## **EPPING FOREST DISTRICT COUNCIL**

Reference No: 6/2012/13

## **LEADER DECISION**

Subject: South East Local Enterprise Partnership (SELEP) and West Essex Alliance

Decision: That the Leader of Council be appointed as the Council's representative on

this organisation with the Portfolio Holder for Asset Management and

**Economic Development as Deputy** 

## **Explanatory Note:**

- 1. SELEP is a multi agency body covering East Sussex, Essex, Kent, Medway, Southend and Thurrock which deals with a wide range of social and economic issues affecting that area and works with a number of Government agencies on projects. The West Essex Alliance is a body comprising local partners including two neighbouring District Councils with similar objectives in mind.
- 2. The Leader of Council has traditionally attended these meetings and it is considered appropriate to formalise the arrangements. The appointment of a deputy is also considered desirable in both cases.

## **Legal and Constitutional Powers:**

Local Government Acts 2000 and 2007

| Signed |   |
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|        | Councillor C Whitbread<br>Leader of the Council |

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