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Yes

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Policy SS4. South Melton Mowbray Sustainable Neighbourhoods

Policy SS4: Relevant context to respond to the questions below

Question 10: Looking at the options above, which option do you support?

Question 10 - Option 1: Delete the policy:

Question 10 - Option 2: Amend to reflect the 2021 Masterplan [preferred option]:

Question 11: Please use the comment box below to explain your response or provide any additional information you would like us to consider in our review of this policy

Please, provide further context:

Whissendine village is immediately downstream of the uplands in the cold Overton/Pickwell area; the streams from which drain into Whissendine Brook. Whissendine is subject to fluvial flooding from Whissendine Brook, 4 to 6 times a year on average, in that the main road through the village becomes impassable, cutting the village in two. The most serious floods, inundate the area known as The Banks (which includes a children's play area), Main St, Cow Lane and The Nook. Flooding in The Nook threatens two dwellings, and the licensees' accommodation at the public house has been flooded already in 2023.

For any proposal that involves discharge of surface water, into any stream that flows into Whissendine Brook, Whissendine parish council would wish to see alternative water management prioritised so that discharge to watercourse is last resort and then the maximum rate of discharge is limited to 1.7 L per second .

Policy EN11. Minimising the Risk of Flooding

Policy EN11: Relevant context to respond to the questions below

Question 64: Looking at the options above, which option do you support?

Question 64 - Option 1: Delete the policy:

Question 64 - Option 2: Add new elements of national policy:

Question 64 - Option 3: Restrict policy to strategic overview and local matters:

Question 65: Please use the comment box below to explain your response or provide any additional information you would like us to consider in our review of this policy

Please, provide further context:

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For any proposal that involves discharge of surface water into any stream that flows into Whissendine Brooke, Whissendine parish council would wish to see alternative water management prioritised two that discharge to watercourse is last resort; and then the maximum rate of discharge is limited to 1.7 L per second.

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