

**DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

**CABINET MEETING**

**3 July 2012**

Report of the Strategic Director – Environmental Services

**ADDITION TO THE CAPITAL PROGRAMME 2012/13  
CARSINGTON WIND FARM – JUNCTION IMPROVEMENT AT  
B5035 AND MANYSTONES LANE, BRASSINGTON (HIGHWAYS  
AND TRANSPORT)**

(1) **Purpose of the Report** To seek approval to include a scheme to carry out a junction improvement at B5035 and Manystones Lane in the 2012/13 Capital Programme.

(2) **Information and Analysis** A Section 278 Agreement of the Highways Act 1980 has been secured with Carsington Wind Energy Ltd, dated 9 March 2012, for the improvement to the B5035 and Manystones Lane junction at Brassington and site access on Manystones Lane, in order to allow lorries safe negotiation of the public highway when delivering turbine blades to the Wind Farm site.

The construction of the junction improvement has been awarded to Derbyshire County Council's ALLRoads. The cost of the works has been estimated at £21,714 and will be paid in full by Carsington Wind Energy Ltd. Works are expected to commence on site during July 2012 in readiness for the turbine blade delivery commencement in September 2012.

(3) **Financial Considerations** The cost of the works, £21,714, will be met in full from external funding sourced through an Agreement under Section 278 of the Highways Act 1980.

(4) **Property Considerations** There are no property considerations associated with this report.

In preparing this report the relevance of the following factors has been considered: legal, prevention of crime and disorder, equality and diversity, human resources, environmental, health and transport considerations.

(5) **Key Decision** No.

(6) **Call-In** Is it required that call-in be waived in respect of the decisions proposed in the report? No.

(7) **Background Papers** Held on file TP42701 within the Environmental Service Department. Officer contact details - Chris Allwood, extension 38582.

(8) **OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION** That Cabinet approves the inclusion of the scheme, to undertake the junction improvement at B5035 and Manystones Lane, Brassington, in the 2012/13 Capital Programme.

**Ian Stephenson**  
**Strategic Director – Environmental Services**