

Notice relating to an urgent forthcoming Cabinet decision

Local Authority Discretionary Grants Fund Top-up Grant

This is a key decision required to be taken urgently by the Cabinet member responsible for Finance. The decision has not previously been included in the Cabinet work programme and advertised 28 clear days in advance.

The decision, if confirmed, would allow the council to offer top-up grants to distribute the remaining unspent funds from the Discretionary Grant Fund (DGF). This decision is urgent and cannot be deferred because the Government has advised the DGF will close on Friday 28 August 2020. There is insufficient time to process a round three before this date. The top-up grants can be prepared and delivered by the 28 August 2020 deadline.

The council is required to seek the agreement of its Scrutiny Committee chairman before the relevant Cabinet member can make this decision.

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