# NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME BOROUGH COUNCIL

# REPORT TO CLEANER, GREENER & SAFER COMMUNITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

HEADING:	Draft Open Space Strategy & Green Infrastructure Strategy
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<u>Portfolio</u> :	Environment & Recycling Planning & Housing

# Ward(s) affected:

All

# Purpose of the Report

 To consider and comment on the draft Open Space Strategy and Green Infrastructure Strategy

## **Recommendations**

• That the Cleaner, Green and Safer Communities Scrutiny Committee provide comments on the draft Open Space Strategy and Green Infrastructure Strategy which will be reported to Cabinet as part of the wider consultation process.

#### Reasons

• To provide the Cleaner, Greener and Safer Communities Scrutiny Committee with the opportunity to be involved in the development of the Strategies.

At the meeting of 19<sup>th</sup> October 2016, Cabinet approved the draft strategies for wider consultation with stakeholders. A copy of the Cabinet report is in your agenda. It was also resolved that as part of the consultation process, the Cleaner, Greener and Safer Communities Scrutiny Committee received a copy of the draft strategies for consideration and comment.