



# Member Consultation

## Publication of Members' Home Addresses on the Register of Interests

\* Required

### Options

The Monitoring Officer proposes that the Council adopt one of the following options:

#### **Status Quo**

The current arrangements for the publication of members' home addresses remain unchanged. Members' home addresses will continue to be published as a default position **unless** they request for their address to be classified as a sensitive interest under Section 32 Localism Act 2011.

#### **Blanket Policy**

Apply a blanket policy where all members' home addresses will be treated as a sensitive interest under section 32 Localism Act 2011 and be withheld from their published register of interests.

#### **Opt-in approach**

Move to an "opt-in" system whereby all members' home addresses be withheld under section 32 of the Localism Act 2011 as the default, but should they wish, a Member can request that their home address be published on their register of interests. This is the approach suggested to be most effective by the Debate Not Hate; The impact of abuse on local demo-

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2. Response \*

- Status Quo** - Continue to publish all Members' home addresses as the default position.
- Blanket Policy** - All Members' home addresses to be treated as a sensitive interest and withheld from publication.
- Opt-in approach** - All Members' home addresses to be treated as a sensitive interest and withheld from publication **unless** a member requests their address be published.

3. Comments

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