

Cabinet Meeting Resolution

Executive
Forward Plan
Reference

E2479

Housing Allocations Revised Scheme

Date of Meeting	14-Nov-12
The Issue	<i>The Allocations Scheme articulates how priority for social housing is determined. The revised scheme responds to the Localism Act which gave new freedoms permitting the council to restrict access and meet local housing need better.</i>
The decision	(1) To ADOPT the revised allocation policy; and (2) To AGREE that the policy is implemented in phases starting 1st January and to be fully implemented by 1st July 2013.
Rationale for decision	The Council is required to adopt and publish a housing allocations policy which articulates how social housing is allocated. The implementation of this policy will ensure that housing allocations create balanced communities where people choose live, make the best use of the housing stock and ensuring that those in greatest need are prioritised.
Other options considered	None
Declarations of Interest	None
The Decision is subject to Call-In within 5 working days of publication of the decision	