

South Somerset District Council

Decisions taken by the South Somerset District Council on Thursday 10 September 2020

Agenda Item No	Topic	Decision
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Part A – Items considered in public

A5	Stronger Somerset Business Case	<p>RESOLVED: That Full Council agreed to:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. approve the Business Case for the reform of local government including the creation of 2 unitary Councils within Somerset.b. delegate authority to the Leader of the Council and the Chief Executive, in consultation with the other Somerset District Leaders and Chief Executives, to make minor amendments to the Business Case as necessary and / or appropriate, ahead of its submission to the Secretary of State.c. support the continuing consultation with local stakeholders, above and beyond any programme of consultation that may be required by the Government in due course.d. note that in the best interests of the communities and residents of South Somerset, the Council will continue to work with colleagues across all tiers of local government and public service in Somerset. <p>Reason: To agree the Stronger Somerset Business Case for change in Somerset for the purposes of submission to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government in September 2020.</p> <p><i>(Voting: 38 in favour, 13 against, 0 abstentions)</i></p>
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