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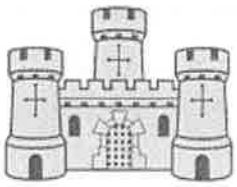

CALL-IN REQUEST FORM

Decision reference/minute no.	18 July 2012, items 6 + 7b
Date of publication of decision:	19 July 2012
Decision taken by:	CABINET

This form must be returned to the Chief Executive within 7 working days of the decision being published with at least 5 signatures

Decision called-in: = THAT THE COUNCIL NOT PROCEED WITH ANY PLANS TO DISPOSE OF THE SEVEN SITES REFERRED TO..."
+ THAT CABINET AGREE... TO EXCLUDE THE 7 NDP SITES REFERRED TO IN THE PREVIOUS ITEM"

A call-in should satisfy one or more of the following criteria.

Which of the following criteria supports the call-in of this decision? (please tick)

- ☐ The decision may be contrary to the budget or policy framework set by the Council and the Monitoring Officer has advised accordingly
- ☑ The decision is inconsistent with another Council policy
- ☑ The decision is inconsistent with a previous Overview and Scrutiny recommendation, which has been accepted by the Council or the Cabinet
- ☐ The decision maker has not taken into account relevant considerations and this can be demonstrated by reference to the documents supporting the decision
- ☐ The decision maker has failed to consult relevant people or bodies in contravention of defined Council policies or procedures
- ☑ The decision has or will demonstrate a significant adverse public reaction
- ☐ The decision gives rise to significant legal, financial or propriety issues

Please explain how the relevant criteria above are met by this call-in:
SEE ATTACHED SHEET
Suggested proposal you would like to be voted on at the call-in meeting (*this should be an evidence-based proposal and you should provide evidence to support the proposal*)
STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT CABINET DOES NOT UNDERMINE THE PROPOSED CONSULTATION PROCESS FOR SITE DEVELOPMENTS BY MAKING A DECISION TO REMOVE 7 PARTICULAR SITES IN ADVANCE OF THAT CONSULTATION PROCESS.

Members requesting call-in of the decision:

	Name	Signature	Date
1.	Cllr. W.N. JONES	W Nigel Jones	22/7/12.
2.	Cllr D HODDER	D Hodder	22/7/12
3.	CLLR S White	Simon White	22/7/12.
4.	Cllr M Reddish	Mavis L Reddish	22.7.12
5.	Cllr C.J Cornes	C.J Cornes	22.7.12
6.	BILLY WELSH	Billy Welsh	23/7/12

THIS PART OF THE FORM IS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OR HIS/HER REPRESENTATIVE

Date and time form received:	23 July 2012 10:25am
Form processed by (name):	Paul Cissy.
Date of publication of decision:	18 July 2012
Was the call-in request received within 7 working days of publication?	**YES/NO** **If no reject and inform relevant parties**
Are there at least 5 appropriate Members' signatures on the call-in notice?	**YES/NO** **If no reject and inform relevant parties**
Which Overview and Scrutiny Committee will this call-in be referred to?	Transformation of Resources for matters relating to Land ownership of the Council

Signature of Chair / Vice-Chair of relevant Overview and Scrutiny Committee		**Date:**

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The appropriate decision making body, Members requesting call-in, the Monitoring Officer, the Licensing and Democratic Services Manager and the Scrutiny Officer need to be informed of receipt of call-in form.

RE: CALL-IN REQUEST FORM about cabinet decisions 6&7, Cabinet meeting on July 18th 2012.

HOW THE RELEVANT CRITERIA ABOVE ARE MET BY THIS CALL-IN:

1. The decision conflicts with the aims and objectives of item 7 of the cabinet agenda that there should be public consultation on how to provide across the whole Borough for developments needs in housing, retail and employment (as in section 5 of the officer's report for item 7) and for decisions to be made in an open and transparent way (10.2 of same report).
2. It conflicts with recommendations of the NDP Scrutiny Review (especially 6 and 10 of section 6 of the report published in July 2011) that an improved, broader consultation take place before decisions are made on the 7 sites.
3. The decision may mean the council cannot carry out its development obligations under the current terms of the Core Spacial Strategy.
4. Already, 2 groups of residents have raised strong concerns about this decision.
