

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

### Executive Decision Record

<b>Decision Maker:</b>	Leader and Executive Member for Hampshire 2050 and Corporate Services
<b>Date:</b>	13 July 2023
<b>Title:</b>	Local Nature Recovery Strategy
<b>Report From:</b>	Director of Hampshire 2050

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#### 1. The decision:

- 1.1. That the additional statutory responsibilities the County Council must undertake following its appointment by the Secretary of State as the responsible authority pursuant to Section 105 of the Environment Act 2021 be noted.
- 1.2. That authority is delegated to the Director of Hampshire 2050 to develop the Strategy across the organisation in partnership with stakeholders, noting that the Strategy will go to Cabinet for approval.

#### 2. Reason for the decision:

- 2.1. To ensure delivery of the Local Nature recovery Strategy for Hampshire in accordance with the Environment Act 2021.

#### 3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1. Not applicable.

#### 4. Conflicts of interest:

- 4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker:
- 4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted:

#### 5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

#### 6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.

#### 7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

**Approved by:**

**Date:**

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**Leader and Executive Member for Hampshire 2050  
and Corporate Services  
Councillor Rob Humby**