Friday 18 March 2022

States Meeting Summary 18 March

Public business

Today's States Meeting continued with debates on States Members' <u>amendments</u> to the draft <u>Bridging Island Plan</u>.

Section 7: Housing

91st amendment, as amended - Sites to be zoned for affordable homes

Yesterday, the States Assembly voted to APPROVE the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th amendments to the Minister for the Environment's 91st amendment to the Bridging Island Plan.

The States Assembly voted to APPROVE the 91st amendment, as amended. 38 States Members voted in favour of <u>part a</u>; two voted against. 30 Members voted in favour of <u>part b</u>, <u>c and d</u>; 10 voted against.

62nd amendment – Sites to be zoned for affordable homes

The Deputy of Grouville proposed the 62nd <u>amendment</u>: to remove Field G392A, Grouville, from the list of sites to be zoned for affordable homes.

The States Assembly <u>voted</u> to APPROVE the Deputy of Grouville's 62nd amendment to the Bridging Island Plan. 25 Members voted in favour; 13 voted against.

12th amendment – Sites to be zoned for affordable homes

The Connétable of St. Helier proposed the 12th <u>amendment</u>: to remove Field H1219 in St. Helier from the list of sites to be zoned for affordable homes.

The States Assembly <u>voted</u> to APPROVE the Connétable of St. Helier's 12th amendment to the Bridging Island Plan. 19 Members voted in favour; 18 voted against.

78th amendment – Sites to be zoned for affordable homes

Deputy Steve Ahier proposed the 78th <u>amendment</u>: to remove Field H1219, La Grande Route de Mont a L'Abbe, St. Helier, from the list of sites to be zoned for affordable homes and to re-zone this field for fully accessible homes for people with disabilities.

The States Assembly <u>voted</u> to APPROVE parts b, c and d of Deputy Ahier's 78th amendment to the Bridging Island Plan. Part a was approved as a result of the 12th amendment being adopted. 28 Members voted in favour of the 78th amendment; 10 voted against.

16th amendment – Sites to be zoned for affordable homes

The 16th <u>amendment</u> – to add age-restricted homes for over-55's to proposals for supported housing and to zone Field MN410 in St. Martin for age-restricted homes instead of affordable homes – was WITHDRAWN by the Deputy of St. Martin.

2nd amendment – Sites to be zoned for affordable homes

Deputy Kevin Lewis proposed the 2nd amendment: to remove four fields (S413, S415, S530 and S729) in St. Saviour from the list of sites to be zoned for affordable homes.

The States Assembly voted to APPROVE all parts (a) i), a) ii) and b and c) of Deputy Lewis' 2nd amendment to the Bridging Island Plan.

The States Assembly adjourned and will resume the debate on the amendments to the Bridging Island Plan at 9:30am on Monday, 21 March.

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