

**Written statement of a non-key decision**  
**Cabinet member finance, corporate services and planning**

<b>Title</b>	<b>Adoption of the Orcop neighbourhood plan and consequential updates to the countywide policies map</b>
Decision maker	Cabinet member finance, corporate services and planning Information about cabinet, including the names and contact details of the cabinet members, can be found here: <a href="http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?ID=251">http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?ID=251</a>
Date of decision	17 February 2023
Report exemption class	Open
Purpose	To make the Orcop neighbourhood development plan as part of the statutory development plan for Herefordshire and approve the consequential updates to the countywide policies maps.  To fulfil the legal duty to make /adopt the Orcop neighbourhood development plan and update the countywide policies map as part of the statutory development plan for Herefordshire.  On 20 May 2016, the Council delegated authority to the cabinet member for decisions on all further neighbourhood development plans adoptions and amendments to the countywide policies map.
<b>Decision</b>	<b>That:</b>  a) <b>The Orcop neighbourhood development plan be made as part of the statutory development plan for Herefordshire; and</b> b) <b>The required consequential changes are made to the countywide policies map.</b>
Reason for the decision	As set out in the report. Documents relating to this decision are available at <a href="http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgIssueHistoryHome.aspx?Id=50044097">http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgIssueHistoryHome.aspx?Id=50044097</a>
Options considered	1. There are no alternative options to making or adopting the Orcop neighbourhood development plan following the legal requirements of a positive referendum result on the 12 January 2023 and compliance with the European obligations and Human Rights conventions, as referred to in this report.

Declarations of interest (see ▪ below)	
Call-in expiry date (decisions are not subject to call-in where special urgency provisions apply)	23 February 2023

<p>Councillor: .....</p> <p>Cabinet member finance, corporate services and planning (Councillor Liz Harvey)</p>	<p>Date 17 February 2023</p>
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- a record of any conflict of interest declared by any executive member who is consulted by the member which relates to the decision;
- and
- in respect of any declared conflict of interest, a note of dispensation granted.