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South Cambridgeshire District Council

2 February 2022

To: The Leader – Councillor Bridget Smith

Deputy Leader - Councillor Neil Gough

Members of the Cabinet – Councillors John Batchelor, Bill Handley, Dr. Tumi Hawkins, Peter McDonald, Brian Milnes and John Williams

Quorum: Majority of the Cabinet including the Leader or Deputy Leader

Dear Councillor

This is a supplement to the previously-published agenda for the meeting of **Cabinet** on **Monday, 7 February 2022**, containing those reports which had not been received by the original publication deadline.

Yours faithfully Liz Watts Chief Executive

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5. Public Questions

The deadline for receipt of public questions is 23:59 on Tuesday, 1 February 2022.
The Council's scheme for public speaking at committee meetings may be inspected here:
Public Speaking Scheme

a) From Mr. Daniel Fulton

Could the leader of the council support item 4 from the opposition budget proposal, namely, to hire an additional planning enforcement officer at a cost of £42,000, a cost which could be paid for by removing £42,000 from the council's 'transformation' slush fund?

10. Biodiversity Supplementary Planning Document (Key)

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Agenda Item 10

Addendum to Cabinet Report Item 10 Biodiversity Supplementary Planning Document 7 February 2022

Further to the publication of Cabinet Report prepared for the 7th February 2022 Cabinet meeting, the following amendments are proposed to the content of the report for item 10, which clarify the decision to be made following the consideration of this document by the Climate and Environment Advisory Committee on 12th January 2022

New Text:

Paragraph 1

The Greater Cambridge Biodiversity Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) was first brought before the Climate and Environment Advisory Committee in June 2021 with the recommendation to Cabinet to proceed to public consultation. Cabinet agreed to this and public consultation was undertaken between 23 July and 17 September 2021. The Climate and Environment Advisory Committee considered the responses to the representations received and the proposed changes to the SPD as set out in the Statement of Consultation (Appendix 1 of this report) on 12th January 2022 and recommended the document to Cabinet for approval.

Paragraph 3

Cabinet is recommended to

- a) Consider the main issues raised in the public consultation, and responses to the representations received and the proposed changes to the SPD as set out in the Statement of Consultation (Appendix 1 of this report);
- b) Approve the amended Greater Cambridge Biodiversity SPD (appendix 2 of this report) and to delegate authority to make any necessary editing changes to the SPD prior to publication to the Joint Director of Planning and Economic Development, in consultation with the Lead Member for Planning Policy and Delivery.

Paragraph 12

Cabinet can choose to:

- Adopt the Biodiversity SPD as drafted and amended
- Not adopt the Biodiversity SPD, but seek further amendments

