

# NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

## DECISION SHEET

Meeting of the Cabinet Panel on the Environment held in the Remote Meeting  
on Wednesday, 19th July, 2023 at 7.30 pm

### 1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Michael Muir.

### 2 MINUTES - 22 FEBRUARY 2023

**RESOLVED:** That the Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee held on 22 February 2023 be approved as a true record of proceedings and signed by the Chair.

### 3 CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

- (1) The Chair advised that, in accordance with Council policy this meeting would be recorded. The recordings would be available on both the Council's YouTube page, as well as the Council's ModGov site.
- (2) The Chair reminded Members to make declarations of interest before an item, the detailed reminder about this and speaking rights was set out under Chair's Announcements on the agenda.
- (3) The Chair reminded Members that the Council had declared a Climate Emergency. This was a serious decision and means that, as this was an emergency, all of us, Officers and Members had that in mind as we carried out our various roles and tasks for the benefit of our District.

### 4 NOTIFICATION OF OTHER BUSINESS

There was no other business notified.

### 5 INFORMATION NOTE: WORK PROGRAMME FOR 2023/24

The Policy and Strategy Team Leader provided a verbal update on the Work Programme for the 2023/24 civic year.

### 6 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Presentations were received by the Cabinet Panel from organisations including:

- Thames Water
- Anglian Water
- Affinity Water
- Herts Middlesex Wildlife Trust