Decision Recording Form

Decision determined at Cabinet meeting on 4 February 2020



Cabinet members present:

Marvin Rees, Mayor

Councillor Craig Cheney, Designated Deputy Mayor with responsibility for Finance, Governance and Performance

Councillor Asher Craig, Deputy Mayor with responsibility for Communities, Equalities and Public Health Councillor Kye Dudd, Cabinet Member with responsibility for Transport, Energy & New Green Deal Councillor Helen Godwin, Cabinet Member for Women, Children and Young People, and Lead Member for Children's Services

Councillor Helen Holland, Cabinet Member with responsibility for Adult Social Care

Councillor Paul Smith, Cabinet Member with responsibility for Housing

Councillor Steve Pearce, Cabinet Member with responsibility for Waste, Commercialisation and Regulatory Services

Apologies:

Councillor Nicola Beech, Cabinet Member with responsibility for Spatial Planning and City Design Councillor Anna Keen, Cabinet Member with responsibility for Education and Skills Deadline date for Call-in referral 12 February 2020

(a)	Subject:	Budget Monitoring Outturn report P9 (agenda item 8)
(b)	Ward:	All
(c)	Declarations of interest:	
	None	

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(d)	Decision taken		
	 Cabinet approved: 1. A net reallocation of £1.178m reserves as reflected in 2020 Budget report and set out in detail Appendix A; Cabinet noted: 		
	 A risk of overspend on General fund services of £6.1m for 19/20 representing 1.6% of the approved budget (Appendix A), supplementary estimates requests will be expected to balance the 2019/20 in-year position; 		
	 A forecast £2.6m underspend position with regard to the Housing Revenue Account and any underspend at year-end will be carried forward and built into the future programme; 		
	 A forecast £0.8m overspend for the Dedicated Schools Grant against approved budget; 		
	 Risks of £0.1m overspend to be covered by ring-fenced reserves on Public health, which is being monitored; The Sundry Debt position of £20.8m over 90 days as at Period 9, slightly increased from £20.5m since P8. Individual directorate detail included under Appendix A1-6. 		
(e)	Exempt Information?		
	No		
(f)	Decision made in exempt session?		
	Νο		
(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account:		
	 One Councillor question (A verbal reply was given by the Mayor) Equalities Impact Assessment 		

(h)	Reason for decision:	
	As set out in the report.	
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Designated Deputy Mayor with responsibility for Finance, Governance and Performance



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(a)	Subject:	Occupational Health (OH) and Employee Assistance Programme (EAP) Procurement Approval (agenda item 9)
(b)	Ward:	All
(c)	Declarations of interest:	
	None	
(d)	Decision taken	
	extension Cabinet authorise 2. the Execu Member F	rement of a new OH and EAP provision for 3 years plus up to 2 years at a cost of £1.825m;
(e)	Exempt Informat	ion?
	No	
(f)	Decision made in	exempt session?
	No	



(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account:	
	1) Equalities Impact Assessment	
(h)	Reason for decision:	
	As set out in the report.	

Designated Deputy Mayor with responsibility for Finance, Governance and Performance



(a)	Subject:	Procurement of a Replacement Revenues and Benefits Software System and Associated Hardware (agenda item 10)	
(b)	Ward:	All	
(c)	Declarations of in	iterest:	
	None		
(d)) Decision taken		
	replacement Cabinet authorise 2. the Director Governance a) procure th Solutions th b) procure 3 7 years from c) approve the support the approximate Reserve). 3. the Director Finance, Gove a) Procure a	ment of a replacement Revenues and Benefits Software System and t of IT Infrastructure. ed: of Finance, in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Finance, & Performance, to: ne Northgate solution from the approved Data and Applications framework for a term of up to 7 years; other ancillary Revenues and Benefits systems for term of between 4- om G-Cloud and Kent Reseller Framework; ne implementation of additional modules and other change activities to ne rationalisation of systems (estimated to be a one off cost of ately £225k, of which £120k to be funded from the Line of Business of Digital Transformation, in consultation with the Cabinet Member for vernance & Performance, to: replacement platform (servers and operating system) for the transition e Revenues and Benefits system to an alternative, more robust	
	system OF Cabinet noted:		
	4. that the costs in 3 above were estimated to cost approximately £530k and were		



	fully funded from the Line of Business Reserve.
(e)	Exempt Information?
	Νο
(f)	Decision made in exempt session?
	Νο
(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account:
	1) Equalities Impact Assessment
(h)	Reason for decision:
	As set out in the report.

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Designated Deputy Mayor with responsibility for Finance, Governance and Performance

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(a)	Subject:	Re-Procurement of Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence Services Contracts (agenda item 11)
(b)	Ward:	All
(c)	Declarations of i	nterest:
	None	
(d)	Decision taken	
	 Cabinet approved: 1. the re-procurement of the contracts for domestic and sexual violence services from 1st August 2021 to 31st July 2026, with an option to extend for a further 2 years (up to 31st July 2028), at a cost of £1.36m per annum. Cabinet authorised: 2. the Executive Director for People in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Public Health to take all steps necessary to procure and award the contract(s). 	
(e)	Exempt Informat	tion?
	No	
(f)	Decision made ir	n exempt session?
	No	



(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account:	
	1) Equalities Impact Assessment	
	2) One Public Forum Statement	
(h)	Reason for decision:	
	As set out in the report.	

Deputy Mayor (with responsibility for Communities, Equalities and Public Health)



(a)	Subject:	Library Strategy 2020-2024 (agenda item 12)
(b)	Ward:	All
(c)	Declarations of in	iterest:
	None	
(d)	Decision taken	
	Cabinet approved 1. the Library	d: y Strategy 2020-2024.
	Mayor and	ed: tive Director Growth and Regeneration in consultation with the Deputy d Cabinet Member – Communities (Public Health, Public Transport, Parks), Events and Equalities to implement the strategy.
(e)	Exempt Informat	ion?
	No	
(f)	Decision made in	exempt session?
	No	



(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account:		
	 Equalities Impact Assessment One Public Forum Statement One Councillor Statement Four Public Forum Questions Three Councillor Questions (A verbal reply was given by the Mayor) 		
(h)	Reason for decision: As set out in the report.		

Deputy Mayor (with responsibility for Communities, Equalities and Public Health)



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Deadline date for Call-in referral 12 February 2020

(a)	Subject:	Community Led Housing Land Disposal Policy & Self-Build Housing Land Disposal Policy (agenda item 13)
(b)	Ward:	All
(c)	Declarations of in	nterest:
	None	
(d)	Decision taken	
	 the adoption Cabinet delegate to the Exponential to the Exponential Community Community Community Community 	ion of the Community Led Housing Land Disposal Policy ion of the Self-Build Housing Land Disposal Policy ;and
(e)	Exempt Information?	
		ormation relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular the authority holding that information)
(f)	Decision made in exempt session?	
	No	

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(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account:	
	 Equalities Impact Assessment Three Public Forum Statements One Councillor Statement Two Public Questions One Councillor Question (A verbal reply was given by the Mayor / relevant Cabinet Member at the meeting or will be sent in writing if the Cllr was not present) 	
(h)	Reason for decision:	
	As set out in the report.	

Cabinet Member with responsibility for Housing



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Deadline date for Call-in referral 12 February 2020

(a)	Subject:	Enabling Housing Innovation for Inclusive Growth Programme (agenda item 14)			
(b)	Ward:	All			
(c) Declarations of interest:		iterest:			
	None				
(d)	Decision taken				
	 Cabinet endorsed: 1. the application for the enabling housing innovation for inclusive growth grant and the Council's involvement in the partnership. 				
	Cabinet noted: 2. the verbal update that the bid had been successful.				
	 Cabinet authorised: 3. the Executive Director of Growth and Regeneration, in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Housing, to allocate/disperse the grant funds and/or take all other steps necessary to successfully implement the Council's element of the programme (including procuring all appropriate contracts/agreements). 				
(e)	Exempt Information?				
	No				
(f)	Decision made in exempt session?				
	No				

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(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account:		
	1) Verbal Update that the bid had been successful		
	2) One Councillor Statement		
	3) Two Public Forum Questions		
(h)	Reason for decision:		
	As set out in the report.		

Cabinet Member with responsibility for Housing, Cabinet Member with responsibility for Waste, Commercialisation and Regulatory Services



Deadline date for Call-in referral 12 February 2020

(a)	Subject:	Temple Island - scheme content and development agreement (agenda item 15)			
(b)	Ward:	All			
(c)	Declarations of interest:				
	None				
(d)	Decision taken				
	 Cabinet approved: 1. the Council entering into conditional agreements and an agreement for lease with Legal & General, based on the principles set out in the Heads of Terms contained within the exempt Appendix I. 				
	 Cabinet authorised: 2. the Executive Director for Growth and Regeneration, in consultation with the Deputy Mayor Finance Governance and Performance, the S.151 Officer, and Director of Legal Services to finalise the terms and conclude all necessary legal agreements between the parties. 				
	 Cabinet approved: 3. the allocation of £2m to the G&R Directorate to support the development of the project in line with the financial Appendix G – including further site investigation and scheme development work, whilst funding is sought to deliver the full extent of enabling works. 				
	submiss implem scheme	urposing of EDF funding as per Appendix G, and the development and sion of funding applications of up to £32m to WoE LEP to enable BCC to ent enabling works to support the delivery of the Temple Island mixed use and subject to Joint Committee approve and acceptance of the award rated into the council's capital programme.			
	Cabinet noted:				
	5. The pro	posed Memorandum of Understanding between the Council and L&G (at ix A.2) to support broader joint working within the TQEZ.			

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	Officers will keep the G&R scrutiny Commission informed and updated regarding the progress of the overall scheme.		
(e)	Exempt Information? Part exempt - Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)		
(f)	Decision made in exempt session?		
	Νο		
(g)	Additional information at the meeting/documents taken into account:		
	1) Equalities Impact Assessment		
	2) Three Public Forum Statements		
	3) Four Councillor Statements		
	4) Two Pubic Questions		
	 Three Councillor Questions (A verbal reply was given by the Mayor / relevant Cabinet Member at the meeting or will be sent in writing if the Cllr was not present) 		
(h)	Reason for decision:		
	As set out in the report.		



