

SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL

INDIVIDUAL CABINET MEMBER DECISION RECORD

The following decision was taken on 29 March 2021 by the Cabinet Member for Finance, Resources and Governance.

Date notified to all Members: Thursday 1 April 2021

This decision is not subject to call-in, in accordance with the Fast-Track process set out in Scrutiny Procedure Rule 17 of the Constitution.

1. **TITLE**

Acceptance of Funding from the National Leisure Recovery Fund

2. **DECISION TAKEN**

That, after considering the detail in the report, the Cabinet Member:-

(a) approves acceptance of £1,529,721 of funding support from the National Leisure Recovery Fund;

(b) notes that a report on funding leisure services for the financial year 2021/2022 will be brought for decision soon;

(c) notes that arrangements will be put in place to finalise the funding arrangements and put in place any required monitoring/reporting arrangements; and

(d) delegates authority to the Director of Culture and Environment, in consultation with the Director of Legal and Governance and the Director of Finance and Commercial Services, to take such steps not already delegated as they deem appropriate to achieve the outcomes set out in the report.

3. **Reasons for Decision**

The financial support from NLRF will support the Council's costs relating to the re-opening of the leisure facilities listed in section 1.1 of the report.

4. **Alternatives Considered and Rejected**

The alternative option considered was to fully fund the re-opening of leisure facilities from Council reserves. This option was not considered to be in the best interest of the Council.

5. **Any Interest Declared or Dispensation Granted**

None

6. **Respective Director Responsible for Implementation**

Director of Culture and Environment

7. **Relevant Scrutiny Committee If Decision Called In**

Economic and Environmental Wellbeing Scrutiny Committee