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To: Cllr Aaron Shotton (Leader)

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Councillors: Bernie Attridge, Chris Bithell, Helen Brown, Derek Butler, Christine Jones, Kevin Jones and Billy Mullin

13 July 2015

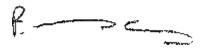
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Dear Sir / Madam

# Cabinet – Tuesday 14 July 2015

I refer to the agenda for Cabinet on Tuesday 14 July 2015 and enclose the following report which the Chair has agreed to consider as an urgent item:

Yours faithfully



Democracy & Governance Manager

9a Urgent Item - Hope Household Recycling Centre (Pages 3 - 6)

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# Agenda Item 9a

# FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

# REPORT TO: CABINET

**DATE:** <u>14<sup>TH</sup> JULY2015</u>

**REPORT BY:** MEMBER ENGAGEMENT MANAGER

SUBJECT: HOPE HRC - RESPONSE TO CALL IN.

#### 1.00 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.01 To formally report to the Cabinet the result of the call in of decision 3204 – Hope Household Recycling Centre

#### 2.00 BACKGROUND

- 2.01 At its meeting on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2015, the Cabinet approved the Hope Household Recycling centre report of the Chief Officer (Streetscene & Transportation).
- 2.02 The decision was subsequently called in by Councillors Hilary Isherwood, Tim Newhouse, Cindy Hinds, David Williams and Dave Healey. The reasons given for the call in were as follows:

'We feel Council data flawed unrealistic timeline and answers have not been given re rubble etc.'

#### 3.00 CONSIDERATIONS

- 3.01 The call in was heard by the Environment Overview & Scrutiny Committee at a meeting on 10<sup>th</sup> July.
- 3.02 At the meeting, the initiators of the call in were represented by the signatories. The decision makers were represented by the Deputy Leader/Cabinet Member for the Environment, Councillor Bernie Attridge, the Cabinet Member for Waste Strategy, Public protection and Leisure, Councillor Kevin Jones together with the Chief Officer (Streetscene & Transportation) and the Waste Services Manager
- 3.03 Both the call in initiators and the decision makers put their cases to the committee, and responded to Members' questions.
- 3.04 At the end of that process, the committee was reminded of the four options which are available to it in response to a call in.

3.05 The decision which the committee made was option 1, that the Overview & Scrutiny committee is satisfied with the explanation which it has received. The decision makers were therefore informed that the decision may now be implemented with immediate effect.

# 4.00 **RECOMMENDATIONS**

4.01 That the Cabinet welcomes the decision of the Environment Overview & Scrutiny Committee with regard to the Hope Household Recycling Centre.

#### 5.00 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

5.01 The implications of this decision are identified and listed in the report to Cabinet on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2015.

#### 6.00 ANTI POVERTY IMPACT

6.01 The implications of this decision are identified and listed in the report to Cabinet on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2015.

#### 7.00 ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

7.01 The implications of this decision are identified and listed in the report to Cabinet on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2015.

# 8.00 EQUALITIES IMPACT

8.01 The implications of this decision are identified and listed in the report to Cabinet on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2015.

#### 9.00 PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS

9.01 The implications of this decision are identified and listed in the report to Cabinet on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2015.

# 10.00 CONSULTATION REQUIRED

10.01 Not applicable

#### 11.00 CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN

11.01 Not applicable

#### 12.00 APPENDICES

None

# LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION ACT) 1985 BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS

Agenda for the Environment Overview & Scrutiny Committee at its meeting on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2015.

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