

Communities, Social Mobility and Inclusion Committee Decision Statement

Meeting: 18 May 2023
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1. Notification of Chair and Vice-Chair

The Committee noted that Councillor Tom Sanderson had been appointed Chair of the Communities, Social Mobility and Inclusion Committee, and Councillor Alex Bulat appointed Vice-Chair, by Full Council on 16 May 2023 for the 2023/24 municipal year.

2. Apologies for Absence and Declarations of Interest

Apologies for absence were received from Councillor Steve Criswell (substituted by Councillor Mark Goldsack) and Councillor Ken Billington (substituted by Councillor Ian Gardener).

There were no declarations of interest.

3. Minutes – 23 March 2023

The minutes of the meeting held on 23 March 2023 were agreed as a correct record and were signed by the Chair.

The Committee noted the Minutes Action Log.

4. Petitions and Public Questions

No public questions or petitions were received.

5. Cambridgeshire Skills Accountability Agreement

It was resolved to:

- a) Approve the Accountability Agreement; and
- b) Adopt the key performance indicators listed in the Accountability Agreement, in addition to those already in place.

6. Cambridgeshire Priorities Capital Fund

It was resolved to:

- a) Approve the proposed criteria, eligibility and two stage process for applications to the £1,000,000 Cambridgeshire Priorities Capital Fund, as set out in the report, subject to increasing the bid limit to £40,000;
- b) Reserve the remaining £500,000 of available resources to make capital improvements to Council owned community assets and projects;
- c) Appoint Councillors Batchelor, Bulat, Costello, Criswell, French, Hathorn and Sanderson to the Assessment Panel.

7. Committee Agenda Plan and Appointments to Outside Bodies, Internal Advisory Groups and Panels, and Member Champions

It was resolved to:

- a) Review its agenda plan attached at Appendix 1;
- b) Agree the appointments to outside bodies, as detailed in Appendix 2, subject to:
 - (i) Councillor Bradnam and Councillor Smith being appointed to the Cambridge City and South Cambridgeshire Gypsy Roma Traveller Accommodation Member Reference Group;
 - (ii) Councillor Ambrose Smith being appointed to the East Cambridgeshire Community Safety Partnership in place of Councillor Whelan;
- c) Agree the appointments to internal advisory groups and panels, as detailed in Appendix 3, subject to;
 - (i) Councillor Daunton being appointed to the County Advisory Group on Archives and Local Studies in place of Councillor Bulat;
 - (ii) Councillor Shailer being appointed to the While Ribbon Delivery Group;and
- d) Agree to appoint Councillor Slatter as the Community Safety Champion and Councillor Bulat as the Migrant Champion.