

**~~PART 2 ARTICLE 9~~ PART 2 ARTICLE 9 - AREA COMMITTEES AND FORUMS**

1. The Council has decided not to appoint any area committees or forums.
2. The Council or the Executive may however in the future appoint such area committees as it sees fit, if it is satisfied that to do so will ensure improved service delivery in the context of best value and more efficient, transparent and accountable decision making.