



Cabinet 15 May 2013

Bury St Edmunds Vision 2031: Recommendations from the Bury St Edmunds Area Working Party: 13 May 2013 (May13/01)

Cabinet Members: Cllrs Terry Clements; and Robert Everitt *Chairman of the Working Party: Cllr Robert Everitt*

Amendments to the recommendations provided in the original Cabinet Report D379 have been proposed following the distribution of Report D370 and following due consideration by the Bury St Edmunds Area Working Party. For ease of reference, changes to text are shown underlined.

1. Bury St Edmunds Vision 2031: Submission Version Consultation (Report D370)

RECOMMENDED:

That, subject to the approval of full Council:

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- (2) the site submissions (Appendix 7) be noted and that none of these sites have been included in the revised Bury St Edmunds 2031 submission document;
- (3) in accordance with the Council's Concept Statement Protocol, the the Bury St Edmunds Strategic Growth Area Concept Statements (Appendices 8 to 12 of Report D370), be adopted; and
- (4) delegated authority be given to the Head of Planning and Regulatory Services, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Planning and Transport, to make any necessary minor typographical, grammatical or

similar textual changes to the draft Bury St Edmunds Vision <u>and the Draft Bury St Edmunds Infrastructure</u> <u>Delivery Plan</u> prior to publication for consultation purposes.

Report D370, which has been previously circulated in hard copy to all Members of the Council, presents the latest version of the Bury St Edmunds Vision 2031 submission document, and supporting documents, for approval for consultation prior to submission to the Secretary of State. Consultation took place commencing March 2012 on the 'Bury St Edmunds Vision preferred options' and this submission version seeks to comment upon, and respond to where appropriate, the representations received in response to the earlier consultation.

It is considered that the submission version is greatly improved as a result of both the earlier consultation, and as a result of an assessment against the content of the Government's March 2012 published National Planning Policy Framework. As a result the Bury St Edmunds Area Working Party has been asked to recommend to Cabinet that this Bury St Edmunds Vision 2031 submission document be approved for consultation to commence in June 2013.

(The contents of this item will be considered alongside the Cabinet's discussion on Report D376, 'Vision 2031: Recommendations from the Sustainable Development Working Party: 14 May 2013', which also considered the Bury St Edmunds Vision 2031 document.)

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