

# REPORT OF THE HEAD OF DEMOCRATIC SERVICES

Reporting Officer: Head of Democratic Services

## 6.1 URGENT IMPLEMENTATION OF DECISIONS

**RECOMMENDATION:** That the Urgency decisions detailed below be noted.

### Information

1. The Constitution allows a Cabinet or Cabinet Member decision to be implemented before the expiry of the 5-day scrutiny call-in period, provided the decision is deemed urgent and agreement is given from the Chairman of the relevant Select Committee that the matter is urgent and to waive the scrutiny call-in period. All such decisions are to be reported for information only to the next full Council meeting.
2. Since last reported to Council, the following decisions have been made using urgency procedures:

Date of Decision	Nature of Decision	Reason for Urgency	Decision-Maker
12 July 2022	Special Urgency - Hayes Estate Regeneration Developer Procurement: Selection of Preferred Bidder	To enable officers to conclude the contract with Higgins PLC and deliver on commitments to residents for a start on site in September 2022.	Leader of the Council, in conjunction with the Cabinet Member for Property, Highways & Transport, the Cabinet Member for Residents' Services and the Cabinet Member for Finance
12 July 2022	Special Urgency - Award of Pre-Construction and Professional Services Contracts with Capital Release for expansion of Meadow High School	To progress the enabling works and design to ensure that the Council is able to deliver the project on time.	Leader of the Council, in conjunction with the Cabinet Member for Property, Highways & Transport and on behalf of the Cabinet Member for Finance
15 July 2022	Special Urgency - Hillingdon Transformation Programme – commissioning of external support from Grant Thornton	To provide additional capacity to the Council's transformation programme within the required timescales	Leader of the Council
25 July 2022	Special Urgency - Customer Experience Pathway and Housing Accelerator Work – commissioning of PWC	To expedite the implementation of the initial scoping works undertaken during 2021/22, which will enable the delivery of	Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Property, Highways and Transport agreed this decision on behalf of the Leader of

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		significant savings targets included within the existing MTFF for the current financial year.	the Council
4 August 2022	Special Urgency - Early Years Childcare Review	So that as much notice as possible can be given to families that will be impacted and to prevent a further intake of children into the services in September.	Leader of the Council, in conjunction with the Cabinet Member for Children, Families & Education
6 September 2022	Special Urgency – Hayes Estate Regeneration – Capital Release No 4	To progress the Hayes Regeneration Project and complete acquisitions before vesting day on 21 September 2022.	Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Property, Highways and Transport agreed this decision on behalf of the Leader of the Council, in conjunction with the Cabinet Member for Residents' Services and the Cabinet Member for Finance

Background Papers: Decision Notices