

**SCHEDULE 12A LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972
EXEMPTION FROM DISCLOSURE OF DOCUMENTS**

Meeting and Date of Meeting: Council – 28th July 2016

Report: Oak Grove Solar Farm

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I have considered grounds for exemption of information contained in the background paper for the report referred to above and make the following recommendation to the Proper Officer:-

Exemptions applying to the report:

The report will be exempt under *Paragraph 14 of Schedule 12A - Access to Information: Exempt Information Local Government Act 1972 – Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding the information).*

Factors in favour of disclosure:

Openness & transparency in matters concerned with the public

Prejudice which would result if the information were disclosed:

The report contains commercially sensitive assumptions and figures which would prejudice the tender procedure if known.

My view on the public interest test is as follows:

Factors in favour of disclosure are outweighed by those against.

Recommended decision on exemption from disclosure:

Maintain exemption from publication in relation to report

Date: 25/7/16

Signed:



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Estates Manager

I accept/I ~~do not~~ accept the recommendation made above

Signed:



Date:

25.7.16