

Officer Decision Record – Executive Decision

If Key Decision: Decision Ref. No.

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If not a Key Decision write n/a above

OFFICER DECISION RECORD ⁱ

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Subject: New Farm, Baldock – Appropriation to Children's Services.

Type of Decision: Executive

Key Decision (Executive Functions only): Yes

Executive Member/Committee Chairman:

Bob Deering

Portfolio (Executive Functions only):

Resources and Performance

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April 2020

1. Decision

That the property New Farm, Baldock be appropriated to Children's Services for use as a Children's Home as part of the Children Looked After Project.

2. Reasons for the decision.

For the County Council to approve the proposal to appropriate the Former Group Home, New Farm, Baldock and the Parking Spaces to Children's Services to use as a residential children's home as set out in the related Property Policy Report.

3. Alternative options considered and rejected

No suitable alternative options were identified.

4. Consultation *(see Summary of Requirements below)*

Was any Councillor consulted? Yes

If yes:

(a) Comments of Executive Member.

Agreed.

(b) Comments of other consultees

None.

5. Any conflict of interest declared by a councillor who has been consulted in relation to the decision

N/A.

6. **Following consultation with the Executive Member I am proceeding with the proposed decision.**

Signed: Scott Crudgington

Title: Deputy Chief Executive & Executive Director of Resources

Date: 8 March 2023

Copies of record to:

- All consultees
- hard & electronic copy (if required to be made available for public inspection) to Democratic Services Manager - Room 213 County Hall.ⁱⁱ

Summary of Requirements to Inform/Consult Councillors

Significance of Proposed Action	Controversial	Relevant Councillor(s) to be Consulted
Technical/Professional/ Routine	No	No need to inform or consult councillors
Technical/Professional/ Routine	Yes	Executive Functions: Consult relevant Lead Executive Member and, where appropriate, Local Councillor Non-Executive Functions: Relevant Committee Chairman and, where appropriate, Local Councillor
Local	No	Executive Functions: Inform Lead Executive Member and Local Councillor Non-Executive Functions: Inform Local Councillor
Local	Yes	Executive Functions: Consult Lead Executive Member and Local Councillor Non-Executive Functions: Consult Local Councillor
General or County-wide	No	Executive Functions: Consult relevant Lead Executive Member (s) Non-Executive Functions: Consult relevant Committee Chairman
General or County-wide	Yes	Executive Functions:

		Consult relevant Lead Executive Member (s) and the Leader of the Council Non-Executive Functions: Consult relevant Committee Chairman/Leaders all Political Groups
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