

**EXECUTIVE DECISIONS TAKEN BY CABINET PORTFOLIO HOLDER OR DELEGATED OFFICER
NOTICE OF DECISION**

TITLE OF DECISION:			
Halton-with-Aughton Neighbourhood Plan Decision to Proceed to Referendum			
NAME OF DECISION TAKER:		COUNCILLOR TYLDESLEY	
POSITION AND RESPONSIBILITY HELD:		PORTFOLIO HOLDER FOR PLANNING	
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Details of Decision: <p>That the Cabinet Member endorses the proposed changes to the Neighbourhood Plan, as set out in the Examiners Report and agrees that decision statement can be issued to inform interested parties that the modified Neighbourhood Plan should proceed to Referendum as soon as reasonably possible.</p> <p>That Cabinet Member agrees to the advance funding of the Referendum which will be claimed back from the Government in due course.</p>			
Reasons for the decision: <p>Halton-with-Aughton Parish Council are undertaking the preparation their neighbourhood plan, the content of which has been subject to independent examination over the course of the 2025. The content and direction of their plan has been found to meet the basic conditions of neighbourhood planning and, subject to modifications, can proceed to public referendum. The Parish Council have indicated that they wish to proceed to this next stage and are currently preparing a Referendum Version of the Plan which will be published early in the new year.</p> <p>Given the plan has been found to meet the Basic Conditions of neighbourhood planning, the Council have legal responsibilities in supporting and facilitating the referendum stage of the process, which will be led by the Council's Elections team. Subject to a successful outcome at referendum then the finalised version of the plan will be presented to Full Council for approval in due course.</p>			
IS THE DECISION NO			
I confirm that I am authorising the decision as set out above in accordance with Rule 3 (Sub-Delegation of Executive Functions) of Cabinet Procedure Rules Part 3, Section 2 of the Constitution			
SIGNATURE OF DECISION TAKER:		Cllr Tyldesley	
THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY DEMOCRATIC SERVICES			
DATE DECISION TAKEN:		11.12.25	
DATE DECISION PUBLISHED:		11.12.25	
DATE RECEIVED BY DEMOCRATIC SERVICES:		11.12.25	
IMPLEMENTATION DATE (publication day + 5 working days):		19.12.25	