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Called in

Yes/No

THE THANET DISTRICT COUNCIL

RECORD OF DECISION OF CABINET

Name of Cabinet Member:

Relevant Portfolio:

Date of Decision:

Subject:

Key Decision In Forward Plan

Brief summary of matter:

One of Thanet District Council's priorities is to promote inward investment and job creation and increase prosperity for residents through economic growth. The district, through this Strategy (and the Local Plan), aims to create the right environment and conditions to capitalise on the areas assets and supporting residents to be enterprising and aspirational.

Decision made:

Reasons for decision:

The Economic Growth strategy underpins the Council's Priority 3: Promoting inward investment and job creation. It sets a direction for officers to develop action plans in order to deliver the strategy and support delivery of the local Plan.

Alternatives considered and why rejected:

Consultants were commissioned to support the Council in developing the strategy to provide external guidance and a framework in order to include consultation with relevant stakeholders. The Strategy provides the Council with a vision and direction to deliver. The alternative was to deliver the strategy in house but there was reduced resources and it proved more beneficial to bring in outside resources.

Details of any conflict of interest declared by any executive Member who has been consulted and of any dispensation granted by the Standards Committee:

Author and date of Officer report:

Background papers

Economic Dev Strategy Report
Thanet Economic Growth Strat for Cabinet final

Statement if decision is an urgent one and therefore not subject to call-in:

None

Last date for call in: 25 November 2016