

HAVANT BOROUGH COUNCIL

At a meeting of the Cabinet held on 19 September 2018

Present

Councillor Wilson (Chairman)

Councillors Bains, Pike, Turner and Hughes

92 Apologies for Absence

Apologies from Councillor Bowerman.

93 Declarations of Interests

There were no declarations of interest.

94 National Non Domestic Rates Pilot

Report circulated, seeking agreement to submit a bid to central Government to be part of a Hampshire-wide business rate pilot for the financial year 2019-20.

The report gave a breakdown of the potentially significant financial benefit to the Council in 2019-20 should the bid be successful, weighed against the risks, which Cabinet noted would be spread proportionally across the pool of authorities. The report also set out the proposed governance model for the assessment of bids for infrastructure funding, to be linked with any emerging housing deal framework.

On the advice of the Monitoring Officer, Cabinet agreed, on the basis that any bid would need to be submitted by no later than 25 September 2018, to treat this matter as an urgent decision in accordance with standing order 86.1 and therefore not subject to call-in.

RESOLVED that approval be given for Havant Borough Council to be part of a Hampshire-wide business rate pilot submission.

95 Exclusion of the Press and Public

This item was withdrawn.

96 Property Regeneration

This item was withdrawn.

The meeting commenced at 3.30 pm and concluded at 3.58 pm

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Chairman