**NORTH EAST DERBYSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL**

**RECORD OF DECISION TAKEN BY THE ASSISTANT DIRECTOR – GOVERNANCE AND MONITORING OFFICER**

**18 AUGUST 2015**

**DESIGNATION OF WESSINGTON NEIGHBOURHOOD AREA**

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<td>Cabinet on 2 February 2015 delegated power to the Assistant Director – Governance and Monitoring Officer to designate neighbourhood areas following consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Environment.</td>
<td>To designate the Wessington Neighbourhood Area as a neighbourhood area for the purposes of section 61G (1) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 as amended which was requested by Wessington Parish Council. A copy of the area designated is outlined in red on the attached appendix marked Map A.</td>
<td>I am satisfied that the requirements of the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 have been met with regard to this application. I am satisfied that the area is an appropriate area to be designated as a neighbourhood area and that the statement explaining why it is appropriate is satisfactory. The statement explaining that the applicant is the relevant body is provided and is satisfactory. A map (attached) identifying the area has been provided.</td>
<td>I could reject the application if it was not an appropriate area or did not meet the requirements of the legislation. These reasons for rejection do not apply in this case.</td>
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The application has been consulted on for the requisite period in line with Regulation 5 of the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012.

No representations were received.

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<td>Yes, Portfolio Member</td>
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Authorising Signature: [Signature]

Job title: Assistant Director – Governance and Monitoring Officer

To be completed by PA to Director of Transformation:

Unique Reference Number: DD/123/15/MK

Date decision may be implemented following call in (if necessary): N/A

Circulation to:

Councillors, Chief Executive, Monitoring Officer, Section 151 Officer, Scrutiny Officer, Internal Audit
Wessington Neighbourhood Plan Boundary Map

\[\text{Map showing boundaries of the Wessington Neighbourhood Plan area.}\]

\[\text{Note: Map includes all of Wessington Parish Council's area and a small piece of Brackenfield Parish Council's area.}\]