

**MAIDSTONE BOROUGH COUNCIL**

**RECORD OF DECISION OF THE STRATEGIC PLANNING,  
SUSTAINABILITY AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE**

Decision Made: Tuesday 10 November  
2015

**Medium Term Financial Strategy 2016-17 Onwards**

**Issue for Decision**

The Committee were asked to approve the proposals for savings and growth pressures considered at an informal briefing session held on 15 October with representatives of the Strategic Planning, Sustainability and Transportation Committee and recommended in this report for inclusion in the Medium Term Financial Strategy 2016-17 onwards.

**Decision Made**

The Committee agreed that the saving proposals for the medium term financial strategy 2016-2017 onwards set out in Appendix A of the report be included in the report to Policy and Resources Committee for consideration at its meeting on 16 December 2015.

Should you wish to refer this decision to Policy and Resources Committee, please submit a Decision Referral Form, signed by three Councillors, to the Head of Finance and Resources by: 20 November 2015

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**Objections to Traffic Regulation Orders**

**Issue for Decision**

The Committee to consider the recommendations of the Joint Transportation Board in relation to Waiting Restrictions Variation No 30 and Designated Parking Places Variation No 11.

**Decision Made**

1. The Committee agreed the Joint Transportation Board's recommendations, in relation to Waiting Restrictions Variation No 30 and Designated Parking Places Variation No 11 and agree to make the Orders, where recommended, save for the restriction at The Mallows, Maidstone (paragraph 5.24 of the report).
2. The Committee agreed the Joint Transportation Board's recommendation in relation to The Mallows. However, should a solution via Maidstone borough Council's and Kent county Council's Street Cleansing Services not be found, proposals for parking restrictions are to be returned to the Strategic Planning, Sustainability and Transportation Committee for further consideration.
3. The Committee agreed to recommend to Kent County Council as the Highway Authority that the various Orders be sealed as agreed.

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**Staplehurst Neighbourhood Development Plan**

**Issue for Decision**

The Committee to consider Maidstone Borough Council's formal response to the Consultation on the Staplehurst Neighbourhood Plan in accordance with regulation 16 of the Neighbourhood Planning Regulations 2012 which will be passed on to the independent Examiner at the next stage of the Neighbourhood Planning process.

**Decision Made**

1. The Committee approved the formal representations on the Staplehurst Neighbourhood Plan (July 2015) according to Regulation 16 of the Neighbourhood Planning Regulations 2012 as set out in the report.
2. The Committee agreed that an informative be added to the representations set out in the report explaining that during its deliberations of its representations to the Examiner on the Staplehurst Neighbourhood Plan, the Strategic Planning Sustainability & Transport Committee noted that Local Plan Policy ED2 (Retention of Employment Sites) and Staplehurst Neighbourhood Plan Policy H6 (Land for Employment and Housing) are inter-related and should not be read in insolation of each other.

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**Local Development Scheme 2014-2017**

**Issue for Decision**

To consider the revision of Maidstone Borough Council's Local Development Scheme 2014-2017 as set out in the report with a view to recommending that the Scheme be adopted by Council at its meeting on 9 December 2015.

**Decision Made**

The Committee agreed to recommend that the Local Development Scheme 2014-2017 be adopted by Council at its meeting on 9 December 2015, at which date it will come into effect.

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