

## **Hambleton District Council**

**Report To:** Cabinet

**Date:** 8 March 2022

**Subject:** **Public Open Space, Sport and Recreation Action Plans for the parishes of Ainderby Quernhow and Stokesley**

**Portfolio Holder:** Leisure  
Councillor P Thompson

**Wards Affected:** Tanfield and Stokesley Wards

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### **1.0 Purpose and Background**

- 1.1 The Council's policy is to consider, and where appropriate, endorse Public Open Space, Sport and Recreation Action Plans to provide a more strategic and efficient process for allocating future Section 106 monies (see Appendix A) for public open space, sport or recreation.
- 1.2 The purpose of this report is to endorse the Public Open Space, Sport and Recreation Action Plan for the parish of Ainderby Quernhow (see Appendix B) and the refreshed Action Plan for the parish of Stokesley (see Appendix C).
- 1.3 Actions Plans inform the allocation of Section 106 developer contributions and help to identify community priorities for open space, sport and recreation that can also be shared with parish councils to inform their forward plans for spending the CIL contributions that they receive.
- 1.4 To ensure that each Action Plan project can be assessed against the open spaces eligibility criteria as stated in the Local Plan policies organisations must:
  - Provide details of the public open space, sport and recreation project
  - Have given consideration to all public open space, sport and recreation projects that are included in a local Community or Parish Plan (if available)
  - Include details of any consultation with community groups that manage public open space, sport or recreation facilities that has helped identify future need
  - Refer to any recommendations that have been identified in the Council's Open Space, Playing Pitches and Sports Facilities strategies
  - Have support from the Elected Members for the parish concerned
  - Be signed off by the Director for Leisure and Communities

### **2.0 Link to Council Priorities**

- 2.1 The projects listed in the Action Plans link primarily to the enhancing health and wellbeing priority of the Council but will also help deliver outcomes under the caring for the environment and providing a special place to live priorities.

### **3.0 Risk Assessment**

3.1 There are no significant risks associated with the report recommendation.

### **4.0 Financial Implications**

4.1 The main method of delivery of Section 106 allocations is to passport external funding from developers to community groups. Funds will not be committed or released to organisations until the Council has received the monies from the developer.

4.2 Action Plans are revised as projects are developed or completed to ensure that that the projects are still relevant and viable. If there are changes to the plan they will be re-submitted to Cabinet for approval.

### **5.0 Legal Implications**

5.1 There is a legal responsibility upon the Council to ensure this funding is used in a way consistent with the individual Section 106 Agreements. The terms and conditions of the offer ensure that third party organisations meet their legal obligations of the award.

### **6.0 Equality/Diversity Issues**

6.1 Equality and diversity issues have been considered however there are no issues associated with this report.

### **7.0 Recommendation**

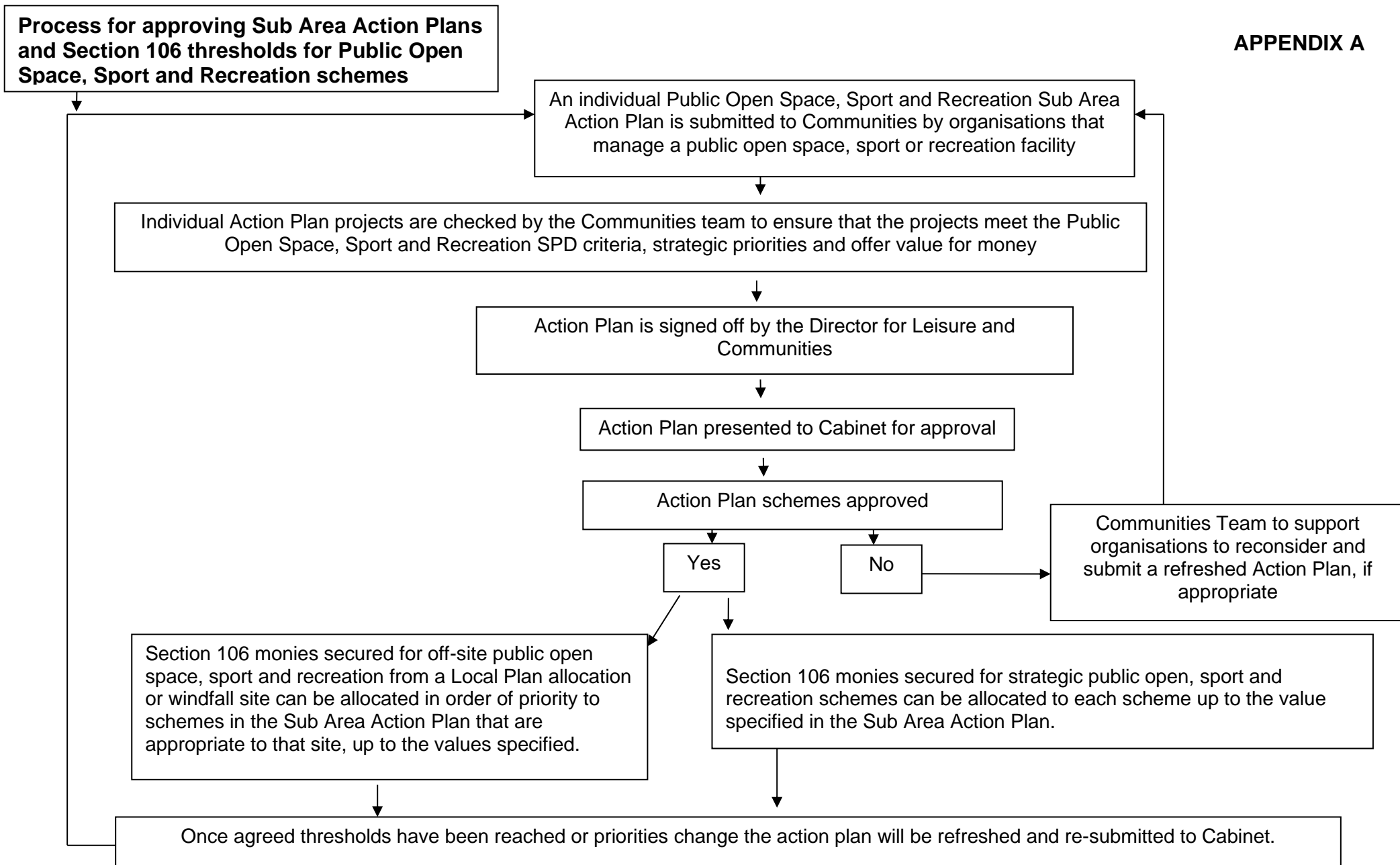
7.1 That Cabinet endorses the Public Open Space, Sport and Recreation Action Plan for the parish of Ainderby Quernhow and the refreshed Action Plan for the Parish of Stokesley.

Steven Lister  
Director of Leisure and Communities

**Background papers:** Hambleton Local Development Framework – Open Space,  
Sport and Recreation Supplementary Planning Document

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**HAMBLETON****DISTRICT COUNCIL****PUBLIC OPEN SPACE, SPORT AND RECREATION ACTION PLAN – AINDERBY QUERNHOW**

<b>What POS / Sport / Recreation facilities do you have already?</b>	<b>Managing organisation and contact details</b>	<b>Future actions</b>	<b>How do you know there is a need for this project?</b>	<b>Estimated cost (£)</b>	<b>Community Priority (1 = highest priority)</b>
None	Parish Council	Installation of a noticeboard to provide a facility to keep residents up to date with community information	Consultation with residents	£1,500	1

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**PUBLIC OPEN SPACE, SPORT AND RECREATION ACTION PLAN – STOKESLEY**

What POS / Sport / Recreation facilities do you have already?	Managing organisation and contact details	Future actions	How do you know there is a need for this project?	Estimated cost (£)	Community Priority (1 = highest priority)
Cricket facilities	Stokesley Cricket Club	To create a viewing area	Consultation and feedback from members	£5,000	1
Cricket facilities	Stokesley Cricket Club	Replacement cricket covers	Consultation and feedback from members	£2,400	2
River Leven public open space	Manorial Lands Trust	To improve river area	Consultation has taken place and planning application approved.	£300,000	3