

## **NORTH HERTFORDSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL**

### **DECISION SHEET**

#### **Meeting of the Cabinet Panel on the Environment held in the Virtual Via Zoom on Wednesday, 14th January, 2026 at 7.30 pm**

#### **1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

There were no apologies for absence.

Councillor Lisa Nash was absent.

#### **2 MINUTES - 2 APRIL AND 17 SEPTEMBER 2025**

**RESOLVED:** That the Minutes of the Committee meetings held on 2 April and 17 September 2025 were approved as a true record of the proceedings and be signed by the Chair.

#### **3 CHAIR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- (1) The Chair advised that, in accordance with Council Policy, the meeting would be recorded.
- (2) The Chair drew attention to the item on the agenda front pages regarding Declarations of Interest and reminded Members that, in line with the Code of Conduct, any Declarations of Interest needed to be declared immediately prior to the item in question.
- (3) The Chair advised that section 4.8.23(a) of the Constitution did not apply to this meeting.
- (4) The Chair highlighted the final agenda item which was to consider suggestions of items for future meetings, and asked Members and members of the public to consider any items that they may wish to suggest ahead of this item.

#### **4 NOTIFICATION OF OTHER BUSINESS**

There was no other business notified.

#### **5 INFORMATION NOTE: COUNCIL ACTIVITY UPDATE AND ACTION TRACKER**

Officers from the Policy and Strategy Team provided a verbal update on the Information Note entitled 'Council Activity Update and Action Tracker'.

#### **6 PRESENTATIONS**

Presentations were received from Letchworth Garden City Heritage Foundation on 'Environmental Updates' and Green Heat Coop on 'Community Energy'.

#### **7 PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

The Chair led a discussion with members of the public on the presentations and Information Note provided at this meeting.

#### **8 SUGGESTED ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS**

The Chair led a discussion to consider items for future meetings of the Cabinet Panel with Members and members of the public present.