NOTICE OF MOTION

To be submitted to the meeting of Full Council to be held on:

Wednesday 13th October 2021

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in accordance with Standing Order Number 6.

Proposer:	Name (in capitals) Cllr S Hill	Signature
Seconder:	Cllr Harris	

NOTICE OF MOTION – PLANNING REFORMS

Council notes that the Government has published highly controversial proposals to reform the planning system. One aspect that has raised particular concern is the proposal to remove local residents' right to object to individual planning applications in their own neighbourhood if the area is zoned for growth or renewal. The House of Commons has called on the Government to protect residents' rights to retain a voice over planning applications, recognizing that the best way to get necessary new homes built is to support communities, councils and developers to work in partnership.

This Council believes planning works best when developers and the local community work together to shape local areas and deliver necessary new homes; and therefore calls on the Government to protect the right of communities to object to individual planning applications.