

# Executive decision taken by Leader/Cabinet portfolio holder



***Decision taken by:***

Cllr James MacCleary, Leader of the Council

***Date of decision:***

16 June 2021

***Subject of report:***

Future High Streets Fund: Re-imagining Newhaven Programme

***Exempt matter (if any as given under Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972):***

Appendix 1 is exempt. Exempt information reasons 3 – Information relating to the financial and business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)

***Key decision?:***

No

***Open summary of decision made:***

(1) To approve the use of the Reimagining Newhaven Programme Co-Funding allocated within the Council's Capital Programme to progress the extended feasibility and professional surveys required as detailed and up to the levels outlined within Appendix 1 (Exempt).

(2) To delegate authority to the Director of Regeneration and Planning, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Regeneration and Chief Finance Officer, to progress all matters associated with recommendation 1 above.

***Reason(s) for decision:***

To develop the project feasibility to enable the Reimagining Newhaven Programme in advance of the physical grant funding award.

***Alternative options considered:***

Not applicable

***Was an executive councillor(s) consulted before decision was taken? If so, what was the result of this consultation?***

Cllr MacCleary and Cllr Nicholson were briefed in advance of the report.

***Does the proposal involve any unplanned expenditure? If so, please confirm that you have consulted with the Chief Finance officer and include the date of consultation***

The expenditure proposed is in accordance with an existing allocation within the General Fund Capital Programme.

The Council's Deputy Chief Finance Officer was consulted on the report.

***Signed:***

***Councillor James MacCleary, Leader of the Council***

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