

WORCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

RECORD OF MEMBER DELEGATED DECISION

Worcestershire County Council's Biodiversity Duty Report 2026

Date of Decision	16 March 2026
Decision Maker	Ian Cresswell, Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Environment and Communities
Brief Description of Decision	Approval to publish Worcestershire County Council's Biodiversity Duty Report
Reason(s) for Decision	The requirement to produce and publish a Biodiversity Report by March 31 2026 is a statutory requirement of the Environment Act (2021)
Alternative Options Considered and Rejected	Failure to meet this statutory requirement poses risk of reputational damage to the council
Any Conflict of Interest declared by a consulted Cabinet Member/ any dispensation granted	None
Signature of Decision Maker	Cllr Ian Cresswell
Date of Implementation of Decision	21 March 2026