



OFFICIAL EXECUTIVE DECISION NOTICE PUBLISHED BY DEMOCRATIC SERVICES

Notice is hereby given that the following decision(s) have been made today by Cabinet Members at the London Borough of Hillingdon:

Title of decision	NEW ALLOCATION OF S106 CONTRIBUTIONS 2021/22: Trees for Cities Partnership Agreement Tree Planting Project 2021-23
Reference No.	360
Date of decision	Thursday 27 January 2022
Call-in expiry date	5pm, on Thursday 03 February 2022
Relevant Select Committee(s)	Environment, Housing and Regeneration Select Committee
Relevant Ward(s)	All wards.

Decision made

Cabinet Members making the decision	Councillor Ian Edwards - Leader of the Council Councillor Martin Goddard - Cabinet Member for Finance Councillor Eddie Lavery - Cabinet Member for Environment, Housing & Regeneration
	APPROVED That the Leader of the Council, Cabinet Member for Finance, and Cabinet Member for Environment, Housing and Regeneration: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Ratify the Trees for Cities Partnership Agreement and supporting Tree Planting Projects for 2021-23 as set out in the report.2. Approve a total of £170,000 to be allocated and used towards the delivery of the Trees for Cities Partnership Agreement Tree Planting (2021-23) project from the following S106 contributions held by the Council:- Air Quality S106 – a total of £60,000 made up of the following contributions: E/129/415C £12,500 E/143/449B £14,735 E/126/412B £26,547

	<p>E/135/425D £6,218</p> <p>Carbon Offset S106 – a total of £110,000 made up of the following contributions:</p> <p>PPR/104/355B £70,800 PT/235/450A £31,678 PT/210/424A £5,746 EO/001/554D £1,776</p> <p>3. Approve the capital release request of £170,000 towards the Trees for Cities Partnership Tree Planting project – Appendix A.</p>
Reason for decision	Following a Cabinet decision in March 2009, the allocation of Section 106 (S106) and Section 278 (S278) funds is required to be formally approved by the Leader of the Council and the Cabinet Member for Finance on a case-by-case basis. This report requests the approval for the S106 funds held at the case reference detailed in this report to be committed as outlined in this report. Specifically, the report seeks approval for the Trees for Cities Partnership Agreement to support tree planting projects over the coming years through the allocation (and capital release) of relevant s106 contributions.
Alternative options considered and rejected	The Cabinet Members could have agreed to fund the scheme and / or suggest alternative projects to which funds could be allocated within the terms of the relevant legal agreements. If the S106 funds are not allocated to an appropriate scheme, the unspent funds may need to be refunded.
Classification	Part I – Public
Link to associated report	Report found here .
Relevant Officer contact & Directorate	Julia Johnson/Nicola Wyatt – Policy & Environmental Planning
Any interest declared by the Cabinet Member(s) / dispensation granted	N/A

Implementation of decision & scrutiny call-in

[Internal Use only]	
When can this decision be implemented by officers?	<p>Officers can implement Cabinet Member decision in this notice only from the expiry of the scrutiny call-in period which is:</p> <p>5pm, on Thursday 03 February 2022</p>

	<p>However, this is subject to the decision not being called in by Councillors on the relevant Select Committee. Upon receipt of a valid call-in request, Democratic Services will immediately advise the relevant officer(s) and the decision must then be put on hold.</p>
Councillor scrutiny call-in of this decision	<p>Councillors on the relevant Select Committee shown in this notice may request to call-in this decision. The request must be before the expiry of the scrutiny call-in period above.</p> <p>Councillors should use the Scrutiny Call-in App (link below) on their devices to initiate any call-in request. Further advice can be sought from Democratic Services if required:</p> <p>Scrutiny Call-In - Power Apps (secure)</p>
Further information	<p>These decisions, where applicable, have been taken under The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012.</p> <p>This is the formal notice by the Council of the above executive decision, including links to the reports where applicable.</p> <p>If you would like more information on this decision, please contact Democratic Services on 01895 250636 or email: democratic@hillingdon.gov.uk.</p> <p>Circulation of this decision notice is to a variety of people including Members of the Council, Corporate Directors, Officers, Group Secretariats and the Public. Copies are also placed on the Council's website.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Democratic Services London Borough of Hillingdon Civic Centre High Street Uxbridge UB8 1UW</p>