

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Economic Development
Date:	22 January 2018
Title:	Energy and Carbon Management Programme Update
Report From:	Director of Culture, Communities and Business Services

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1. The decision:

1.1. That the Executive Member for Economic Development approves the proposals to set a new, stretching carbon emissions reduction target of 50% by 2025 from 2010 levels.

2. Reason for the decision:

2.1. Climate Change is one of the major global threats. Local Government has a key community leadership role to play in not only reducing its own carbon impacts but also in working with public sector partners, industry and local residents to effect real change, which aggregated together, will allow the United Kingdom to make a major and telling contribution to the Climate Change mitigation agenda.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1. Not to set a new reduction target.

4. Conflicts of interest:

4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None.

4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None.

Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: None.

5. **Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent:** Not applicable.

6. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:

Date:

22 January 2018

**Executive Member for Economic Development
Councillor Mel Kendal**