

Council – 15 December 2020

URGENT DECISIONS

Reference No.	Details of Decision	Decision Taker	Date of Decision	Reason for Urgency	Agreed by
CEX/79	<p><b>LOCAL GOVERNMENT REFORM (BUILDING A CASE FOR CHANGE)</b></p> <p><b>Decision</b></p> <p><b><i>RESOLVED - That</i></b></p> <p><b><i>(1) approval be given for additional funding of £65,000 from existing budgets for external consultancy services and related costs related to preparing a proposal for Government;</i></b></p> <p><b><i>(2) contract procedural rules with regards to the appointment of consultants be waived and the Chief Executive be authorised to agree and appoint consultants for the purpose of developing a proposal for submission prior to the deadlines set by the MHCLG; and</i></b></p> <p><b><i>(3) it be noted that further reports will be brought back to Cabinet and Council to agree any proposal prior to submission to Government.</i></b></p>	Cabinet	05/11/20	Due to the tight timescales involved.	In accordance with paragraph 16(j) of the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules in the Constitution, the Chairman of the Council had been consulted and had agreed that the decision proposed was reasonable in all the circumstances and for it to be treated as a matter of urgency and that the call-in process should be waived.