

Record of Officer Executive Decision

Date of Decision: 04 December 2020

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Record of Decision: Provision of Leisure in Adur - Contract Award

Decision taken by: Director for the Economy

Declaration of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests: I do not have a disclosable pecuniary interest, or conflict of interest.

Delegated Authority:

As approved at the Joint Strategic Committee meeting held on 3 November 2020, the Director for the Economy has delegated authority to award the contract in consultation with the Executive Member for the Environment and the Leader of the Council.

Decision:

To award the contract for the Reopening of Adur's Leisure Facilities.

Key Decision: Yes

Reason For Decision:

The Council has been actively working towards opening leisure facilities post the insolvency of Adur Community Leisure Ltd post the COVID-19 pandemic.

Alternative Options Considered:

The Council instructed SLC Leisure Consultants recommended by Sport England to review delivery of leisure services. It was agreed as reported to Members at JSC on 3/11/2020 that the most effective way forward is to make a direct emergency award under the Cabinet Officer guidelines and thereafter to carry out a procurement exercise for a longer term supplier of services after a period of 5 years.

Other Matters Considered:

Legal Advice and Issues	Х	Financial Advice and Issues	х
Sustainability Issues	Х	Equality Issues	х
Community Safety Issues	Х	Human Rights Issues	х
Reputation	Х	Risk Assessment	х
Health & Safety Issues	Х		

Consultation:

Members were consulted on the project at the Joint Strategic Committee on 3 November

2020 and by telephone by James Appleton on 4th December 2020, acting as Director for the Economy in the temporary absence of Martin Randall.

Background Papers: Joint Strategic Report dated 3 November 2020

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Call-in: The call-in deadline for this decision will be 5:00pm on 11 December 2020

Dated: 4 December 2020

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Name: James Appleton (Acting Director for the Economy)

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