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# PLANNING POLICY AND LOCAL PLAN COMMITTEE

DATE: Monday, 16 September 2024

TIME: 6.00 pm

VENUE: Town Hall, Station Road, Clacton-on-

Sea, CO15 1SE (Committee Room)

#### **MEMBERSHIP:**

Councillor Guglielmi (Chairman)
Councillor Bush (Vice-Chairman)
Councillor Bray
Councillor Chapman BEM
Councillor M Cossens

Councillor Fairley
Councillor Fowler
Councillor Newton
Councillor Scott

AGENDA

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#### AGENDA

#### 1 Apologies for Absence and Substitutions

The Committee is asked to note any apologies for absence and substitutions received from Members.

#### 2 Minutes of the Last Meeting (Pages 5 - 12)

To confirm and sign as a correct record, the minutes of the meeting of the Committee, held on Tuesday 23 July 2024.

#### 3 <u>Declarations of Interest</u>

Councillors are invited to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests, Other Registerable Interests of Non-Registerable Interests, and the nature of it, in relation to any item on the agenda.

#### 4 Questions on Notice pursuant to Council Procedure Rule 38

Subject to providing two working days' notice, a Member of the Committee may ask the Chairman of the Committee a question on any matter in relation to which the Council has powers or duties which affect the Tendring District **and** which falls within the terms of reference of the Committee.

#### 5 Public Speaking (Pages 13 - 16)

The Council's Public Speaking Scheme for the Planning Policy and Local Plan Committee gives the opportunity for members of the public and other interested parties/stakeholders to speak to the Committee on any specific report to be considered at that public meeting.

## Report of the Director (Planning) - A.1 - Local Plan Review: Implications of the Government's Proposed Changes to the National Planning Policy Framework and Introduction of Mandatory Housebuilding Targets (Pages 17 - 32)

To report to the Planning Policy and Local Plan Committee the main implications of the new Government's proposed changes to the National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF), including the introduction of mandatory housebuilding targets, on the current review of the Tendring District Local Plan; and to agree with the Committee the postponement of public consultation on Issues & Options pending the outcome of the Government's current NPPF consultation.

### 7 Report of the Director (Planning) - A.2 - Government Consultation: Proposed Reforms to the National Planning Policy Framework, and other Changes to the Planning System - Tendring District Council's Response (Pages 33 - 138)

To invite discussion and seek agreement from the Planning Policy and Local Plan Committee to Tendring District Council's formal response to the Government's consultation on proposed reforms to the National Planning Policy Framework and other changes to the planning system.

#### **Date of the Next Scheduled Meeting**

The next scheduled meeting of the Planning Policy and Local Plan Committee is to be held in the Town Hall, Station Road, Clacton-on-Sea, CO15 1SE at 6.00 pm on Tuesday, 10 December 2024.

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