

Environment & Community Scrutiny Committee Decisions

14/01/19



Agenda item	Decision
<p>5 Fixed Penalty Notices Review 2018/19</p>	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendation.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor adopted the new legal maximum fixed penalty notice (FPN) level for offences related to commercial waste receptacles, flyposting, graffiti, community protection notice and domestic waste offences and to give a discount of 40% (i.e. discounted fine value), for early payment provided payment is made within 10 days of the date the FPN was issued, as detailed in the table set out in the Officer's report.</p>
<p>6 Hackney Carriage Table of Fares</p>	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Considered the fare charge increase requested and determined it is appropriate to consult on the proposed fares in Appendix C with the increase taking effect from 1 April 2019. ii. Agreed to implement an automatic annual fare review in line with the Consumer Price Index at that time and delegated this annual review and implementation to the Head of

	<p>Environmental Services on condition that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The consultation takes place in early March each year with the adopted fares coming into effect from 1st April each year. The rate of fare increase be based on the Consumer Price Index rate published by the Bank of England on 1 March each year, and then rounded to a practical figure. Any future request for an increase greater than CPI be decided by the Executive Councillor.
7 Charter For Cleaner Air	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendation.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor signed up to the Oxford Charter for Cleaner Air on behalf of Cambridge City Council.</p>
8 To Note Record of Urgent Decision Taken by the Executive Councillor for Communities: Outcome of Cambridge Live Review	<p>The decision was noted.</p>
9 Comprehensive Equalities and Diversity Policy	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor approved the recommended actions related to implementing the Comprehensive Equalities and Diversity Policy arising from the consultation on the Policy, <i>subject to amendments</i>.</p>
10 Community Grants 2019-20	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Approved the Community Grants to

	<p>voluntary and community organisations for 2019-20, as set out in Appendix 1 of the Officer's report, subject to the budget approval in February 2019 and any further satisfactory information required of applicant organisations.</p> <p>ii. Allowed Safer Communities to retain £10,000 (previously allocated to area committee grants) to enable the Council to respond to community priorities as they arise.</p>
11 S106 Sporting contribution update	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations.</p> <p>The Executive Councillor: approved the allocation of generic s106 developer contributions towards the following projects that have been identified within the Indoor and Swimming Pool Strategies:</p> <p>i. £230,000 of swimming S106 contributions towards the Abbey Pool improvement project, subject to full business case approval.</p> <p>ii. Up to £45,000 of additional Indoor Sports S106 contributions towards the new Gym and Studio and Changing Room refurbishment at Netherhall Academy.</p>
12 Review Of Use Of The Regulation Of Investigatory Powers Act	<p>The Committee endorsed the recommendations</p> <p>The Executive Councillor:</p> <p>i. Reviewed the Council's use of RIPA set out in paragraph 3.5 of the Officer's report.</p> <p>ii. Noted and endorsed the steps described in paragraph 3.7 and in Appendix 1 to ensure that surveillance is only authorised in accordance with</p>

	<p>RIPA.</p> <p>iii. Approved the general surveillance policy in Appendix 1 to the Officer's report.</p>
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