

Written statement of a non-key decision
Marches Enterprise Joint Committee

Title	The Marches and Mid Wales Draft Freight Strategy
Decision maker	Marches Enterprise Joint Committee Information about Marches Enterprise Joint Committee, including the names of the members, can be found here: http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?ID=873
Date of decision	13 December 2017
Report exemption class	Open
Purpose	To advise members on the production of the Marches and Mid Wales Freight Strategy and seek Marches Enterprise Joint Committee endorsement of the Strategy.
Decision	THAT: (a) Joint Committee members endorse the Marches and Mid Wales Freight Strategy.
Reason for the decision	As set out in the report. Documents relating to this decision are available at http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgIssueHistoryHome.aspx?IId=50023758
Options considered	The LEP could have continued to develop a Marches Freight Strategy just for the Marches. However, given the extent of the shared border between mid Wales and the Marches LEP area and the volumes of movement of freight across that border, it seemed sensible to work in partnership with colleagues in Wales to create a joint Strategy.
Declarations of interest (see below)	
Call-in expiry date (decisions are not subject to call-in where special urgency provisions apply)	Herefordshire Council: 19 December 2017 Telford & Wrekin Council: 18 December 2017 Shropshire Council: 20 December 2017

Councillor:

Councillor AW Johnson, Chairman of the
Marches Enterprise Joint Committee

Date 13 December 2017

- a record of any conflict of interest declared by any executive member who is consulted by the member which relates to the decision;

and

- in respect of any declared conflict of interest, a note of dispensation granted by the relevant local authority's head of paid service.