APPENDIX A

| CRITERIA DISCUSSED AT INFORMAL <br> COUNCIL | IMPROVED <br> STATUS QUO <br> ALIGNED | SINGLE COMMITTEE <br> OPTION 1 | TWO COMMITTEES <br> OPTION 4 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Balances need for discussion and <br> deliberation with decisiveness | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Allows all Members' points of view to be <br> heard | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| Democratic - maximises involvement of <br> all Councillors with a vote | 2 | 3 | 1 |
| Most cost effective | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Evolutionary not revolutionary | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| Aligns with senior management structure | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Alignment with South Hams' meeting <br> dates | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| Councillors committed to making <br> arrangements work | 1 | 19 | 2 |
|  | 18 | 2 | 11 |

## Note:

1 = first choice
2 = second choice
3 = third choice
Therefore the lowest total = the preferred option

