ISLE OF ANGLESEY COUNTY COUNCIL			
Report to	County Council		
Date	4 December 2014		
Subject	Anglesey and Gwynedd Joint Local Development Plan – Revised Timetable		
Portfolio Holder(s)	Councillor J Arwel Roberts		
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Local Members:	A series of seminars for Members have been held since the start of the Plan preparation process. The last session set out the revised timetable.		

A -Recommendation/s and reason/s

Recommendation

That the Council approves the revised timetable (set out in **Appendix 1)** to prepare the Joint Local Development Plan in order to reflect new circumstances and conform to statutory requirements, which includes presenting the revised timetable to the Welsh Government.

(A similar report is also being reported to Gwynedd Council on the 4th December 2014).

Reason

- 1. The Isle of Anglesey County Council and Gwynedd Council are working together to prepare a Joint Local Development Plan for Anglesey and the Gwynedd Local Planning Authority area.
- 2. Members will recall that a Delivery Agreement sets out how and when the Councils will prepare the Joint Local Development Plan. The current Delivery Agreement was approved by both Councils by the end of December 2013 and

then supported by the Welsh Government in January 2014. Due to a number of reasons, beyond the control of the Joint Planning Policy Unit, more time was required to prepare the Deposit Plan. The reasons for the delay and a revised timetable were set out in a report to the Joint Planning Policy Committee in September 2014. The following provides a link to the report http://www.gwynedd.gov.uk/gwy_pwyllgorau.asp?cat=8496&doc=31593&Language=1.

The Joint Planning Policy Committee recommended that steps be taken to gain both Council's approval of the revised timetable now set out in **Appendix 1.** The Council's Executive considered the revised timetable in its meeting on the 1st December 2014

3. When the Councils approve the revised timetable the Delivery Agreement will be amended accordingly and sent on to the Welsh Government's support. The revised Delivery Agreement and the Welsh Government's letter will be made available to view in the Councils' offices and on each Council's website.

B – What other options did you consider and why did you reject them and/or opt for this option?

Not applicable

C – Why is this a decision for the Council?

The Local Development Plan Regulations require the Council's resolution to a timetable to prepare a local development plan prior to submission to the Welsh Government for its support.

D – Is this decision consistent with policy approved by the full Council?Yes

DD – Is this decision within the budget approved by the Council?

Yes, the work to prepare the Joint Local Development Plan is included in the Joint Planning Policy Unit's expenditure profile in order to conform to statutory requirements.

E – Who did you consult?	What did they say?
1 Chief Executive / Strategic Leadership Team (SLT) (mandatory)	

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2	Finance / Section 151 (mandatory)	Finance are happy for this report to proceed
3	Legal / Monitoring Officer (mandatory)	
5	Human Resources (HR)	
6	Property	
7	Information Communication Technology (ICT)	
8	Scrutiny	
9	Local Members	
10	Any external bodies / other/s	

F-	F – Risks and any mitigation (if relevant)			
1	Economic			
2	Anti-poverty			
3	Crime and Disorder			
4	Environmental			
5	Equalities			
6	Outcome Agreements			
7	Other			

Appendices:

Appendix 1: Revised timetable to prepare the Joint Local Development Plan

Background papers

- (i) Anglesey and Gwynedd Joint Local Development Plan Delivery Agreement (2014)
- (ii) Report to the Joint Planning Policy Committee 26/9/14
- (iii) Report to the Executive 1/12/14

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APPENDIX 1 Revised timetable to prepare the Joint Local Development Plan

Stage in	n the preparation process	Current Timetable	Revised timetable
1.	Preparation and publication of the final Delivery Agreement (Regulation 5 - 10)	· ·	January to November 2011
2.	Review and develop the evidence base	July 2010 - October 2012	January 2011 - October 2012
3.	Participation Pre-deposit – prepare the pre-deposit documents that will outline the key objectives and preferred strategy (Regulation 14). This will not be a full draft of the Joint LDP	,	January 2011 - October 2012
4.	Pre-Deposit Consultation - 6 week period (Regulation 15). Formal consultation on the predeposit documents and the sustainability appraisal report	May - June 2013	May - June 2013
5.	Participation - further develop the evidence base and prepare the Deposit Joint LDP (full draft plan) which is based on the evidence base, including the response to the pre-deposit documents	July 2013 - March 2014	July 2013 – December 2014
6.	Placing the Joint LDP and associated documents on deposit - 6 week consultation	May - June 2014	February 2015 – March 2015

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	period (Regulation 17)		
	Indicative timetable		
7.	Consideration of comments about the Deposit Joint LDP (Regulations 18 & 19)	July 2014 - January 2015	April 2015 – November 2015
8.	Publish comments on alternative sites, consulting upon them - a period of 6 weeks (Regulations 20 & 21)	September - October 2014	June – July 2015
9.	Submitting the Joint LDP to the Welsh Government for Examination (Regulation 22)	February 2015	December 2015
10.	Independent Public Examination (Regulation 23)	June 2015	April 2016
11.	Publication of the Inspector's Report (Regulation 24)	March 2016	October 2016
12.	Adoption of the Joint LDP (Regulation 25)	May 2016	December 2016
13.	Monitoring and Reviewing	Annual report	Annual report