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## EXTRAORDINARY COUNCIL

### KIRKLEES COUNCIL

**At the Meeting of the Council of the Borough of Kirklees held at  
Council Chamber - Town Hall, Huddersfield on Wednesday 27 February 2019**

#### PRESENT

**The Mayor (Councillor Gwen Lowe) in the Chair**

#### COUNCILLORS

Councillor Christine Iredale	Councillor Masood Ahmed
Councillor Mahmood Akhtar	Councillor Karen Allison
Councillor Bill Armer	Councillor Donna Bellamy
Councillor Martyn Bolt	Councillor Cahal Burke
Councillor Andrew Cooper	Councillor Nosheen Dad
Councillor Eric Firth	Councillor Donald Firth
Councillor David Hall	Councillor Steve Hall
Councillor Lisa Holmes	Councillor Erin Hill
Councillor Judith Hughes	Councillor Mumtaz Hussain
Councillor Viv Kendrick	Councillor John Lawson
Councillor Vivien Lees-Hamilton	Councillor Terry Lyons
Councillor Naheed Mather	Councillor Peter McBride
Councillor Darren O'Donovan	Councillor Shabir Pandor
Councillor Nigel Patrick	Councillor Carole Pattison
Councillor Amanda Pinnock	Councillor Andrew Pinnock
Councillor Kath Pinnock	Councillor Hilary Richards
Councillor Mohammad Sarwar	Councillor Cathy Scott
Councillor David Sheard	Councillor Ken Sims
Councillor Elizabeth Smaje	Councillor Mohan Sokhal
Councillor Julie Stewart-Turner	Councillor John Taylor
Councillor Kath Taylor	Councillor Graham Turner
Councillor Sheikh Ullah	Councillor Michael Watson
Councillor Fazila Loonat	Councillor Michelle Grainger-Mead
Councillor Manisha Roma Kaushik	Councillor Richard Smith
Councillor Mussarat Pervaiz	Councillor Rob Walker
Councillor Richard Murgatroyd	Councillor James Homewood
Councillor Will Simpson	Councillor Mark Thompson
Councillor Gulfam Asif	Councillor Harpreet Uppal
Councillor Richard Eastwood	Councillor Habiban Zaman
Councillor Nell Griffiths	Councillor Alison Munro

#### 138 **Announcements by the Mayor and Chief Executive**

The Mayor conveyed the thanks of Council to the emergency services who were currently tackling a large fire at Marsden Moor.

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### 139 **Apologies for absence**

Apologies for absence were received on behalf of Councillors Greaves, Holroyd-Doveton, Kane, Khan and McGuin.

### 140 **Declaration of Interests**

The following Councillors declared an 'other' interest in relation to Agenda Item 4;

- Councillor Scott; on the grounds that she lives adjacent to the Chidswell site
- Councillor Bellamy; on the grounds that she is a Trustee of Holme Valley Land Charity and Holme Valley Parish Council
- Councillor D Firth; on the grounds that he is a Trustee of Holme Valley Land Charity and Holme Valley Parish Council
- Councillor Sokhal; on the grounds that he is a Director of Kirklees Active Leisure
- Councillor E Firth; on the grounds that he is a Member of Kirklees Community Association, Dewsbury Endowed Schools Foundation Trust and Dewsbury East Community Trust
- Councillor Sims, on the grounds that he owns land and business in Holme Valley South, and is a Director of Kirklees Stadium Development Limited

The Monitoring Officer advised that she had granted dispensations to Councillors Smaje, Mather and Pattison in their capacity as Board Members of Kirklees Neighbourhood Housing.

### 141 **Kirklees Local Plan**

Council received a presentation from Richard Hollinson, Planning Services, which (i) set out the main stages of preparing the Local Plan (ii) summarised the key messages from the inspector's report following the Secretary of State's examination of The Plan and (iii) explained the recommendations to Council.

Following the presentation, public representations were received from Grahame Maxwell, Jacey Bedford, Mark Burrell (delivered by Grahame Maxwell), Julie Maxwell, Ian Walter and Nicola Gatenby.

It was moved by Councillor McBride, and seconded by Councillor Pandor, that;

- 1) The Council notes the Report of the Inspectors and their recommended Main Modifications as set out within the appendix to the considered report.
- 2) That the Council adopts the Kirklees Local Plan incorporating the Main Modifications recommended by the Inspector, as set out in Appendix 1 of the report, and further Modifications as proposed by the Council, as set out in Appendices 2 and 3, and in doing so, replaces the current statutory development plan (Kirklees Unitary Development Plan).
- 3) That, pursuant to (2) above, authority be delegated to the Strategic Director – Economy and Infrastructure, to prepare the Policies Map to illustrate geographically the application of policies in the Kirklees Local Plan, incorporating the modifications relating to the Policies Map, as set out within the appendices of the report.

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- 4) That, pursuant to (2) above, authority be delegated to the Strategic Director – Economy and Infrastructure, to make any further Additional Modifications to the Kirklees Local Plan that relate exclusively to factual updates, grammatical and formatting corrections for the purposes of publishing a plan.
- 5) That, pursuant to (2) above, authority be delegated to the Strategic Director - Economy and Infrastructure, to publicise adoption of the Kirklees Local Plan and to prepare and publicise the post-adoption sustainability appraisal/strategic environmental assessment statement in accordance with the regulations governing such matters.

During the consideration of this item, it was moved by Councillor Asif, and seconded by Councillor Pattison, that in accordance with Council Procedure Rule 15 (11), the Motion be put to the vote.

In accordance with Council Procedure Rule 24 (3), it was requested that the vote be taken by recorded vote, which was as follows;

For: Councillors Ahmed, Akhtar, Asif, Dad, E Firth, Griffiths, S Hall, Hill, Homewood, Hughes, Hussain, Kaushik, Kendrick, Loonat, Mather, McBride, Murgatroyd, O'Donovan, Pandor, Pattison, Pervaiz, A U Pinnock, Richards, Sarwar, Scott, Sheard, Simpson, Sokhal, Turner, Ullah, Uppal, Walker and Zaman (33 votes)

Against: Councillors Allison, Armer, Bellamy, Bolt, Burke, Cooper, D Firth, D Hall, Eastwood, Grainger- Mead, Holmes, Iredale, Lawson, Lees-Hamilton, Munro, Patrick, A Pinnock, K Pinnock, J Taylor, K Taylor, Sims, Smaje, Smith, Thompson and Watson (25 votes)

Abstained: Councillor Lyons

Upon being CARRIED, the Motion as proposed by Councillor McBride was therefore put to the meeting and it was;

### **RESOLVED -**

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Abstained: Councillors Allison, Cooper and Lyons