COUNCIL MEETING, 29 NOVEMBER 2018

REPORT OF THE

Executive Member for Environment and Transport

1. HAMPSHIRE MINERALS & WASTE PLAN

- 1.1. The Hampshire Minerals & Waste Plan ('the Plan') was adopted in 2013. The National Planning Policy Framework (2018) requires that Local Plans should be reviewed to assess whether they require updating at least once every five years. A recent update to the Planning Practice Guidance suggests that if a local planning authority decides not to update its policies, they should publish the reasons for this decision within five years of the adoption date of the Plan.
- 1.2. In line with the National Planning Policy Framework a review has been carried out and a report considered by the Executive Member for Environment and Transport on 13 November 2018. The report set out the background to, and the findings of the review; considered the factors which influence the future of the Plan; outlined the financial status of the Plan together with the budgeting implications of a Plan update and outlined the timetable for a future review.
- 1.3. The review of the Plan concluded that the 34 policies enables the development Hampshire requires, supported by a suite of management development policies that protect Hampshire's residents and environment. It is therefore recommended that an update to the Plan is not necessary at this time.

The full report to the Executive Member for Environment and Transport can be found at the following link:

• 2018 Review of the Hampshire Minerals & Waste Plan

RECOMMENDATIONS

That the County Council:

- a) That an update to the Hampshire Minerals & Waste Plan (2013) is not required at this time, but that a further Review takes place in 2020.
- b) That a summary of the review process and the decisions be consolidated and published as a publicly available report, to be entitled the '2018 Review of the Hampshire Minerals & Waste Plan'.
- c) That a programme of on-going engagement with interested parties commences following publication of the '2018 Review' and prior to the further Review in 2020.
- d) That authority is delegated to the Director of Economy, Transport and Environment, in consultation with he Executive Member for Environment and

Transport, to update the Minerals & Waste Development Scheme to reflect the decisions of the County Council.