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<b>Report To:</b>	<b>Environment and Regeneration Committee</b>	<b>Date:</b>	<b>16 January 2019</b>
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<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Withdrawal From the European Union - Update</b>		

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## **1.0 PURPOSE**

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to update the Committee on actions taken to mitigate the potential risks arising from EU withdrawal including a 'no deal' Brexit.

## **2.0 SUMMARY**

- 2.1 At the time of writing this report the impact of the general election on the potential EU withdrawal date of 31 January 2020 is not known. A verbal update will be given to the Committee outlining the current risks to the area depending on the most likely scenarios.

## **3.0 RECOMMENDATION**

- 3.1 That Members approve the actions taken to mitigate the impact of a no-deal EU exit in Inverclyde.

## 4.0 BACKGROUND

4.1 Members have previously been advised of the planning for a no deal EU exit in Inverclyde at the special Environment & Regeneration Committee meeting on 17 October 2019. At that meeting the Council's risk register was discussed. An updated copy of the risk register will be circulated at the Committee and a verbal update will be given on any changes since 17 October.

## 5.0 IMPLICATIONS

### 5.1 Finance

A verbal update will be given on any changes to the financial implications of a no deal EU exit from the situation pertaining on 17 October.

Cost Centre	Budget Heading	Budget Years	Proposed Spend this Report £000	Virement From	Other Comments
N/A					

Annually Recurring Costs/(savings)

Cost Centre	Budget Heading	With effect from	Annual net impact £000	Virement From	Other Comments
N/A					

### 5.2 Legal

There are no immediate legal issues arising from this report.

### 5.3 Human Resources

There are no immediate HR issues arising from this report.

### 5.4 Equalities

Has an Equality Impact Assessment been carried out?

	YES
X	NO - This report does not introduce a new policy, function or strategy or recommend a substantive change to an existing policy, function or strategy. Therefore, no Equality Impact Assessment is required.

### 5.5 Repopulation

There are no impacts on repopulation arising from this report.

## 6.0 CONSULTATIONS

6.1 None

## 7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

7.1 Withdrawal From the European Union, Environment & Regeneration Committee March 2018 ENV018/19/MM  
Withdrawal From the European Union – Update, Environment & Regeneration Committee 17 October 2019 ENV050/19/MM