

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Policy and Resources
Date:	8 December 2011
Title:	Review of County Council Policy for the Control of Unauthorised Encampments by Gypsies and Other Travellers
Decision Reference:	3422
Report From:	Director of Culture, Communities and Business Services

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1. The decision:

- 1.1. That approval be given to the immediate implementation of the proposed amended County Council Policy for the Control of Unauthorised Encampments by Gypsies and Other Travellers.

2. Reason for the decision:

- 2.1. The current policy has not been formally reviewed since 1996 and changes both in legislation and Central Government Guidance require the existing policy to be updated accordingly.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1. The policy has been amended to reflect best practice and legislation.

4. Conflicts of interest:

- 4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None
4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None

5. Dispensation granted by the Standards Committee: None.

6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: Not Applicable.

7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:

Date:

8 December 2011

**Executive Member for Policy and Resources
Councillor T K Thornber, CBE**