

# TEIGNBRIDGE DISTRICT COUNCIL

## EXECUTIVE

7<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2020

### PART I

<b>Report Title</b>	Electric Vehicles, Infrastructure and Ultra Low Emission Vehicles Policy
<b>Purpose of Report</b>	To consider the recommendations of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee
<b>Recommendation(s)</b>	<b>The Committee RECOMMENDS to Executive that:</b>  Approves the Electric Vehicles, Infrastructure and Ultra Low Emission Vehicle Policy.
<b>Financial Implications</b>	Refer to the financial implications in the Overview and Scrutiny report in appendix 1
<b>Legal Implications</b>	See legal considerations in the Overview and Scrutiny report in appendix 1
<b>Risk Assessment</b>	The identified risks have been considered in the Overview and Scrutiny report in appendix 1
<b>Environmental/ Climate Change Implications</b>	This policy will support carbon reduction in the District.
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<b>Appendices / Background Papers</b>	Appendix 1 – Report to Overview and Scrutiny Committee on the 12th November 2019 Appendix 2 Electric Vehicles, Infrastructure and Ultra Low Emission Vehicles Policy Appendix 3 Internal consultation response Appendix 4 Devon County Council response Appendix 5 Wider stakeholder response

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## 1. INTRODUCTION / BACKGROUND

The Overview and Scrutiny Committee considered the report of the Portfolio Holder for Waste Management and Environmental Health at its meeting on 12 November, 2019. The report and appendices are appended.

The consequential minute of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee is as follows:

*Consideration was given to the agenda report which provided an update on the consultation results on the draft policy. During Committee discussion concern was expressed that: there were a variety of vehicle plug-in designs and it was considered that Government policy should seek a standardised plug in system for electric vehicles; rural area would miss out on electric plug-in locations; and the resources involve in making and disposing of car batteries, and the charging of batteries. The Portfolio Holder for Waste Management and Environmental Health advised that car manufacturers were pursuing the electric vehicle option for the future, and he understood research was looking into the reuse of second hand electric car batteries.*

**RECOMMENDED** that

*The Executive be advised that the Committee recommends approval of the Electric Vehicles, Infrastructure and Ultra Low Emission Vehicle Policy.*

## 2. IMPLICATIONS, RISK MANAGEMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE IMPACT

The implications are set out in the Overview and Scrutiny report which is appended.

## 4. CONCLUSION

The Executive is requested to consider the recommendations of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee as detailed above.