

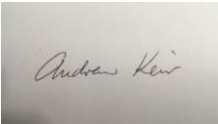
**QUAD OF AIMS**  
(TO BE COMPLETED WHEN MAKING CALL-IN)

**Title :**

**Cabinet Minute (if appropriate) :** Tuesday, 2 December 2025: Agenda Item 12: Pride In Place

REASON FOR ITEM/CALL-IN	RESOURCE
<p>To determine and understand :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The make-up and skills of an unelected board who will be responsible for disposing of ~£20M of public funding.</li> <li>2. To establish how council elected members will have scrutiny and oversight of ~£20m of public money spend.</li> <li>3. To determine if the current arrangements obviate the democratic process in respect to ~£20M public funding given to DBC.</li> <li>4. To understand how the decisions, laid out in the agenda, were made and if indeed the current proposal decisions are valid.</li> <li>5. Why this has been pushed through Cabinet so quickly with no member involvement other than cabinet.</li> <li>6. How Cabinet satisfied itself that the paper had to be considered at this meeting and not deferred until a future date, given a ward benefiting from the proposals was under purdah rules due a live by-election.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Communities and Local Services Scrutiny Committee</li> <li>2. Relevant Portfolio holders and appropriate officers.</li> <li>3. Copies of agendas and minutes of boards meetings since the boards inception.</li> <li>4. Copy of the submitted plan and all accompanying paperwork submitted to MHCLG.</li> <li>5. Copies of the report generated from the 2,398 consultation responses.</li> </ol>
PROCESS	ANTICIPATED OUTCOME
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Request the Communities and Local Services Scrutiny Committee to scrutinise the proposed process and working arrangement of the Board with the council.</li> <li>2. To understand how the data was presented, the decision-making process around the areas selected and actual scoring/prioritisation results of that decision making process.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Councillors will understand the validity of the process in off itself and also in the outcomes and results of the process</li> <li>2. Councillors will have a detailed enough understanding of the process being used manage the £20M public funding, enough so that they have a view on whether the process avoids the Council democratic processes for scrutiny or not.</li> <li>3. Councillor will have a clear understanding of why the decision made by Cabinet had to be made at that time.</li> </ol>

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Signed – Assistant Director of Law and Governance .....

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