Council

| Date of Meeting:  | 24 July 2024                                   |
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| Report by:        | Councillor Ben Crystall, Leader of the Council |
| Report title:     | Executive Report – 4 June 2024                 |
| Ward(s) affected: | All  |

#### Summary

• This report details the recommendations to Council made by the Executive at its meeting on 4 June 2024. There was a meeting of the Executive on 9 July 2024 but there were no recommendations to Council.

#### **1.0** Item considered and recommended to Council

- 1.1 Since the last Council meeting, the Executive met on 4 June and 9 July 2024. At these meetings the Executive considered and supported a number of recommendations for Council on the following items:
  - 1.1.1 Hertfordshire Development Quality Charter
  - 1.1.2 Walkern Neighbourhood Plan First Revision Adoption
- 1.2 This report sets out the recommendation for the above items. The full report, including the Appendix, may be viewed on the council's website.
- 1.3 This report excludes items also considered by the Executive where those reports are separate agenda items on the Council agenda.
- 2.0 <u>Hertfordshire Development Quality Charter</u>
- 2.1 The Executive was asked to endorse the Hertfordshire Development Quality Charter as a material consideration for Development Management purposes.

## **RECOMMENDATION TO COUNCIL:**

- (a) The Hertfordshire Development Quality Charter be agreed as a material consideration for Development Management purposes; and
- (b) Developers, landowners and housing associations in the district be encouraged to voluntarily sign and commit to the design and sustainability pledges set out in the Quality Charter
- 3.0 <u>Walkern Neighbourhood Plan First Revision Adoption</u>
- 3.1 The Executive was asked to consider the recommendation to Council to formally make (adopt) the Walkern First Revision Neighbourhood Plan in accordance with the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.

## **RECOMMENDATION TO COUNCIL:**

(a) That the Walkern Neighbourhood Plan First Revision 2021- 2033, be formally made.

#### 4.0 Executive Decisions

4.1 Other matters determined by the Executive are detailed in the Minutes of the meeting.

# 5.0 Background papers, appendices and other relevant material

- 5.1 Executive minutes 4 June 2024
- 5.2 Hertfordshire Development Quality Charter
- 5.3 Walkern Neighbourhood Plan First Revision Adoption

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