Committee: Uttlesford Planning Policy Working Group Agenda Item

Date: 8 June 2015

Title: Statement of Community Involvement

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Summary

 The appended report sets out the representations received, officer comments and recommendations following the consultation on the Statement of Community Involvement.

Recommendations

2. To recommend to Cabinet that the Statement of Community Involvement be amended as set out in the Report of Representations.

Financial Implications

3. None – consultation expenses can be met from existing budgets.

Background Papers

4. Responses to the consultation.

Impact

5.

Communication/Consultation	The SCI was subject to a 6 week period of consultation.
Community Safety	N/A
Equalities	The SCI makes sure that the methods of consultation used are such that all groups can be involved in consultation processes.
Health and Safety	N/A
Human Rights/Legal Implications	N/A
Sustainability	N/A
Ward-specific impacts	All
Workforce/Workplace	N/A

Situation

6. At the meeting of the 23 February 2015 the working group approved the consultation of the Statement of Community Involvement. The consultation period has now finished and the attached report sets out the representations received and officer comments and recommendations.

Risk Analysis

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Risk	Likelihood	Impact	Mitigating actions
If the Council does not have an up to date SCI and has not carried out consultation in accordance with the regulations and the Statement of Community Involvement the Local Plan could be found 'un sound' at examination.	Low	Delays in adopting the Local Plan.	Making sure that the SCI is up to date and in accordance with the relevant regulations.

^{1 =} Little or no risk or impact

^{2 =} Some risk or impact – action may be necessary.

^{3 =} Significant risk or impact – action required

^{4 =} Near certainty of risk occurring, catastrophic effect or failure of project.