



RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNCIL

RECORD OF DECISIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE

DECISION MADE BY: Cabinet DATE DECISION MADE: 17 November, 2020

Cabinet Members Present:

Councillor A Morgan (Chair), Councillor M Webber (Vice-Chair),
Councillor R Bevan, Councillor A Crimmings, Councillor M Norris,
Councillor J Rosser, Councillor R Lewis, Councillor C Leyshon and
Councillor G Hopkins

Agenda Item : 3

SUBJECT: Brexit

1. DECISION MADE:

Agreed –

1. To receive assurance that the Council is planning as best as it possibly can for Brexit;
2. To identify any other areas which they consider require further assurance; and
3. To review the areas identified as being the highest risk (section 1.2 above), and whether any others should be highlighted.

2. REASON FOR THE DECISION BEING MADE:

The need to provide an update on the work that is underway across the Council to prepare for Brexit and to identify the areas classified as the highest potential risk/impact, these are:

- The supply of food to our frontline services (including schools and Residential Homes),
- Ensuring appropriate / stockpiled supplies of key commodities (toilet roll, cleaning products for example); and
- The wider impact of food poverty that has resulted from Covid-19, which would be exacerbated by Brexit.

3. LINKS TO CORPORATE PRIORITIES/FUTURE GENERATIONS - SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT:

The work undertaken to prepare for when the UK leaves the EU helps the Council to ensure that services delivered to our vulnerable citizens are as well prepared as we can possibly plan for. It also supports the Wellbeing Goals of ensuring a resilient Wales that has cohesive communities.

4. CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN PRIOR TO DECISION BEING MADE:

None

5. PREVIOUS CONSIDERATION BY A COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL:

None

6. PERSONAL INTERESTS DECLARED:

County Borough Councillor R Lewis declared the following personal interest 'There is reference to foodbanks within the report and I am a volunteer with the Cynon Taf Trussell Trust Foodbank'

7. DISPENSATION TO SPEAK (AS GRANTED BY STANDARDS COMMITTEE):

N/A

8. (a) IS THE DECISION SUBJECT TO CALL-IN BY THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE:

Yes

Note: This decision will not come into force and may not be implemented until the expiry of 3 clear working days after its publication i.e. **23 November 2020** to enable it to be the subject to the Call-In Procedure in Rule 17.1 of the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules.

8.(b) IF NO, REASONS WHY IN THE OPINION OF THE DECISION-MAKER THE DECISION IS EXEMPT OR NON APPLICABLE:

I. COUNCIL / SCRUTINY FUNCTION (CALL IN IS THEREFORE NON APPLICABLE):-
Reason: N/A

II. URGENT DECISION:-
Reason N/A

8.(c) IF DEEMED URGENT - SIGNATURE OF PRESIDING MEMBER OR DEPUTY PRESIDING MEMBER OR HEAD OF PAID SERVICE CONFIRMING AGREEMENT THAT THE PROPOSED DECISION IS REASONABLE IN ALL THE CIRCUMSTANCES FOR IT BEING TREATED AS A MATTER OF URGENCY, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY PROCEDURE RULE 17.2:

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(PRESIDING MEMBER)

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(Dated)

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APPROVED FOR PUBLICATION: ✓