# **Decision Schedule**



# **Deputy Leader/Cabinet Member for City Services**

## TO ALL MEMBERS OF NEWPORT CITY COUNCIL

# Decision Schedule published on 09 September 2020

The Cabinet Member took the following decision on 09 September 2020. It will become effective at Noon on 17 September 2020 with the exception of any particular decision, which is the subject of a valid "call-in".

The deadline for submission of a 'Call-in' request form is 4.00 pm on 16 September 2020.

Information relating to the 'Call-in' process can be found via Democratic Services.

Reports relating to staffing issues/Confidential reports are not circulated to all members of the Council as part of the consultation/call-in processes.

#### **DL/CS 04/20**

#### **Newport City Council Flood Plan**

# **Options Considered/Reasons for Decision**

Flooding was considered the greatest risk of an emergency occurring in the Newport City Council area with over half of the area being identified as at risk of flooding. The plan was developed in order to meet the Council's statutory duty to prepare emergency plans. It captured the known flood risks to Newport City Council area and provided relevant procedures to respond appropriately to flooding incidents.

The full document was published as a Part 2 document, that due to the 'official sensitive' level of security classification, which for commercial and security reasons, cannot be disclosed to the public. The full document outlines known flood risk areas and details of the various types of flooding which could be experienced across the Newport City Council area. The plan outlined how we monitored and assessed flood risk in partnership with external organisations, and how the council would respond to a notification of forecasted or actual flooding. The plan referenced procedures for managing the sharing of information between all responding agencies; evacuation and shelter arrangements and internal and multi-agency communication strategies. To assist our assessment of and the response to the impacts of flooding, detailed maps were produced which provided an indication of the areas affected by the various sources of flooding.

#### Decision

To approve and adopt the flood plan.

## Consultation

Head of Law and Regulation (Monitoring Officer), Head of Finance, Head of People and Business Change and Head of City Services.

All members were consulted and provided with an opportunity to comment. Any comments received and response thereafter are set out in the report.

Implemented by: Head of City Services Implementation Timetable: Immediate
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