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# CHANGE OF NAME OF STRATEGIC REGULATORY AND AREA REGULATORY COMMITTEES

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## **Summary**

The report recommends that the names of the Strategic Regulatory and Area Regulatory Committees are changed to Strategic Planning Committee and Area Planning Committees

#### Recommendations

- A. To change the name of the Strategic Regulatory Committee to the Strategic Planning Committee
- B. To change the name of the Area Regulatory Committees to Area Planning Committees

### Report

- 1. The Council's Constitution in Part 3 sets out the Responsibility for Council Functions. Within this section Members will find listed the names, membership and functions of particular committees.
- 2. Currently the Council has delegated functions to the "Strategic Regulatory Committee" and "Area Regulatory Committees" which operate in the Northern, Central and Southern areas.
- Whilst the remit of these committees covers decision making on certain rights of way matters, contested traffic orders and commons registration the main functions of the committees relate to planning matters.

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4. In response to requests from Members and with the support of Officers it is proposed that for clarity and ease of reference that these committees are renamed as the Strategic Planning Committee and the Area Planning Committees.

# List of Background Papers (This MUST be completed for all reports, but does not include items containing exempt or confidential information)

Council Constitution

# **Human Rights Act Appraisal**

The recommendations contained in this report are compatible with the provisions of the Human Rights act 1998

#### **Environmental Appraisal**

No environmental considerations arise from the recommendation within this report

#### **Risk Management Appraisal**

No particular risks have been identified

# **Community / Consultations Appraisal**

Various Members and Officers

#### **Cabinet Member**

Councillor Keith Barrow

#### **Local Member**

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### **Appendices**

None