Economy and Environment Overviewand Scrutiny Committee 9 February 2024: Discussion note for the call-in of the decision to consult on the development of a swimming pool at Shrewsbury Sports Village



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## Covering note on the Call-in of the decision made in relation to Shrewsbury Sports Village Transformation – Proposals for new fitness and pool facilities at Sundorne

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## 1. Powers of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee

- 1.1 The decision taken in relation to Shrewsbury Sports Village Transformation Proposals for new fitness and pool facilities at Sundorne taken by Cabinet on January 17 2024 has been called in by the Liberal Democrat Group of the Council.
- 1.2 Members are reminded that call-in cannot 'overturn' a decision. A call-in can be considered by the relevant overview and scrutiny committee which can decide:
  - a) whether it accepts that decision with no further comment or
  - b) whether it wishes to accept the grounds on which the decision has been called-in and refer the decision back to Cabinet for reconsideration, and if so, what recommendations to Cabinet it wishes to make.
  - c) Overview and Scrutiny Committees can also refer the decision to Council for a wider debate
- 1.3 If the Overview and Scrutiny Committee does not refer the matter back to the Cabinet, the decision shall take effect on the date of the Committee meeting.

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- 1.4 The powers of the committee when they receive a call-in do not differ from those for all of their work and meetings. The committee is not decision-making and will consider the available information to confirm their response. This includes the full call-in notice, the report(s) to Cabinet used to inform the decision that was called-in, and supplementary information to assist the committee in its consideration of the substance of the call-in notice.
- 1.5 The Call-in notice is attached at appendix 1, the report to Cabinet that informed the decision is attached at appendix 2, and supplementary information to assist the committee is attached at appendix 3.

List of Background Papers (This MUST be completed for all reports, but does not include items containing exempt or confidential information)

Cabinet decision paper

## **Appendices**

Appendix 1: Call in notice

Appendix 2: Report to Cabinet

Appendix 3: Supplementary information – Service

Appendix 4: Call-in procedure