

Individual Officer Decision Record



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Decision Maker:	Janet Waggott, Chief Executive
Lead Officer:	Suzan Harrington, Director of Corporate Services and Commissioning
Title of Decision:	Urgent Decision Outside Budget & Policy Framework: Tadcaster Business Flood Grant Scheme
Ward(s) Affected:	Tadcaster
Type of Decision:	<input type="checkbox"/> Key decision <input type="checkbox"/> Non key decision discharging (or connected to the discharge of) an Executive function <input type="checkbox"/> Specific delegation from Council or Committee <input type="checkbox"/> Grant of permission / licence <input type="checkbox"/> Affecting the rights of an individual <input type="checkbox"/> Awarding a contract or incurring expenditure which materially affects the financial position of the Council <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Decision under urgency
Details of decision:	<p>RESOLVED:</p> <p>That following consultation with the Leader and agreement from the Chair of Policy Review as to urgency, the Chief Executive approves:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. £100,000 unallocated Programme for Growth funding and £22,500 of 'Growing Enterprise' Programme for Growth Funding be vired to establish a Tadcaster Business Flood Grant Scheme and; 2. that authority be delegated to the Director of Corporate Services and Commissioning to enter into

	an agreement with an external provider to deliver the grant scheme, subject to appropriate conditions.
Reason for decision:	<p>To offer immediate assistance to Tadcaster town centre businesses significantly affected by Storm Franklin. To provide an effective delivery mechanism for grant funding.</p> <p>To do so in line with the Council Plan 2020-2030, 'to make Selby District a Great Place to Live with key objectives to 'Improve town centres' and to 'Develop a long-term programme of market town regeneration'.</p>
Alternative options considered and rejected:	See Section 5 of the Officer Report.
Member Interests: (Name of any Member who has declared a conflict of interest in relation to the decision and details of any dispensation granted by the Head of Paid Service if appropriate)	None.
Legal, Financial or other implications:	As the decision is made under urgency powers it is not subject to call-in. The Chief Executive confirms that the decision proposed is reasonable in all the circumstances and is to be treated as urgent. The Chair of Policy Review confirms that it is urgent. See Section 6 of the Officer Report.
Background papers:	Officer Report dated 1.4.22.
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Signed:	<i>Signature redacted</i> Janet Waggott, Chief Executive
Date of Decision:	1 April 2022