

**Summary of the Decisions taken at the meeting  
of Council held on 20 October 2014**

Agenda Item No.	Agenda Item and Recommendations	Decision
<p align="center"><b>9</b></p>	<p><b>Motions</b></p> <p>To debate a motion which has been submitted with advance notice, in accordance with the constitution.</p> <p><u>Female Genital Mutilation</u> That this Council notes that it is estimated that up to 66,000 women and young girls in the UK have undergone Female Genital Mutilation, of this number 20,000 are under the age of 15.</p> <p>We further note that these procedures have no health benefits and is a harmful traditional practice and an act of violence against women and girls, constitutes a violation of their fundamental rights, particularly the right to personal security, physical and mental health and of their sexual and reproductive health and is an act of child abuse.</p> <p>Such violations can under no circumstances be justified by respect for cultural or religious traditions or initiation ceremonies.</p> <p>To date there has not been a single prosecution for this in 28 years within the UK for those responsible for perpetrating this horrific crime as opposed to a more proactive approach in France.</p>	<p><b>Resolved</b></p> <p>That the following motion, as amended, be adopted:</p> <p><u>Female Genital Mutilation</u> That this Council notes that it is estimated that up to 66,000 women and young girls in the UK have undergone Female Genital Mutilation, of this number 20,000 are under the age of 15.</p> <p>We further note that these procedures have no health benefits and is a harmful traditional practice and an act of violence against women and girls, constitutes a violation of their fundamental rights, particularly the right to personal security, physical and mental health and of their sexual and reproductive health and is an act of child abuse.</p> <p>Such violations can under no circumstances be justified by respect for cultural or religious traditions or initiation ceremonies.</p> <p>To date there has not been a single prosecution for this in 28 years within the UK for those responsible for perpetrating this horrific crime as opposed to a more proactive approach in France.</p> <p>The Council asks the Leader and</p>

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	<p>The Council asks the Leader and Chief Executive to ensure all council staff and members assist health and Social Care professionals in Oxfordshire, including Midwives, Obstetricians, Nurses, Social Workers, Community Workers, Police, Crown Prosecution Service and Policy makers to work together to identify women and young girls who are at risk and to work in partnership to take effective action to bring to an end this barbaric practice.</p> <p>Proposer: Cllr Kieron Mallon</p>	<p>Chief Executive to ensure all council staff and members assist health and Social Care professionals in Oxfordshire, including Midwives, Obstetricians, Nurses, Social Workers, Community Workers, Police, Crown Prosecution Service, Teachers, School and Education professionals and Policy makers to work together to identify women and young girls who are at risk and to work in partnership to take effective action to bring to an end this barbaric practice.</p>
<p><b>10</b></p>	<p><b>Approval of Main Modifications of Cherwell Local Plan</b></p> <p>Report of the Head of Strategic Planning and the Economy</p> <p><b>Purpose of Report</b></p> <p>To consider Proposed Modifications to the Submission Cherwell Local Plan and representations received. To approve the Proposed Modifications, Further Proposed Minor Modifications and Sustainability Appraisal Addendum for submission to the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government. The Modifications are required to proceed with the public Examination and to ensure that the Local Plan is 'sound', and conforms to the National Planning Policy Framework.</p> <p><b>Recommendation</b></p> <p>The meeting is recommended:</p> <p>1.1 To approve the Proposed Modifications to the Submission Local Plan, incorporating Further Proposed</p>	<p><b>Resolved</b></p> <p>(1) That through the Local Plan Examination, officers seek the designation of that part of the Ray Conservation Target Area that lies within site Bicester 13 (Gavray Drive) as a 'Local Green Space' within the meaning of paragraph 76 of the NPPF.</p> <p>(2) That subject to resolution (1), the proposed modifications to the Submission Local Plan incorporating further proposed minor modifications and Sustainability Appraisal Addendum (annexes to the Minutes as set out in the Minute Book) be approved for submission to the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government through the Planning Inspectorate.</p>

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	<p>Minor Modifications and Sustainability Appraisal Addendum, for submission to the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government through the Planning Inspectorate.</p>	
<p><b>12</b></p>	<p><b>Bicester Community Building Update</b></p> <p>Exempt Report of Commercial Director (Bicester)</p> <p>Recommendations</p> <p>1.1 As set out in the exempt report.</p> <p>1.2 As set out in the exempt report.</p> <p>1.3 As set out in the exempt report.</p>	<p><b>Resolved</b></p> <p>(1) As set out in the exempt decision notice.</p> <p>(2) As set out in the exempt decision notice.</p> <p>(3) As set out in the exempt decision notice.</p>