

DECISION UNDER DELEGATED POWERS

Subject	Extension of HEART Partnership for five years
Officer Requesting Decision	Chief Officer - Communities and Homes
Officer Making the Decision	Chief Officer - Communities and Homes Chief Officer - Legal and Governance
Authority for Decision	Full Council 26 April 2023 Minute 95(b) Delegated authority under paragraph 2.5 (i) of Part 2B of Rugby Borough Council's Constitution: Each Chief Officer is authorised to invite and accept tenders or quotation for contracts, subject to contract standing orders, financial standing orders, financial regulations, and financial instructions.
Recommendation	To continue the contract through to 31 March 2028.
Alternatives considered and rejected	To disband the partnership and for each Local Authority partner to independently put in place the necessary arrangements for the assessment and allocation of statutory Disabled Facilities Grants and associated works.
Decision	Approve
Reason	HEART have an established track record in delivering the DFG's locally and the partnership approach is one advocated by government in administering DFG's.
Date	4 May 2023
Background Papers	Report to Council on 26 April 2023
Decision record kept until	4 May 2029
Background papers kept until	4 May 2027

Signed



Aftab Razzaq, Chief Officer Legal and Governance

Dated

4 May 2023