

CABINET MEMBER DECISION

Decision:

ADOPTION OF HIGH WEALD AREA OF OUTSTANDING NATURAL BEAUTY (AONB) MANAGEMENT PLAN 2024-29

(i) Details of decision

The Cabinet Member agreed to adopt the High Weald AONB Management Plan for 2024-2029.

(ii) Reasons for decision

If the County Council does not adopt the plan as proposed, then the Council would be in breach of the Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000 and would have to produce its own review of the management plan to cover the area of the AONB in Surrey.

(iii) Details of any alternative options considered and rejected

None.

(iv) Details of any consultation and representations received not included in the published report

None.

Conflicts of Interest and any Dispensations Granted

(Any conflict of interest declared by any other Cabinet Member consulted in relation to the decision to be recorded and any dispensations granted by the Audit and Governance Committee)

None.

Decision taken by:

(i) Name: Kevin Deanus

(ii) Portfolio: Cabinet Member for Fire and Rescue

Note - This decision was taken by the Cabinet Member for Fire and Rescue, and Resilience on behalf of the Cabinet Member for Environment.

Date of Decision: 28 May 2024

Date of Publication of Record of Decision: 28 May 2024

Date decision effective (i.e. 5 working days after date of publication of record of decision unless subject to call-in): 5 June 2024