

# Officer Decisions

## Head of Planning, Transportation and Environment - Dave Black

Summary of Matter or Issue Requiring Decision	Approval for North Devon Link Road improvement strategy to go to consultation.
Decision Taken	Approved to go to consultation.
Summary of Reason(s) for Decision Taken	
Summary of Alternatives or Options considered and rejected	<p>The Council could decide not to go to Consultation and instead make a decision on the Strategy through current democratic processes. Doing this would not give some stakeholders and members of the public chance for proper scrutiny and transparency so this has been rejected.</p> <p>The Department for Transport document 'Transport Analysis Guidance' (TAG) requires that consultation be undertaken following the initial option sift. As the scheme will be submitted in accordance with DfT guidelines a decision has been made to go to public consultation.</p>
Details of any conflict of interest and dispensation granted to the Officer taking the decision or by any Member of the Council in delegating responsibility for any specific express delegation	None known to the head of Planning, Transportation and Environment.
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Decision Date	6 June 2016

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