

Development Plan Panel

Tuesday, 2nd January, 2007

PRESENT: Councillor A Carter in the Chair

Councillors D Blackburn, D Congreve,
R Harker and T Leadley

30 Chair's opening remarks

The Chair wished everyone a Happy New Year

31 Declaration of Interests

There were no declarations of interest

32 Apologies for Absence

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor J Procter and Councillor Blake

33 Minutes

RESOLVED - That the minutes of the Development Plan Panel meeting held on 5th December 2006 be approved

34 Inspector's report on the Statement of Community Involvement for Leeds

The Panel received a report setting out the Inspector's recommendations on the Leeds SCI

Appended to the report was a copy of the Inspector's report, details of the Tests of Soundness and at Appendix B, the suggested changes proposed by officers. A revised version of Appendix B was tabled at the meeting

The Panel noted that the Inspector had made only minor changes to the SCI and had satisfied the Inspector on seven of the nine tests of soundness, with only minor amendments being required to meet the remaining two tests. On behalf of the Panel the Chair congratulated officers for their work on this matter

RESOLVED –

i) To note the Inspector's recommendations and reasons contained in his binding report on the Council's SCI

ii) To recommend to Executive Board that it recommends to Council that it adopts the SCI as amended in accordance with the Inspector's report pursuant to Section 23 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004

35 Date and time of next meeting

Tuesday 30th January 2007 at 1.30pm in the Civic Hall, Leeds

