## East Herts Council - Non-Key Decision Record

Record of executive decision made by an individual under Regulation 13 of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

Reference Number: NKD21/07

## Taken by: Councillor Jan Goodeve - Executive Member for Planning and Growth

## Decision

That the Government be informed that East Herts Council (the Council):
a) Welcomes the publication of the draft National Model Design Code;
b) Generally supports the content of the draft National Model Design Code and associated Guidance Notes;
c) Submits the representations within Appendix A to this report as its response to key issues raised in the NPPF and draft National Model Design Code 2021 consultation.

## Date of Decision

16 March 2021

## Reason(s) for decision

The purpose of the report is to advise Members of the implications of the revisions to the NPPF and the proposed National Model Design Code for East Herts and to agree the Council's response to the consultation.

## Details of alternative options considered and rejected

 The Council could choose not to respond to the consultation.However, not responding to the consultation would mean that the Council would miss the opportunity to provide comments on the NPPF and draft National Model Design Code.

Does the decision or report contain exempt information? No

State nature of any declaration of conflict of interest made by any Executive Member who is consulted by the Member taking the decision
None

State, in respect of any declared conflict of interest, whether any dispensation has been granted
None

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