

Cabinet

SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

Date: Wednesday, 08 March 2023 Time: 16:30 Venue: Mancroft room, City Hall, St Peters Street, Norwich, NR2 1NH

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Agenda

16 Establishing a Joint Venture with Anglian Water and Norfolk Authorities to provide environmental credits

Purpose: The issuing of planning consents for new overnight accommodation in Norwich is currently on hold due to the nutrient neutrality constraints that arose following guidance issued by Natural England in March 2022.

The purpose of this report is to consider whether the Council should seek to participate in a Joint Venture company being established in partnership with neighbouring Councils and Anglian Water Ltd. The purpose of the company will be to purchase environment credits created by the delivery of nutrient mitigation measures and sell the credits to the development industry so they will be able to provide information to the Local Planning Authorities so that the nutrient neutrality constraint may be overcome.

*17 Exclusion of the public

Consideration of exclusion of the public.

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particular person (including the authority holding that information) as in para 3 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972.

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