

**East Midlands Councils****Regional Councillor Development Charter – Reaccreditation of the  
Councillor Development Charter****Statement of Commitment**

On behalf of Kettering Borough Council, we agree to:

- Continue to work towards the achievement of the Regional Councillor Development Charter Re-Accreditation which is due for reassessment in 2018.
- Make a public announcement in the Council of our intention to achieve the renewal of the Charter.
- Continue to ensure we have a Councillor and an officer who will have responsibility for ensuring that the work progresses.
- Ensure the Councillor and officer are trained as assessors to support the Council in working towards re-accreditation and are engaged with regional development opportunities, networking and support.
- Produce a continuous improvement action plan detailing how the Council will work towards achieving reaccreditation.
- Ensure involvement of all Councillors in our work towards reaccreditation.

Signed: Councillor Russell Roberts (Leader of the Council)

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Signed: Graham Soulsby (Managing Director)

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Dated: .....