

RHONDDA CYNON TAF COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF DECISIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE

DECISION MADE BY: Cabinet DATE DECISION MADE: 19th September 2017

Agenda Item: 6

SUBJECT: PROPOSAL TO APPROVE (IN PRINCIPLE) A 99 YEAR LEASEHOLD TRANSFER OF ST. MAIRS DAY CENTRE, ABERDARE TO AGE CONNECTS MORGANNWG

Cabinet Members Present County Borough Councillors:

A.Morgan (Chairman), M. Webber, R.Bevan, A.Crimmings, G.Hopkins, M.Norris, R.Lewis & C.Leyshon.

Apology for Absence County Borough Councillor: J.Rosser

Other Councillor(s) in Attendance:-G Davies, P Jarman, E Stephens, E Webster, M Weaver & J Williams.

1. DECISION MADE:

Agreed –

- 1. To approve (in principle) a 99 year leasehold transfer of St. Mairs Day Centre to Age Connects Morgannwg subject to;
 - ACM successfully being awarded a £1.1 million Big Lottery CAT 2 Fund Capital and Revenue Grant. Grant decision will be known in February 2018.
 - Agreement for the relocation of the current Community Meals provision to an alternative location. Members are to receive a separate report on the Community Meal Service.
- 2. To provide a letter of support to compliment ACM's Big Lottery application which is due to be submitted by 26th September 2017.

N.B With the permission of the Chairman, County Borough Councillor P Jarman spoke on this item.

2. REASON FOR THE DECISION BEING MADE:

The need to provide Cabinet Members with a summary of the risks and benefits of the business proposal submitted by Age Connects Morgannwg (ACM) for their proposed community asset transfer of St. Mairs Day Centre, by way of a 99 year lease.

3. LINKS TO CORPORATE PRIORITIES / FUTURE GENERATIONS – SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT.

- The Social Services and Wellbeing (Wales) Act 2014
- RCT's Corporate plan 'The Way Ahead' 2016-2020 Help people and communities help themselves.

4. CONSULTATION UNDERTAKEN PRIOR TO DECISION BEING MADE:

As outlined in section 10 of the report, An extensive level of consultation has been undertaken by Age Connects Morgannwg in July 2016 and August 2017 with;

- o Existing users of the day centre including individuals and user groups
- Open public consultation
- o Stakeholder consultation

5.	PREVIOUS CONSIDERATION BY A COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL Cabinet - 18 th July, 2017
6.	PERSONAL INTERESTS DECLARED: None
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 NO \checkmark
8. (b)	IF NO, REASONS WHY IN THE OPINION OF THE DECISION-MAKER THE DECISION IS DEEMED EXEMPT OR NON APPLICABLE:
1.	COUNCIL FUNCTION (CALL IN IS THEREFORE NON APPLICABLE):- Reason:
11.	URGENT DECISION:- Reason: The letter of support to compliment ACM's Big Lottery application is due to be submitted by 26th September 2017.
8. (c)	IF DEEMED URGENT - SIGNATURE OF MAYOR OR DEPUTY MAYOR 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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19th September, 2017 (Dated)