At its meeting held on 5 June, Cabinet appointed Members to the Local Plan Project Advisory Group for 2023/24.

The Conservative Group was required to nominate three Members to serve on the PAG and did so. However, its nominations included Councillor Chris Vinson who is a member of the PAG anyway in his capacity as the Chairman of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

It is therefore necessary for the Conservative Group to nominate a third Member to serve on the PAG. The Member nominated is Councillor Martin Bates.

Recommendation: That Councillor Martin Bates be appointed to the Local Plan Project Advisory Group for 2023/24.