

Decision made in the presence of:  
 Mark Ashwell, Executive Member for Planning and Regeneration  
 Clare Lawrence, Head of Development, Planning and Regulation  
 Arabella Yandle, Democratic Services Officer

**INDIVIDUAL EXECUTIVE MEMBER  
 DECISION RECORD SHEET  
 IMD 2016/IMD32**

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| <b>Title of the report</b> | <b>Sonning Conservation Area Appraisal</b> |
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**DECISION MADE BY** Mark Ashwell, Executive Member for Environment

**ACTION BY** Heather Thwaites  
**DECISION MADE ON** 13 September 2016

**Recommendation contained in the report**

Agree that:

- 1) the Draft Sonning Conservation Area Appraisal be made available for a 6 week period of public consultation;
- 2) the Draft Sonning Conservation Area Appraisal be amended in response to any comments received during consultation period. A further Individual Executive Member Decision will be required for the document to be adopted by the Council.

**Decision**

The Executive Member Planning & Regeneration

- 1) gives permission to consult for 6 weeks on the Sonning Conservation Area Appraisal;
- 2) agrees that the Draft Sonning Conservation Area Appraisal be amended in response to any comments received during consultation period prior to a further Individual Executive Member Decision which is required for the document to be adopted by the Council

**Reasons for Decision if different to recommendation**

N/A

**Alternative options considered and rejected at time of the decision**

N/A

**Summary of consultations undertaken**

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| <b>Director – Finance and Resources</b> | No comment   |
| <b>Monitoring Officer</b>               | No comment   |
| <b>Leader of the Council</b>            | Conservation areas (CA) are an important piece of planning framework within the borough. Its overarching aim for protection important areas is commendable. Therefore it is important to periodically review existing CA's to reflect the current position. I fully support this IEMD. |

**Reasons why the report was deemed to have contained confidential or Exempt information (if applicable)**

N/A

**Any Conflict of interest declared by any Executive Member who is consulted by a Member which relates to the decision**

None

**Any dispensation granted by the Head of Paid Service in respect of any declared conflict of interest**

None

**Background papers**

[Historic England Advice Note 1 - Conservation Area Designation, Appraisal and Management](#)

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**EFFECTIVE ON:** 22 September 2016

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