



SCRUTINY COMMISSION – 8 MARCH 2017

HOUSING GROWTH AND WATER

REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

Introduction

1. It had been intended at this meeting to hold a session on housing growth and water with representatives of Severn Trent Water (STW). Unfortunately, STW were ultimately unable to attend the session today.

Background

2. STW has committed to issuing a response to a list of questions (appended) which it had been developed to inform the discussion intended to be held at this meeting. STW is intending to issue its response by 1 March.

Purpose of the session

3. The Scrutiny Commissioners, having been informed that STW were unable to attend the meeting today, felt that it would be worthwhile to debate with members at this meeting STW's submission with support from County Council officers to enable any follow up questions/issues to be developed and, in order that, if required, another session could be organised with representatives from STW later in the year.
4. The submission from STW will be circulated to members of the Commission when it becomes available and tabled at the meeting to enable a discussion to take place and any further steps to be considered.
5. Members may find the following web page helpful in aiding their understanding of the breakdown of responsibilities for managing flood risk:

http://www.local.gov.uk/local-flood-risk-management/-/journal_content/56/10180/3572186/ARTICLE

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