STOCKPORT COUNCIL

REPORT TO CABINET MEETING – SUMMARY SHEET

Subject: Local Plan Issues Paper

Y

Report to Cabinet Meeting

Date: 18 July 2017

Report of: Cabinet Member for Economy & Regeneration

General Exception

Key Decision: Yes

Forward Plan

Special Urgency

(Mark with a Y if applicable)

Summary:

At the Council meeting in December 2016 it was agreed that the Council should commence work on a new Stockport Local Plan. This first phase of this work is preparation of a Local Issues Paper. Approval is sought for the Issues Paper and for a public consultation process from 28th July – 8th October 2017.

Comments/Views of the Cabinet Member:

The approach outlined in the report is an important step in the development of our Local Plan. It's vital to be as engaging as we possibly can to ensure the people of Stockport are given an opportunity to comment on what's important to them; in order to inform the preparation of a sound, deliverable plan for Stockport towards 2035.

Recommendation(s) of Cabinet Member:

Cabinet is asked to approve, subject to comments, the Local Plan Issues Paper.

Relevant Scrutiny Committee (if decision called in): Economy & Regeneration

Background Papers (if report for publication):

There are none

Contact person for accessing background papers and discussing the report

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'Urgent Business':

No

Certification (if applicable)

This report should be considered as 'urgent business' and the decision exempted from 'call-in' for the following reason(s):

The written consent of Councillor and the Chief Executive/Monitoring Officer/ Borough Treasurer for the decision to be treated as 'urgent business' was obtained on /will be obtained before the decision is implemented.