

KEY DECISION

Proposed to be made by
the Cabinet on
2nd March 2012

<p>LEAD MEMBER/ PORTFOLIO HOLDER</p> <p>Kit Taylor</p>	<p>ITEM</p> <p>COUNTY HOMELESSNESS STRATEGY</p>	<p>WARDS AFFECTED</p> <p>All</p>
<p>DOCUMENTS TO BE CONSIDERED BY THE DECISION TAKER</p> <p>The County Homelessness Strategy</p> <p>REPORT AUTHOR</p> <p>Andy Coel Strategic Housing Manager</p>	<p>SUMMARY</p> <p>The report introduces a revised and updated County Homelessness Strategy for approval.</p> <p>The Strategy sits under the County Homelessness Strategy and sets out the County’s goals and aspirations for preventing homelessness or meeting the needs of those who become homeless.</p> <p>The Strategy will be in two parts – the Countywide element and then a series of local Action Plans for each partner local authority.</p>	<p>REASONS FOR BEING ON THE FORWARD PLAN</p> <p>The Strategy is relevant for anyone who is facing homelessness or actually homeless across this District.</p>

CONSULTATION DETAILS	Method of Consultation	Consultation period or dates
Stakeholders Service users, partners and other stakeholders	Paper and telephone survey of those who have accessed housing options services across the County. Interviews of homeless households. Countywide Home Truths event for stakeholders.	July – Sept 2011
	Draft report circulated to partners and stakeholders	Oct – Nov 2011

DECISION TO BE MADE IN PARTNERSHIP WITH

Other local authorities across the County.