MINUTES OF CABINET

3 SEPTEMBER 2018

PRESENT:

Councillors Stokes (Chairman), Mrs Crane, Lowe, Mrs Parker and Ms Robbins.

Councillors Bearne, Ms Edwards, Miss Lawrence, Lewis, Picker, Roodhouse and Sandison were also in attendance.

25. MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting held on 25 June 2018 and the special meeting held on 13 August 2018 were approved and signed by the Chairman.

26. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Item 8 of Part 1- Brownsover Community Room – Management Arrangements – Councillors Ms Edwards and Ms Robbins (non-pecuniary interests as defined by the Council's Code of Conduct for Councillors by virtue of being members of Brownsover Community Association).

Item 7 of Part 1 – Visitor Economy Cabinet Working Party – Amendment to Membership for 2018/19 – Councillor Miss Lawrence (non-pecuniary interest as defined by the Council's Code of Conduct for Councillors by virtue of being proposed as a member of the Working Party in the report).

Item 5 of Part 1 – Brandon and Bretford Neighbourhood Plan Regulation 16 Consultation and Regulation 17 Examination – Councillor Bearne (nonpecuniary interest as defined by the Council's Code of Conduct for Councillors by virtue of being a Ward Councillor)

27. QUESTION TIME

There were no questions.

Growth and Investment Portfolio

28. BRANDON AND BRETFORD NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN REGULATION 16 CONSULTATION AND REGULATION 17 EXAMINATION

Cabinet considered the report of the Head of Executive Director (Part 1 – agenda item 5) concerning the Brandon and Bretford Neighbourhood Development Plan.

RESOLVED THAT – the Brandon and Bretford Neighbourhood Development Plan be approved and be:

- (a) publicised for the purposes of Regulation 16 consultation; and
- (b) submitted to the appointed Examiner for the Regulation 17 examination.

Corporate Resources Portfolio

29. FINANCE AND PERFOMANCE MONITORING 2018/19 – QUARTER 1

Cabinet considered the report of the Head of Corporate Resources and Chief Financial Officer (Part 1 – agenda item 6) concerning the Council's anticipated financial and performance position for 2018/19.

RESOLVED THAT -

- (1) the Council's anticipated financial position for 2018/19 be noted;
- (2) a supplementary General Fund capital budget of £15,000 for 2018/19 be approved for the enhancement of lighting at Caldecott Park, to be funded from s.106 developer contributions;
- (3) a Supplementary General Fund capital budget of £46,440 be approved for the provision of Disabled Facilities Grants, to be funded from additional external grant awarded in 2018/19;
- (4) a net nil Supplementary General Fund revenue budget of £30,340 be approved for the cost of services provided by external organisations to deliver Universal Credit support in 2018/19, wholly funded from external funding received from DWP in support of Universal Credit roll out; and
- (5) IT BE RECOMMENDED TO COUNCIL THAT -

(a) a Supplementary General Fund revenue budget of £108,750 in 2018/19 and £36,250 in 2019/20 be approved for the Family Weight Management Scheme, to be fully financed through external funding; and

(b) performance summary and performance data included in Appendix 4 be considered and noted.

30. VISITOR ECONOMY CABINET WORKING PARTY – AMENDMENT TO MEMBERSHIP FOR 2018/19

Cabinet considered the report of the Executive Director (Part 1 – agenda item 7) concerning a proposed amendment to the membership of the Visitor Economy Working Party for the 2018/19 municipal year.

RESOLVED THAT - Councillor Miss Lawrence be included as a member of the Visitor Economy Cabinet Working Party for the 2018/19 municpal year in her capacity as Tourism Champion.

Communities and Homes Portfolio

31. BROWNSOVER COMMUNITY ROOM – MANAGEMENT ARRANGEMENTS

Cabinet considered the report of the Head of Communities and Homes (Part 1 – agenda item 8) concerning the proposed management arrangements for Brownsover Community Room.

RESOLVED THAT - IT BE RECOMMENDED TO COUNCIL THAT -

- a formal lease arrangement be agreed with the Brownsover Community Association for them to manage and maintain the Brownsover community room;
- (2) the lease period does not exceed 20 years; and
- (3) regular 6-monthly monitoring meetings be held with the Brownsover Community Association to monitor and evaluate the services being offered from the facility.

Environment and Public Realm Portfolio

32. REVIEW REPORT PUBLIC SPACES PROTECTION ORDER SCRUTINY SUB-GROUP

Cabinet considered the report of the Head of Environment and Public Realm (Part 1 – agenda item 9) concerning the outcomes and proposed recommendations arising from a scrutiny review of Public Spaces Protection Orders.

RESOLVED THAT – recommendations 1-5 of the Scrutiny Sub-Group (as detailed in section 1 of the report) be approved.

CHAIRMAN