



To: Proper Officer

Statement of individual Cabinet Member's decision (or executive decision made under the special urgency provision)

Name of Cabinet Member

Councillor Emma Morley

Portfolio

Operational Services

Delegation authority
(usually the delegated powers in annex 1.6 and 1.7)

Annex 1.6

Cabinet decision date

N/A

Minute No

N/A

Declaration of Interests (if any):

Of the Cabinet Member making the decision

None

Of any other Cabinet Member consulted in relation to the decision

N/A

Topic External Grant Funding to refurbish council owned tennis courts across 3 ward areas.

Decision Delegated authority to the Director of Communities and Inclusive Growth, in consultation with the Leader of Executive to sign agreements accepting grant funding to deliver refurbishment and associated works to council owned tennis courts within 3 ward areas of the Borough.

Reasons for the decision The Council has been awarded grant funding from the Lawn Tennis Association to deliver a refurbishment project to courts within 3 ward areas (Windmill Hill, Wombwell Park, Woodlands Park). Due to the time constraints to complete works and draw down funding, as set out in the grant agreements, the decision needs to be taken as a matter of urgency.
The project will be reflected as an addition to the approved capital programme for 2024/25 as per 4.4.6 Annex 2.6 of the Constitution

The decision has been taken in consultation with the Chair of the Overview Scrutiny Committee and the Leader of the Executive.

Other options considered (if any) To not accept the grant, which would result in the Council needing to find budget provision to refurbish the courts to bring them back to an appropriate standard.

To not accept the grant and not make provision for any future improvements.

I confirm that this decision is:

Please mark/tick

- In accordance with the council's Policy Framework
- Within the council's approved budget
- In compliance with the council's contract procedure rules

- In compliance with the council's financial procedure rules
- In accordance with the protocol for Cabinet member decisions

Background papers used (if any) None

Signature(s)

Date

28/5/24

Countersigned by Executive
Leader if a Key Decision



All decisions must be made in accordance with the decision-making rules laid down in the constitution and must be in compliance with the policy framework, the approved budget, contract procedure rules and financial procedure rules.

The allocations of areas of responsibility to Lead Members and their delegated powers are laid out in annex 1.6 and 1.7 and may only be exercised accordingly. The Executive Leader is entitled to change the allocation of portfolios to Lead Members at any time.

In addition to the above, further delegations may be made from time to time.

Key decisions may not be made by individual Cabinet Members other than the Executive Leader. In the case of a Key Decision recommended by a Cabinet Member, the Executive Leader's countersignature will be required in order to effect the decision.

The Chief Executive was given delegated authority to respond to consultation documents on behalf of the Cabinet in consultation with the appropriate portfolio holder at the Cabinet meeting on 7 March 2011.

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.

If the decision has been made under the special urgency provisions then it cannot be called in.