

## RECORD OF DECISION: EXECUTIVE FUNCTIONS

**Decision No:** 6/C/2019  
**Decision taken by:** Cabinet  
**Date:** 25 February 2019

**Topic: Scrutiny Topic Review Report – Review of Grass Cutting and Horticulture**

It was agreed:

That following discussion and review of the recommendations made by the Overview Scrutiny Committee in relation to the recent review of Grass Cutting and Horticulture, that the recommendations made to Cabinet be accepted.

**REASON/S FOR THE DECISION:**

The recommendations had been made following a review undertaken by a sub-group of Overview Scrutiny Committee, and following briefings relating to the delivery of the grass cutting and horticultural service. The recommendations cover areas such as provision of extra staff, staff training, policy for tree maintenance, planning guidance on trees and shrubs and exploring sites for additional areas of set-aside and wildflowers.

**Alternative options considered and rejected:**

None

**CONFLICTS OF INTEREST (if any)**

None

**DISPENSATIONS GRANTED (if any)**

None

This decision will come into force and may then be implemented on the expiry of 5 working days after publication unless it is called in.