

CAMBRIDGE CITY COUNCIL

Record of Decision

Chestnut Grove Play Area, Cambridge

Decision of: North Area Committee

Reference: 15/NAC/S106/03

Date of decision: 06/05/15 **Recorded on:** 06/05/15

Decision Type: Non Key

Matter for Decision: The procurement the play equipment for Chestnut Grove play area.

Why the decision had to be made (and any alternative options): The project meets with the Councils main aims: Cambridge – where people matter. A city which celebrates its diversity, unites in its priority for the disadvantaged and strives for shared community wellbeing.

Decision(s): Recommendation/s

Financial recommendations –

- The North Area Committee Chair is asked to approve the commencement of this scheme, which is included in the Council's Capital & Revenue Project Plan – scheme reference number PR031d
- The total cost of the project is £50,000 funded from developer contributions, £35,000 allocated to play, £15,000 allocated to informal open space.
- Revenue costs of the project would be met out of existing play area maintenance budgets.

Procurement recommendations:

- The North Area Committee Chair is asked to note that Officers' have carried out and completed the procurement for improvements to the Chestnut Grove flats play area.
- The quotations do not exceed the project contract costs; and

- Permission from the North Area Committee Chair will be sought before proceeding, if the value exceeds the estimated contract by more than 15%.
- Play Equipment Option shown Appendix A will be installed.

Reasons for the decision:

As set out in the Officers Report. As set out in the Officers Report. Deemed as urgent, in order to meet agreed project deadlines for July. Any delay in approvals due post elections changes may significantly delay project delivery.

Scrutiny consideration:

Chair, Vice Chair and Spokes of North Area Committee were consulted

Conflicts of interest:

No conflicts of interest were declared

Comments:

None