Delegated Decision Notice

This form is the written record of a key, significant operational or administrative decision taken by an officer.

Decision type	☐ Key Decision	Significant	Administrative		
		Operational Decision	Decision		
Approximate	☐ Below £500,000	☐ below £25,000	☐ below £25,000		
value	☐ £500,000 to	£25,000 to £100,000	£25,000 to £100,000		
	£1,000,000	∑ £100,000 to £500,000			
	over £1,000,000	Over £500,000			
Director ¹	Neil Evans, Director of Resources and Housing				
Contact person:	Mark Denton		Telephone number:		
Contact person.	Wark Demon		07891 278062		
Subject ² :	Council Housing Growth Programme – Property Buybacks				
Decision	What decision has been taken?				
details ³ :	(Set out all necessary decisions to be taken by the decision taker including decisions in relation to exempt information, exemption from call in etc.)				
	The Director of Resources and Housing:				
	 Authorised the required expenditure to enable the programme to progress the property acquisitions detailed in Confidential Appendix A. These acquisitions to be funded from the Council Housing Growth Programme budget, via a combination of Housing Revenue Account (HRA) borrowing and Right to Buy receipts. 				
	 Noted that Executive Board granted Authority to Spend for the programme on 24th July 2019. 				
	3. Noted that a report is being submitted in parallel to the Director of City Development to request approval to acquire the properties for Housing & Resources so that they can be returned to Council Housing Stock. A brief statement of the reasons for the decision (Include any significant financial, procurement, legal or equalities implications, having consulted with Finance, PACS, Legal, HR and Equality colleagues as appropriate)				
	To enable the programme to progress the property acquisitions detailed in Confidential Appendix A				

¹ Give title of Director with delegated responsibility for function to which decision relates.

² 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

³ Simply refer to supporting report where used as these matters have been set out in detail.

	Brief details of any alternative options considered and rejected by the decision maker at the time of making the decision N/A			
Affected wards:	Ardsley & Robin Hood, Horsforth			
Details of	Executive Member			
consultation	Councillor D Coupar : Receives regular briefings & updates on the programme			
undertaken ⁴ :	Ward Councillors			
and on taken i	Members will be updated on any acquisitions in their wards as they progress.			
	Others			
	Housing Management; Housing Finance (capital & revenue); Land and Property; Housing Leeds; Legal; Programme Board: Regular engagement & updates			
Implementation	Officer accountable, and proposed timescales for implementation			
	Mark Denton			
List of	Date Added to List:- N/A			
Forthcoming				
Key Decisions ⁵	If Special Urgency or General Exception a brief statement of the reason why it is impracticable to delay the decision N/A			
	If Special Urgency Relevant Scrutiny Chair(s) approval			
	Signature		Date	
	N/A			
Publication of	If not published for 5 clear working days prior to decision being taken the reason why not possible:			
report ⁶	N/A			
	If published late relevant Executive member's approval			
	Signature		Date	
	N/A			
Call In	Is the decision available ⁷ for call-in?	Yes	⊠ No	

⁴ Include details of any interest disclosed by an elected Member on consultation and the date of any relevant dispensation given.

⁵ See Executive and Decision Making Procedure Rule 2.4 - 2.6. Complete this section for key decisions only

⁶ See Executive and Decision Making Procedure Rule 3.1. Complete this section for key decisions only

⁷ See Executive and Decision Making Procedure Rule 5.1. Significant operational decisions taken by officers are never available for call in. Key decisions are always available for call in unless they have been exempted from call in under rule 5.1.3.

	If exempt from call-in, the reason why call-in would prejudice the interests of the council or the public: Exempt - SOD		
Approval of	Authorised decision maker ⁸		
Decision	Neil Evans, Director of Resources & Housing		
	Signature	Date: 26/11/20	
	R.N. Evans		

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⁸ Give the post title and name of the officer with appropriate delegated authority to take the decision.