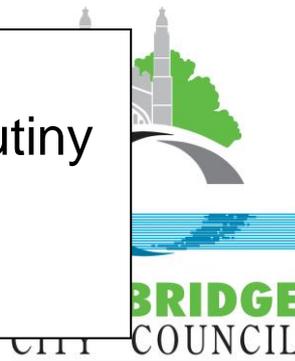


## Community Services Scrutiny Committee Decisions

18 January 2018



Agenda item	Decision
<p><b>5</b></p>	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Approved and adopt the policy for the management and use of our parks and open spaces for events, as set out in appendix A;</li> <li>b) Approved the proposed new fees and charges pricing structure for events on our parks and open spaces, as set out in appendix B;</li> <li>c) Instructed Officers to pursue the use of information technology to bring efficiencies to the event application process; and</li> <li>d) Instructed officers to seek and profile funding to make improvements to utility infrastructure to reduce the environmental impact of events, and training/ advice to local community groups to support improvements in the management of events.</li> </ul> <p>Amendments to Policy text discussed at Committee to be agreed by Officers, Chair, Opposition Spokes and Executive Councillor.</p>
<p><b>6</b></p>	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Noted the changing context for securing public art and the steps being taken to develop new planning policy guidance and a strategy for new public art in Cambridge, in order to set the future direction for enabling high quality public art (see paragraphs 3.4-3.5</li> </ul>

	<p>in the Officer's report);</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ii. Noted the off-site S106 funding availability for public art in Cambridge and the approach to making good use of it through small-scale and larger public art grants and Council-commissioned public art (see section 4);</li> <li>iii. Agreed the arrangements for the 2018 small-scale public art S106 grant funding round (see section 5), including <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• (a) the timetable for seeking public art grant applications between late January and mid-March 2018, with a priority-setting report back to Community Services Scrutiny Committee in June 2018, and</li> <li>• (b) the selection criteria for public art S106 grant applications in 2018;</li> </ul> </li> <li>iv. Approved the use of up to £120,000 (from the £450,000 allocated to the River Cam public art programme) for the River Cam public art residency, delegating authority to the Head of Environmental Services, in consultation with the Executive Councillor, Opposition Spokes and Community Services Scrutiny Committee Chair, to appoint the artist and finalise with the artist the nature of the public art outcomes of the residency (see section 6);</li> <li>v. De-allocated the current £75,000 allocated to public realm improvements on Cherry Hinton Road between Hills Road and Rock Road (see section 7).</li> </ul>
7	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor:</p> <p><b>Review of Charges:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Approved the proposed charges for this portfolio's services and facilities, as shown in Appendix A to the Officer's report.</li> </ul> <p><b>Revenue:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ii. Considered the revenue budget proposals as shown in Appendix B.</li> </ul> <p><b>Capital:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>iii. Considered the capital budget proposals as shown in Appendix C.</li> <li>iv. Adjusted capital funding for item 2 (c).</li> </ul>

<p><b>8</b></p>	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor:</p> <p><b>Review of Charges:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Approved the proposed charges for this portfolio's services and facilities, as shown in Appendix A to the Officer's report.</li> </ol> <p><b>Revenue:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ii. Noted that there are no revenue bids or savings presented for this portfolio.</li> </ol> <p><b>Capital:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>iii. Noted that there are no capital bids or savings presented for this portfolio.</li> </ol>
<p><b>9</b></p>	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor agreed:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. To combine all 'community facilities' S106 funding available to enable the Executive Councillor to make all future decisions on the use of these funds in the context of the official S106 regulations and any comments from local councillors on eligible local proposals (see report section 4);</li> <li>ii. To confirm the existing community facilities S106 allocations for grants to Cambridgeshire County Council (see paragraphs 5.1 – 5.4), which are <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• £100,000 for additional community meeting space within the new Milton Road Library, subject to community use agreement, and</li> <li>• £255,000 for additional community meeting space within the new East Barnwell Community Centre, subject to planning permission, business case approval and community use agreement;</li> </ul> </li> <li>iii. To allocate to the Cherry Hinton Community Hub improvement project (see paragraphs 5.5–5.9), subject to planning and business case approvals: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All available generic 'community facilities' S106 contributions from Cherry Hinton ward and/or from developments in other wards within a 15 minute walking distance (around £163,700).</li> <li>• All available specific S106 contributions (around £37,600) for the Cherry Hinton Community Hub from nearby developments;</li> </ul> </li> </ol>

	<p>iv. The arrangements for the 2018 ‘community facilities’ S106 funding round (see section 6), including the timetable for seeking proposals and grant applications between late January and mid-March 2018, with a priority-setting report back to Community Services Scrutiny Committee in June 2018.</p>
<b>10</b>	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Approved the Community Grants to voluntary and community organisations for 2018-19, as set out in Appendix 1 of this report, subject to the budget approval in February 2018 and any further satisfactory information required of applicant organisations.</li> <li>ii. Noted the updates on Volunteer for Cambridge and the Compact.</li> <li>iii. Noted the corporate review of grant funding to the voluntary sector to ensure transparent, accountable process are implemented.</li> </ol>
<b>11</b>	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Approved the revised approach and resourcing of the Council’s outreach community development work as outlined in section 4 of the Officer’s report.</li> <li>ii. Approved the approach to the funding and support for NCPs from 2018/19 as outlined in section 5 of this report.</li> </ol>

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