22ndJuly 2014 6thAugust 2014

Planning Services Improvement Action Plan

Recommendation: Committee is asked to note the Action Plan attached.

- At the WAPC and EAPC meetings in March and April 2014officers submitted an Action Plan flowing from Roger Dudman Way Review Independent report from Vincent Goodstadt. This has been titled the "Planning Services Improvement Action Plan". The two committees asked to be kept informed of progress with the Action Plan on a quarterly basis.
- 2. Following the first meeting of the Steering Group established to oversee the implementation of the Action Plan the progress schedule is attached to this report.
- 3. Members will recall that the Action Plan lists each of the 6 principalrecommendations from the Independent Report. Each recommendation is expanded in the Action/Programme column to identify the specific actions necessary to implement the main recommendation. Information is also provided in the Plan on the action owner and timescale for implementation. The Action Plan also includes a number of extra actions not listed in the Independent Report but which are considered to be important to include as they enable the principal recommendations to be fully implemented and so are also included within the Plan.

Appendices

• Planning Services Improvements Action Plan.

Background Papers: none

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