

Chief Executive

Not before Friday 9th August 2024

The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Regulation 10 of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 that the following key decision is intended to be made by Officer Delegated Decision. This was not included on the List Of Key Decisions And Items To Be Considered In Private document which was issued on 28th June 2024.

Heat Network Distribution Unit (HNDU) Feasibility Study

Compliance with the requirements to give 28 clear days' notice in accordance with the above Regulation is impracticable.

Reason for urgency: To accept the award of £139,000 from the Heat Network Distribution Unit (HNDU) to complete a feasibility study for heat networks made up of £75,000 for the feasibility study, to £16,000 for stakeholder engagement and £48,000 for project management. An urgent decision is required to allow the Council to contract with the supplier who will be completing the feasibility study.

The Chair of Climate Change and Communities Scrutiny Committee has been informed of the decision to be taken and agrees that the decision is urgent and not subject to call-in.

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1st August 2024