Delegated Decision Notification (DDN)

This form is used both to give notice of an officer's intention to make a key decision and to record any delegated decision which has been taken. The decision set out on this form therefore reflects the decision that it is intended to be made, or that has been made. Although set out in the past tense a decision for which notice is being given may be subject to amendment or withdrawal.

Lead director ⁱ :	The Director of Children & Families		
Subject ⁱⁱ :	Request to apply to Office of Schools Adjudicator to vary the 2021 admission arrangements for Allerton High School		
Decision	In the absence of the Director of Children and Families the Chief Officer		
details ⁱⁱⁱ :	Resources and Strategy agreed to:		
	 Approve an application to the Office of Schools Adjudicator to vary the admissions arrangements for September 2021 by creating priority zones within Allerton High's existing catchment area; 		
	Give permission for the decision to be exempt from call-in;		
	 Note that the governing body of Carr Manor Community School as a foundation school would need to apply directly to the OSA to make any changes; and 		
	 Note that the responsible officer for implementation is the Head of Learning Systems. 		
Type of			
decision:	Is the decision eligible for call-in?i Yes No		
	Is the decision exempt from call-in? ^v \(\simeg \) Yes \(\simeg \) No		
	Significant operational decision (council or executive ^{vi} – not subject to call-		
	in)		
	☐ Administrative decision (council or executive ^{vii} – not subject to publication or		
	call-in)		
Notice ^{viii} or call-	Date the decision was published in the list of forthcoming key decisions:		
in (key decisions	29/7/20 If not on the list of forthcoming key decisions for at least 28 clear days, the		
only):	reason why it would be impracticable to delay the decision:		
	If not published for 5 clear working days prior to decision being taken the reason why not possible:		
	If exempt from call-in, the reason why call-in would prejudice the interests of the council or the public:		
	It is recommended that this decision is not subject to call-in. Although there is		

	no requirement to consult when seeking to vary the admissions arrangements, we felt it was important to give parents and other stakeholders the opportunity to comment on the proposals via an on-line survey. The survey ended on 9 August and responses used to inform any amendments considered necessary to the proposal. The admission round for applications to secondary school in
	September 2021 opened on 1 August, and the deadline for applications is 31st October. To enable parents to express their preferences for secondary school
	places this decision is required as soon as possible. A key decision to be taken by the Director is needed to give permission for us to seek to vary these arrangements via the Office of Schools Adjudicator (OSA) at the earliest opportunity.
Affected wards:	Alwoodley, Adel & Wharfedale, Moor Allerton

Details of	Executive Member	Date consulted:	Interest disclosed?ix
consultation		27/7/20	Yes Date of dispensation:
undertaken:			⊠ No
	Ward Councillor	Date consulted: J	uly Interest disclosed?
		2020	Yes Date of dispensation:
			☐ No
	Others ^x please	Date consulted:	Interest disclosed?
	specify:		Yes Date of dispensation:
			☐ No
Capital injection			
approval	Injection approval req	uired?	S ⊠ No
required:	(If yes, you must com	plete the Approval I	box below)
Capital			Capital scheme number:
Injection			XXXXX / XXX / XXX
approval		Name:	
		Title:	Date:
Contract details	Contract reference nu	ımber	Contract title:
(procurement			
decisions only)			Supplier:
Implementation	Officer accountable for	or implementation	
(key decisions	The Head of Learning	g Systems	
only)	Timescales for impler	mentation ^{xi}	
,,	October 2020		
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Contact person:	Tracy Waud	Telephone number ^{xii} : 0113 3787231
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Decision maker		Date: 14/8/20
or authorised		
signatory ^{xiii} :	TSA	
	Name: Tim Pouncey	

ⁱ The leader of the council may also make executive decisions and should be specified as the lead director where appropriate.

ii A brief title should be inserted here. If the decision is key and has appeared on the list of forthcoming key decisions, the title of the decision should be the same as that used in the list.

ⁱⁱⁱ Brief details of the decision should be inserted. This note must set out the substance of the decision, options considered and the reason for deciding on the chosen option, although care must be taken not to disclose any confidential or exempt information.

^{iv} See the executive and decision making procedure rules for eligibility. The decision will not be eligible for call-in if it has already been subject to call-in i.e. considered by the relevant scrutiny board. This includes a decision which has been modified by the decision maker following a recommendation by a scrutiny board after call-in of the earlier decision.

^v If the decision is exempt from call-in a reason must be provided in the 'notice or call-in' box and in the report. The call-in period expires at 5pm on the 5th working day after publication. Scrutiny support will notify decision makers of matters called-in no later than 12 noon on the 6th working day.

vi If the decision would have been a key decision but for an exception set out in article 13.4(b), please refer to the connected key decision in the decision details (either by the title or the reference number).

vii Administrative decisions do not need to be published on the council's website but this form may be used for internal recording of the decision.

viii All key decisions should appear on the list of forthcoming key decisions for 28 clear days before the decision can be taken. If 28 clear days' notice has not been provided, a reason must be provided here.

^{ix} No member having a disclosable pecuniary interest or officer having an interest in any matter (whether pecuniary or otherwise required to be declared) should take a decision in relation to that matter. Other interests of a non-disqualifying nature should be recorded here. Any dispensation in place in relation to the matter should also be recorded here.

^x This may include other elected members, officers, stakeholders and the local community.

^{xi} Please include proposed timescales for commencement and / or completion of implementation as appropriate.

xii Please insert a complete telephone number whether land line or mobile, rather than an extension number so that you can be contacted from outside the council.

xiii The signatory must be duly authorised by the lead director to make a decision in accordance with the relevant sub-delegation scheme. It is not acceptable for the signature to be 'pp' for the authorised signatory. For key decisions only, the date of the authorised signature signifies that, at the time, the officer was content that the decision should be taken. However, should representations be received following public availability of reports the signatory will consider the effect which such representations should have on the final decision.