DECISION UNDER DELEGATED POWERS

Subject	Extension of the Air Quality Supplementary Planning Document public consultation
Officer Requesting Decision	Development Strategy Manager
Officer Making the Decision	Executive Director
Authority for Decision	Scheme of Delegation to Officers Part 2B-2.3 (c); "Take any action incidental to, or to give effect to, decisions taken by elected members within his or her sphere of responsibility".
Recommendation	To extend the consultation of the Air Quality Supplementary Planning Document indefinitely. Once the new close of consultation is established then to advise of this via letter and emails, press release and press notice in the local newspaper, in line with the Statement of Community Involvement and the Town and Country Planning Regulations 2012. This recommendation and decision are incidental to the decision that has been made by Cabinet.
Alternatives considered and rejected	To not extend the Air Quality Supplementary Planning Document consultation period indefinitely and for it to close on the 20 th April as agreed at the Cabinet meeting on 4 th March 202.
Decision	Approve
Reason	1. The impact of the social distancing as a result of the Coronavirus pandemic has impacted the way in which people work and live their daily lives. It is expected this will impact the level of responses to the consultation and as such it is considered that the consultation should be extended indefinitely to fully allow for responses to be made. 2. To comply with the Council adopted Statement of Community Involvement, October 2019 and the Town and Country Planning (Local Development) (England) Regulations 2012. 3. To give effect to the decision made by Cabinet dated 2 nd March 2020
Date	17 th April 2020

Background Papers	1.Paragraph 81 (1) of the Cabinet minutes dated 2 nd March 2020. 2. Council constitution – scheme of delegation to officers.
Decision record kept until	17 th April 2026
Background papers kept until	17 th April 2024

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Dated: 17 April 2020.....