

EXECUTIVE MEMBER DECISION FORM

DECISION TO BE TAKEN BY: Councillor Elizabeth Grey

KEY DECISION: YES

PORTFOLIO AREA: Environment and Climate Change

PORTFOLIOS AFFECTED: Environment and Climate Change

WARDS AFFECTED: ALL

SUBJECT: Pollinators Action Plan and Grass Verge Pollinators Maintenance

1. RECOMMENDATIONS:

1.1 To approve the adoption of the Pollinators Action Plan for Wirral.

2. REASON/S FOR RECOMMENDATION/S:

2.1 National best practice from charities recommends that Local Authorities develop Pollinator Action Plans.



2.2 A Pollinators Action Plan formalises our commitment and interest in following best practice in our Parks, Countryside and Highways to benefit pollinators.

3. STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

3.1 The recommendations are made further to legal advice from the Monitoring Officer and the Section 151 Officer has confirmed that they do not incur unlawful expenditure. They are also compliant with equality legislation and an equality analysis and impact assessment has been completed. The recommendations reflect the core principles of good governance set out in the Council's Code of Corporate Governance.

4. DECLARATION OF INTEREST

4.1 There are no declarations of interest.

<p>Signed: </p> <p>Executive Member: Environment + Climate change</p> <p>Date: 10/02/20</p> <p>Also present:</p>	<p>Signed: </p> <p>Chief Officer: Assistant Director Community Services</p> <p>Date: 10/2/20</p>
<p>Date of Senior Policy Team Meeting(s):</p>	

A list of background papers on this issue is held with:

Contact Officer: Colin Clayton, Assistant Director Community Services
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