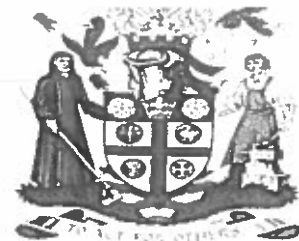


**Individual Member  
Decision Record**



<b>Decision Maker:</b>	Councillor Mark Crane, Leader of the Council
<b>Lead Officer:</b>	Janet Waggott, Chief Executive
<b>Title of Decision:</b>	Better Together Collaboration Agreement – Variation of Option to Renew Clause 2.3
<b>Ward(s) Affected:</b>	All
<b>Type of Decision:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Key decision <input checked="" 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
<b>Details of decision:</b>	To delegate authority to the Chief Executive to seek agreement with North Yorkshire County Council to a variation to clause 2.3 to the Collaboration Agreement to change the option to renew date from 30 <sup>th</sup> December 2019 to 29 <sup>th</sup> February 2020 and to vary the Legal Services' option to renew clause until 30th June 2020, so that a Report can be taken to the Executive in February 2020 to consider renewal of the overarching Collaboration Agreement following publication on the Forward Plan as a Key Decision.
<b>Reason for decision:</b>	To seek a variation to the option to renew clause 2.3 to enable the key decision concerning renewal of the overarching Collaboration Agreement to be considered by the Executive in February 2020 and to vary the Legal Services' Option to Renew until 30 <sup>th</sup> June 2020 so that the details of the Legal shared service can be reviewed.
<b>Alternative options considered and rejected:</b>	The other options considered for the services provided under the Collaboration Agreement include assessing the services provided against similar services provided by commercial third party suppliers on the open market and assessing whether SDC can deliver the services "in house".

<b>Member Interests:</b> <i>(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)</i>	None
<b>Legal, Financial or other implications:</b>	These are outlined in the appended report.
<b>Background papers:</b>	None
<b>Contact details for further information:</b>	Janet Waggott, Chief Executive
<b>Signed:</b>	
<b>Date of Decision:</b>	10 January 2020