

**CABINET – 12TH OCTOBER 2023**  
**Report of the Scrutiny Commission**

REVIEW OF THE PLANNING ENFORCEMENT PLAN

Purpose of Report

To consider the comments and recommendations of the Scrutiny Commission in relation to the Review of the Planning Enforcement Plan.

Recommendation of the Scrutiny Commission

That the Cabinet be informed that the Commission welcomes and supports the recommendations set out in the report of the Head of Planning and Growth.

Reason

The Commission, having carefully considered and asked questions on the report felt the Cabinet should approve the recommendations set out.

Meeting Discussion

The harm system referred to in the Planning Enforcement Plan was a standardised approach, eliminating any ambiguity.

Policy Justification and Previous Decisions

Scrutiny Commission Procedure Rule 11.12 sets out the procedure by which a report of a Scrutiny Committee should be considered by Cabinet.

Implementation Timetable including Future Decisions and Scrutiny

The information on this in the Cabinet report is not affected by the recommendation of the Scrutiny Commission.

Report Implications

The following implications have been identified for this report.

*Financial Implications*

There are no further financial implications associated with the recommendation of the Scrutiny Commission.

*Risk Management*

There are no specific risks associated with the recommendations of the Scrutiny Commission.

Key Decision: Yes

Background Paper: Scrutiny Commission Minute 50 2023/24, 9th October 2023.

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