Report to: Council

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Discretionary Planning Fees Review

Report summary:

This report sets out the Cabinet recommendation to Council arising from their consideration of a report following a review of Discretionary Planning Fees at their meeting on 5 March 2025.

Note: The references in this report to Paper A relate to the relevant report considered by the Cabinet with recommendations for Full Council to consider and are appended to this report for reference.

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Budget	Yes $oxtimes$ No $oxtimes$
Policy Framework	Yes $oxtimes$ No $oxtimes$

Recommendation:

That Cabinet recommends to Council that the revised schedule of fees for discretionary planning fees be adopted.

Reason for recommendation:

The recommendation to revise discretionary planning fees and the level of service we offer is driven by several key factors, including the need to enhance service delivery, cover rising operational costs, and ensure the sustainability of the Planning Service.

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