Meeting of the Full Council Meeting to be held on Thursday, 20 July 2017

Report submitted by: Head of Legal and Democratic Services

Part A

Electoral Division affected: (None)

Nuclear Legacy Advisory Forum

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Executive Summary

This report proposes the appointment of a member to serve as the County Council's representative on the Nuclear Legacy Advisory Forum.

Recommendation

Full Council is recommended to approve the appointment of County Councillor Michael Green as the County Council's representative on the Nuclear Legacy Advisory Forum for 2017/18.

Background and Advice

The Nuclear Legacy Advisory Forum (NuLeAF) is a Special Interest Group of the Local Government Association.

NuLeAF represents and supports local authorities in England and Wales in dealing with nuclear waste and legacy issues. NuLeAF seeks to:

- provide a mechanism to identify, where possible, a common local government viewpoint on nuclear legacy management issues;
- represent that viewpoint, or the range of views of our member authorities, in discussion with national bodies, including Government, the Nuclear Decommissioning Agency (NDA), and Radioactive Waste Management Ltd (RWM) and the regulators;
- influence policy and strategy for nuclear legacy management in the interests of affected communities; and
- develop the capacity of member authorities to engage with nuclear legacy management at a local level.



The County Council has previously been represented on this Forum by a Cabinet Member. It is proposed that County Councillor Michael Green, Cabinet Member for Economic Development, Environment and Planning, be appointed as the County Council's representative to serve on NuLeAF for 2017/18.

Consultations		
N/A		
Implications:		
This item has the following implications, as indicated:		
Risk management		
No significant risks have been identified.		
Financial Implications		
There are no financial implications identified.		
Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985 List of Background Papers		
Paper	Date	Contact/Tel
N/A		
Reason for inclusion in Part II, if appropriate		

N/A