

Key Decision Details

Decision Name Grant Aid

Date of Decision 18 June 2009

Decision maker Cabinet

Describe the Decision taken

Agreed to publish the availability of all grants more extensively, particularly to all District Councillors, and a list included on the Council's website; requested that the returns submitted by organisations covered by service level agreements be reviewed by the relevant Overview and Scrutiny Panels to achieve greater transparency; suggested that the work with and assistance to community groups/organisations to obtain funding and community development work be co-ordinated by the Head of Community and Environmental Health; agreed that further investigation be carried out into the availability of funding from the East of England Regional Assembly, for example, for housing and gypsy and traveller sites in the District and that the Council's various grant schemes be kept under review.

What were the reasons for taking the Decision? In response to a review by the O&S (Service Delivery)

What alternative options were considered and rejected?

Conflict of interest and dispensation None

Is the decision a Key Decision? Yes

Was the decision included in the Forward Plan No

Was the decision subject to the urgency proceedings? No

List the background papers to any report considered by the Decision Taker notes of meetings of the grant aid working group

Person Making this Mrs Helen Taylor

report

**Date upon which the
Decision will come into
force, subject to no
call-in** 26 June 2009

**Accompanying
Documents** Grant Aid Final Report - Cabinet
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