

COUNCIL MEETING – 11 November 2015

NOTICE OF:	Reference No:	Date Received:	Date Forwarded:
Amendment	A2 to replacement WP	10/11/15	10/11/15

Submitted by: Councillor B Anderson Relevant Board/Regulatory Panel: Executive Board

Executive Member/Chair: Executive Member for Regeneration, Transport and Planning

Relevant Director Director of City Development

Delete all after 'This Council' and replace with:

'opposes the current exploration licenses for fracking in the Leeds area until such time as concerns about health, ecology and environment have been fully addressed.

This Council notes the increasingly urgent need for enhanced energy production in the UK as highlighted by the recent use of 'last resort' measures by the national grid to ensure that houses and business retained energy supplies.

Council believes that if planning applications are made for fracking then they should be considered thoroughly, with full local consultation. Council does note that there are currently proposals for the Secretary of State to get further powers in respect of fracking but would ask that Parliament ensures that full and thorough scrutiny and debate is carried out before any legislation is agreed.

This Council believes that any proposals to introduce fracking to the Leeds area should only be done with local support and once safety concerns have been fully addressed.'

Councillor B Anderson

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Deadlines for submission

White Papers - 10.00 am on the day before the issue of the Summons

Questions - 10.00 am on Monday before the meeting Amendments - 10.00 am on the day before the meeting (including references back)

(All submissions should be made to Governance Services for receipt to be recorded and distribution made)