



## Notice of a public

### **Decision Session - Executive Member for Finance and Major Projects Meeting to be held in consultation with the Executive Member for Housing and Safer Neighbourhoods (for agenda item 4 Annual Report on Financial Inclusion and Welfare Benefits Activities (2021/22)**

**To:** Councillor Ayre (Executive Member for Finance and Major Projects) and Craghill (Executive Member for Housing and Safer Neighbourhoods)

**Date:** Monday, 12 September 2022

**Time:** 10.00 am

**Venue:** The Thornton Room - Ground Floor, West Offices (G039)

## **AGENDA**

### **Notice to Members – Post Decision Calling In:**

Members are reminded that, should they wish to call in any item\* on this agenda, notice must be given to Democratic Services by **4:00pm on Wednesday 14 September 2022**.

\*With the exception of matters that have been the subject of a previous call in, require Full Council approval or are urgent which are not subject to the call-in provisions. Any items that are called in will be considered by the Customer and Corporate Services Scrutiny Management Committee.

Written representations in respect of items on this agenda should be submitted to Democratic Services by **5:00pm on Thursday 8 September 2022**.

#### **1. Declarations of Interest**

At this point in the meeting, Members are asked to declare any disclosable pecuniary interest or other registerable interest they might have in respect of business on this agenda, if they have not already done so in advance on the Register of Interests.

- 2. Minutes** (Pages 1 - 4)  
To approve and sign the minutes of the Decision Session held on 9 May 2022.

**3. Public Participation**

At this point in the meeting members of the public who have registered to speak can do so. Members of the public may speak on agenda items or on matters within the remit of the committee. The deadline for registering at this meeting is at **5:00pm on Thursday 8 September 2022.**

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**4. Annual Report on Financial Inclusion and Welfare Benefits Activities (2021/22)** (Pages 5 - 44)

This report provides the Executive Member for Finance & Major Projects in consultation with the Executive Member for Housing & Safer Neighbourhoods with the Financial Inclusion/Welfare Benefits outturn report 2021/22 and an update on the first quarter of 2022/23 including:

- the financial support available to residents dealing with the challenges of covid-19 during 21/22 and the cost of living impacts moving into 2022/23;
- an update on benefits statistics and performance administered by the council including the York Financial Assistance Scheme;
- other financial inclusion (FI) activity during 2021/22 including delivery of Financial Inclusion grant schemes.

**5. Submission of funding bids to Levelling Up Fund in accordance with delegations from Executive Committee at item 5, 16.6.22** (Pages 45 - 54)

This report follows the Executive decision in June 2022 to submit 2 bids to the second round of the Levelling Up Fund (LUF). The report formally records the subsequent decision (of the Corporate Director of Place, in consultation with the Executive Member for Finance and Major Projects, as delegated by the Executive), to submit the bids. The report also sets out the final bid compositions.

**6. Application for Community Right to Bid under the Localism Act 2011** (Pages 55 - 72)

This report details an application to list Blacksmiths Arms, Naburn, York as an Asset of Community Value (ACV), for consideration by the Council. The application has been received from Naburn Parish Council.

**7. Urgent Business**

Any other business which the Executive Member considers urgent under the Local Government Act 1972.

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