

Executive 16 February 2009

Report of the Head of Civic, Democratic and Legal Services

# Approval of the Private Sector Housing Strategy 2008-2013

1. This report requests Members to consider a decision referred by the Executive Member for Housing and Adult Social Services and Advisory Panel on 8 December 2008. This referral was made in accordance with the delegation scheme detailed in the Council's Constitution.

## **Background**

- 1. At the meeting of the Executive Member for Housing and Adult Social Services and Advisory Panel on 8 December 2008, Members considered a report, which sought endorsement of the contents of the new Private Sector Housing Strategy that will cover the period 2008-2013 and asked them to recommend its approval.
- 2. The Executive Member resolved to recommend that the Executive approve the Private Sector Housing Strategy that will cover the period 2008-2013.

Members are asked to consider the Executive Member's recommendation, as indicated in the above resolution.

#### Consultation

3. No further consultation has taken place in addition to the consultation detailed in paragraphs 9 to 13 of the report attached as Annex 1 to this report.

# **Options**

4. The Executive can either approve or reject the proposal of the Executive Member.

# **Analysis**

5. Members need to consider the details in the report attached as Annex 1 and make a decision based on the information therein.

## **Corporate Priorities**

6. The aims in facilitating this referral to the Executive accord with the key principles of improving the Council's organisational efficiency and complying with the requirements of the Council's Constitution.

## **Implications**

7. The implications of the original decision are set out in paragraphs 26 to 30 of Annex 1.

## **Risk Management**

9. There are no risk management implications in relation to the referral to the Executive of this matter and none associated with the recommendations of the original report.

#### Recommendations

3. That the Executive approves the Private Sector Housing Strategy that will cover the period 2008-2013.

Reason: To ensure that the housing in York continues to be maintained and managed to a high standard.

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#### **Background Papers:**

Draft Minutes of the Meeting of the Executive Member for Housing and Adult Social Services and Advisory Panel, 8 December 2008 (published on the Council's website)

#### **Annexes:**

Annex 1 Report to the Executive Member for Housing and Adult Social Services and Advisory Panel – Approval of the Private Sector Housing Strategy 2008-2013.

Annex 1A Executive Summary - Private Sector House Condition Survey 2008

**Annex 1B** Draft York Private Sector Housing Strategy 2008-2013

**Annex 1C** Draft York Private Sector Housing Strategy Action Plan 2008-2013