

## **EXECUTIVE**

### **6 DECEMBER 2022**

#### Present:

Cllrs Connett (Leader), Dewhirst (Deputy Leader), J Hook, Keeling, Purser, Taylor and Wrigley

#### Apologies:

Cllrs Jeffries and Nutley

#### Cllrs in attendance:

Cllrs J and L Petherick

#### Officers in Attendance:

Democratic Services Team Leader & Deputy Monitoring Officer  
Head of Place & Commercial Services  
Service Lead for Revenue, Benefits and Customer Support  
Managing Director

These decisions will take effect from 10.00 a.m. on 13 December 2022 unless called-in or identified as urgent in the minute

### **63. MINUTES**

The minutes of the meeting held on 1 November 2022 were agreed as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

### **64. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

Cllr Wrigley declared a registrable interest in respect of minute no.68 - Contribution to Dawlish Town Council towards new play park at Manor Gardens, Dawlish -as he was a Member of Dawlish Town Council and would not take part in the debate or vote on the item.

Cllr Taylor declared a registrable interest in respect of minute no.68 - Contribution to Dawlish Town Council towards new play park at Manor Gardens, Dawlish -as he was a Member of Dawlish Town Council and would not take part in the debate or vote on the matter on the item.

Cllr J Petherick declared a registrable interest in respect of minute no.68 - Contribution to Dawlish Town Council towards new play park at Manor Gardens, Dawlish. He would not be speaking on the item.

Cllr L Petherick declared a registrable interest in respect of minute no.68 - Contribution to Dawlish Town Council towards new play park at Manor Gardens, Dawlish. She would not be speaking on the item.

**65. EXECUTIVE FORWARD PLAN**

**RESOLVED** that the Forward Plan be noted.

**66. COUNCIL TAX REDUCTION SCHEME 2023-24**

The Executive Member for Corporate Resources presented the report which sought support for the Council Tax Reduction scheme for year 2023-24.

The report proposed no change to the current Council Tax Reduction Scheme (CTR) itself but highlights the need to uplift the income thresholds within the bands to reflect any annual uprating in primary benefits. This would protect claimants from any loss of CTR support. The scheme made provision for an uplift to be applied where appropriate.

**RECOMMENDED** to Council that the Council Tax Reduction Scheme (attached as Appendix A) be adopted for the year 2023-24 with the income amounts uprated in line with any annual uprating in primary benefits.

The vote was unanimous.

**67. CONTRIBUTION TOWARDS NEW PLAY PARK AT MANOR GARDENS, DAWLISH**

Cllrs Taylor and Wrigley left the meeting area for consideration of this item.

The Executive Member for Corporate Services presented the report to seek approval for the use of money secured through Section 106 obligations as a contribution towards a new play park at the Manor Gardens, Dawlish.

**RESOLVED** that the use of £143,000 from Section 106 funding for use in the creation of a new play park at the Manor Gardens, Dawlish be approved.

The vote was unanimous.

The meeting started at 10.01 am and finished at 10.24 am.

Chair