

Executive

Eco Towns – Potential Alternative Eco Development at North West Bicester

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Report of Head of Planning & Affordable Housing Policy

PURPOSE OF REPORT

To consider next steps on the concept of an alternative Eco Development at North West (NW) Bicester.

This report is public

Recommendations

The Executive is recommended to consider and decide appropriate next steps in light of more detailed information to follow.

Executive Summary

Introduction

- 1.1 At its meeting of 17 November Executive received an update report on the Government's Eco Towns Programme and its publication of Phase 2 consultation documents.
- 1.2 As a result Executive requested a further report on the next steps to be taken in preparing for a formal response to that consultation in February. In particular Executive indicated that the concept of the NW Bicester alternative "eco-development" might need to be considered in more detail.