STATEMENT OF ADOPTION OF LOCAL DEVELOPMENT DOCUMENTS Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 (as amended) The Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 (as amended)

Notice of adoption of: Climate Change Supplementary Planning Document (November 2023)

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with Regulation 14 and Regulation 35 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012, at its meeting on 30 November 2023, Woking Borough Council formally adopted the revised Climate Change Supplementary Planning Document (SPD), which replaces the previously existing version of the SPD.

The Climate Change SPD provides detailed guidance for the application of Policies CS22 `Sustainable construction' and CS23 `Renewable and low carbon energy generation' of the Core Strategy. It explains what developers need to do to meet the requirements of policies within the Development Plan for Woking. It is therefore an important document to help deliver the spatial vision and objectives of the Core Strategy, particularly in terms of leading the way in high quality sustainable development that minimises the adverse impacts of climate change.

The Climate Change SPD was the subject of public consultation between 18 May 2023 and 30 June 2023. A Consultation Statement setting out details on how the community was engaged in preparing each of the documents has been produced, which is available on the website or in paper form at the various deposit venues as set out below.

Any person aggrieved by the adoption of the Climate Change SPD may make an application to the High Court under Section 113 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 on the grounds that:

- The document is not within the appropriate power; and/or
- A procedural requirement has not been complied with.

Any such application must be made to the Court not later than 3 months starting from the adoption date (in this particular case, 30 November 2023).

Inspection of the Documents

The Supplementary Planning Document can be viewed online at: https://www.woking2027.info/supplementary/climatechangespd.

Paper copies can be inspected at the following venues:

- Woking Borough Council, Civic Offices, Gloucester Square, Woking, GU21 6YL. Monday to Friday 9am 4.45pm (by appointment).
- TBC Woking, Byfleet, West Byfleet and Knaphill libraries. Please see www.surreycc.gov.uk for their opening times.

For further information about the Local Development Documents, please contact the Planning Policy Team on 01483 743871 or e-mail – planning.policy@woking.gov.uk