

RUSHMOOR BOROUGH COUNCIL RECORD OF EXECUTIVE DECISION



Decision taken by individual Cabinet member

(All sections must be completed (mark "N/A" as applicable))

DECISION MAKER *(Name and designation)*

Tim Mills, Executive Head of Property and Growth (in consultation with Cllr Keith Dibble, Portfolio Holder for Housing and Planning).

DECISION AND THE REASON(S) FOR IT

To amend the Local Plan Timetable relating to the date of publication for the Council's Gateway 1 Self-Assessment Summary from 18 September 2026 to 21 September 2026.

On 3rd March 2026, the Cabinet approved the publication of the Local Plan Timetable and delegated authority to the Executive Head of Property and Growth, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Housing and Planning, 'to amend or add any information to the timetable to ensure compliance with guidance and/or regulations'. The Council subsequently published the Local Plan Timetable on 25th March 2026. As published, the timetable states that the Council will publish its Gateway 1 Self-Assessment Summary on 18th September 2026.

The Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2026 underpin the 'new' plan-making system. Regulation 21(3) states that:

'A local planning authority must make their self-assessment summary available in accordance with regulation 88 no earlier than the later of:

- (a) the first day after the period of four months beginning with the date on which the authority make available their notice of intention to commence local plan preparation under regulation 19(1), or
- (b) the day after the date specified in the notice of scoping consultation'.

Regulation 88 relates to the publication of documents.

The Council published the Notice of Intention to Commence Local Plan Preparation on 18th May 2026. The first day after the four-month period beginning with this date is 19th September 2026. The Notice of Scoping Consultation was published on 19th June 2026, with the date specified in the notice for receipt of representations being 31st July 2026. The day after that date is 1st August 2026. In accordance with Regulation 21(3), the Council may therefore publish its Gateway 1 Self-Assessment Summary no earlier than 19th September 2026. The Local Plan Timetable therefore requires amending.

The publication date for the Gateway 1 Self-Assessment Summary in the timetable has been amended from 18th September 2026 to 21st September 2026. The Council will publish the Gateway 1 Self-Assessment Summary in accordance with Regulation 88 on that date to comply with the regulations.

DATE DECISION TAKEN

26th August 2026

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED

(Those examined by officers and generated by consultation, etc)

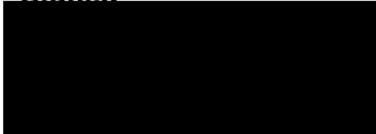
None. The publication of the Gateway 1 Self-Assessment Summary must meet the legislative requirements, and the timetable must be amended accordingly.

ANY CONFLICTS OF INTERESTS DECLARED

*(conflict of interests of any executive member who is consulted by the officer which relates to the decision.
A note of dispensation should be attached).*

None.

Signed



Tim Mills (Decision maker)

Designation: Executive Head of Property & Growth

Signed



Keith Dibble (Decision maker)

Designation: Portfolio Holder for Housing and Planning

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