

## **SHEFFIELD CITY COUNCIL**

### **OFFICER DECISION RECORD**

The following decision was taken on 09 February 2023 by the Director of Housing and Neighbourhoods Service.

Date notified to all members: 13 February 2023

1. **TITLE**

Agree to Extension of Funding for the Delivery of the Accommodation for Ex-Offenders Scheme (AFO)

2. **DECISION TAKEN**

(1) Approve the acceptance of the DLUHC grant offer extension of £149,000.

(2) Approve the extensions of such staff and the delivery of the scheme as detailed in this report within City Wide Housing Services.

3. **Reasons For Decision**

Agree to continue to receive and use DLUHC funding to support ex-offenders in accessing self-contained private rented accommodation within Sheffield.

4. **Alternatives Considered And Rejected**

No alternative options were considered.

5. **Documents used in making decision:**

Appendix A – Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)

Appendix B – Form 2a Decision Paper July 2021

6. **Any dispensation granted by the Head of Paid Service**

None

7. **Respective Director Responsible for Implementation**

Janet Sharpe, Director of Housing Services