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NOTIFICATION OF COUNCIL DECISIONS

COUNCIL – 8 September 2014

The following decisions were taken at the above meeting.

Agenda Item 5 – Reports of Cabinet

DECISION:

The recommendations were adopted.

Agenda Item 7 – Questions Under Standing Order 22A

Introduction of Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL)

Cllr Mrs Brooks asked the Portfolio Holder for Planning & Transportation what the implications were for existing section 106 monies following the introduction of the Community Infrastructure Levy on 6 April 2015.

The Portfolio Holder replied that from 6 April 2015 the process for collecting the majority of developer contributions would be replaced by the new system (CIL) where a fixed amount per dwelling would be collected instead of amounts for different types of infrastructure. From this date there would also be national restrictions on the use of pooled contributions. As the contributions collected from small developments generally could not fully fund projects, it had been Council practice to pool multiple contributions (e.g. for land purchase or enhancement of a play area). The new rules would restrict the use of contributions from 6 April 2015. The Council's Planning Policy Officer would shortly invite Town and Parish Councils (with the exception of those within the National Park) to a meeting to discuss the allocation of the S106 monies that the District Council currently holds. It was important that all contributions currently held and identified were allocated to schemes to ensure that projects could proceed unimpeded by the pooling restrictions.

Agenda Item 9 – Membership of Committees and Panels

There were no changes.

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