any alternative options considered and rejected by the Member when making the Decision:

N/A

Financial implications

There are no financial implications for the Council

Legal Implications and Risk Assessment Statement

N/A

(For Democratic Services use)

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Equality Impacts (Consideration of impacts under the Public Sector Equality Duty)

The decisions recommended through this paper have a remote or low relevance to the substance pf the Equality Act. There is no perceived impact on end users.

Local Member (s), other Portfolio Holders and Chief Officer/Head of Service Consulted

Chief Officer - Richard Morris

Details of any conflicts of interest

- a) declared by any executive member who is consulted by the Decision Taker
- b) and any details of dispensations granted by the Chief Executive in respect of any declared conflict

Decision taken by:	Portfolio Holder for Development and Conservation
Signed by Portfolio Holder	4
Date of Decision	11 08 2023.
Record made by:	ABinnie
Date of record:	11/08/23