

CABINET

TUESDAY, 21 JUNE 2011

DECISIONS

Set out below is a summary of the decisions taken at the Cabinet meeting held on Tuesday, 21 June 2011. The wording used does not necessarily reflect the actual wording that will appear in the minutes.

Members are reminded that, should they wish to call in any decision, notice must be given to Democracy Support Group no later than **4.00pm on Thursday 23 June 2011**.

If you have any queries about any matters referred to in this decision sheet please contact Jill Pickering (01904) 552061.

7. KENT STREET SITE - DISPOSAL

RESOLVED: That the Cabinet agree Option a) to sell the freehold interest in the Kent Street site to North Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Service based on the terms and conditions contained in the report and to delegate authority to the Director of City Strategy in consultation with the Head of Legal Service to conclude the sale.

REASON: To ensure the development potential of the site is utilised, that a satisfactory capital receipt is obtained to support the capital programme and to assist another local public authority to achieve its service objectives.

8. LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK

- RECOMMENDED:**
- i) That Council be requested to agree to amend the provision for housing growth contained in the submission draft of the Local Development Framework core strategy to an average of 800 dwellings per annum, along with other textual amendments.
 - ii) That the Director of City Strategy be requested to prepare a report for Council highlighting the implications of these changes, along with an amended Core Strategy document and to arrange briefings for Members.
 - iii) That the Director of City Strategy be also

requested to include the points highlighted in the document circulated at the meeting into the revised Core Strategy document. *(This document has been attached as a late annex to the Cabinet agenda)*

REASON: To ensure the Council submits a robust and sustainable LDF Core Strategy for the LDF period to 2029.

9. MEDIA PROTOCOL

RECOMMENDED: i) That Council approve the revised Media Protocol at their meeting on 30 June 2011.

ii) That Council agree to the removal of the Media Protocol from the Council's Constitution.

REASON: i) To ensure greater transparency and accountability.

ii) To ensure that future practical amendments can be made to the policy without disproportionate bureaucratic decision making