

MINUTES OF THE EXTRAORDINARY
MEETING OF HARBOROUGH DISTRICT COUNCIL

Held in the Council Chamber,
Adam and Eve Street, Market Harborough

11th July 2011

Commencing at 6.30p.m.

Present:
Councillor Beaty (Chairman)

Councillors: Mrs. Ackerley, Bannister, Beaty, Beesley-Reynolds, Birch, Dr. Bremner, Brodrick, Charlish, Dann, Dewes, Dunton, Evans, Everett, Galton, Golding, Graves, Hall, Hallam, Dr. S. Hill, Holyoak, Johnson, King, Knowles, Liquorish, McHugo, Mrs. Page, Pain, Mrs. Robinson, Rook, Mrs. Simpson, Smith, Spendlove-Mason, Tomlin, Mrs. Tooley and Mrs. Wood.

Officers: A. Graves, K. Mehta, B. Murgatroyd, E. O'Neill, S. Pointer, A. Yeomanson (from Leicestershire County Council).

Apologies for absence were received from Councillors Mrs. Burrell and Callis.

DECLARATIONS OF MEMBERS' INTERESTS

None were received.

CORE STRATEGY DEVELOPMENT PLAN DOCUMENT

Members considered a report from S. Pointer, Planning Policy Manager.

The purpose of the report was to inform Members of the content of a transport assessment using the Leicester and Leicestershire Integrated Transport Model (LLITM) of Market Harborough as supporting evidence to inform the Core Strategy Development Plan Document (DPD).

A. Yeomanson, Leicester County Council Transport Officer, was in attendance to answer Members' questions and provide information.

It was moved by Councillor Mrs. Ackerley and seconded by Councillor Rook that:

- (i) the Council recognises the transportation situation in Market Harborough outlined in the Report.
- (ii) the Council expresses commitment to work with the County Council as local transport authority to support the implementation of appropriate mitigation measures in and around Market Harborough over the period to 2026 in association with development proposals as set out the Core Strategy DPD.

Councillor Birch proposed an amendment to the above motion. This was seconded by Councillor Galton. The amended motion was worded as follows:

- (i) the Council recognises the transportation situation in Market Harborough outlined in the Report.
- (ii) the Council expresses commitment to work with the County Council as local transport authority to support the consideration, consultation and joint development of appropriate mitigation measures in and around Market Harborough over the period to 2026 in association with development proposals as set out the Core Strategy DPD.

On being put to the vote this amended motion was lost.

On being put to the vote Councillor Mrs Ackerley's original motion was carried. 23 Councillors voted in favour of the motion, no Councillors voted against the motion and 11 Councillors abstained from the vote. Therefore it was

RESOLVED that:

- (i) the Council recognises the transportation situation in Market Harborough outlined in the Report.
- (ii) the Council expresses commitment to work with the County Council as local transport authority to support the implementation of appropriate mitigation measures in and around Market Harborough over the period to 2026 in association with development proposals as set out the Core Strategy DPD.

The Meeting ended at 7.42p.m.