

Key Decision Details

Decision Name	Eco-Towns: Living a greener future - response to the department of communities & Local Government consultation
Date of Decision	12 June 2008
Decision maker	Cabinet
Describe the Decision taken	Noted the contents of a report on the inclusion of a greenfield site at Hanley Grange near Hinxton in South Cambridgeshire in the Government's short-list of 15 possible locations for new eco-towns as part of their initiative to deliver additional housing growth in sustainable ways. Noted that a joint response to the Government's proposal was being prepared by the Cambridgeshire authorities and Cambridgeshire Horizons, and authorised the Head of Planning Services, after consultation with the Executive Councillor for Planning and Transport, to approve the contents of this response to the Department of Communities and Local Government.
What were the reasons for taking the Decision?	As part of the consultation process
What alternative options were considered and rejected?	None
Conflict of interest and dispensation	None
Is the decision a Key Decision?	Yes
Was the decision included in the Forward Plan	No
Was the decision subject to the urgency proceedings?	No
List the background papers to any report considered by the Decision Taker	The Eco town prospectus HDC response to DCLG Eco-towns - living a greener future
Person Making this	Mrs Helen Taylor

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**Date upon which the
Decision will come into
force, subject to no
call-in** 20 June 2008

**Accompanying
Documents** Eco-town report