

Motions Submitted to Council

In accordance with Chapter 2, Part 2 (Rule 15) of the Council's Constitution

Motion 2

Submitted by Councillor Liddiard

Given the number of Thurrock homes in flood risk areas, the increasing risk of flooding and the volume of new homes in the emerging Local Plan, Council resolves to create a cross party working group to explore the flood risks, consider the possible impacts within Thurrock and report back with recommendations.

Monitoring Officer Comments:

The motion relates to a matter affecting the authority's area and relates to a matter in respect of which the Council has a relevant function. The Council already has a Local Development Plan Task Force to look at issues related to the Local Plan and officers and Members sit on regional flood defence committees. A Working Group allows officers and Members to work flexibly to cover the terms of reference and provide recommendations to the appropriate body.

Section 151 Officer Comments:

There are no direct financial implications arising from this motion.

Is the above motion within the remit of Council to approve?

Yes