### COUNCIL - 28 SEPTEMBER 2017

## **RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE EXECUTIVE**

#### Summary

The Council is invited to consider the recommendations from the meeting of the Executive held on 14 September 2017 and determine accordingly. The recommendations as set out in the draft minutes of the Executive are set out below. An item on Recommendations of the Executive has been included under Part II of this agenda to enable Members to discuss the details of the proposal.

## EXECUTIVE – 14 SEPTEMBER 2017

## 1. LAND MANAGEMENT - ACQUISITION OF WOKING TOWN CENTRE PROPERTY

### **RECOMMENDED** to Council

### That the recommendations set out in the Part II report be agreed.

Reason: To acquire and improve the setting of an important asset in Woking Town Centre to support the economic vibrancy of the town centre and to contribute to a key objective in the Council's Medium Term Financial Strategy to protect services for Woking residents.

### Background Papers:

None.

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REPORT ENDS

# Equality Impact Assessment

The purpose of this assessment is to improve the work of the Council by making sure that it does not discriminate against any individual or group and that, where possible, it promotes equality. The Council has a legal duty to comply with equalities legislation and this template enables you to consider the impact (positive or negative) a strategy, policy, project or service may have upon the protected groups.

		Positive impact?					What will the impact be? If the impact is negative how can it be mitigated? (action)
		Eliminate discriminatio n	Advance equality	Good relations	Negative impact?	No specific impact	THIS SECTION NEEDS TO BE COMPLETED AS EVIDENCE OF WHAT THE POSITIVE IMPACT IS OR WHAT ACTIONS ARE BEING TAKEN TO MITIGATE ANY NEGATIVE IMPACTS
Gender	Men						Any implications arising from the proposals have been identified in the reports considered by the Executive
	Women						
Gender Reas	Gender Reassignment						
	White						
Race	Mixed/Multiple ethnic groups						
	Asian/Asian British						
	Black/African/Caribbean/ Black British						
	Gypsies / travellers						
	Other ethnic group						

		Positive impact?					What will the impact be? If the impact is negative how can it be mitigated? (action)
		Eliminate discriminatio n	Advance equality	Good relations	Negative impact?	No specific impact	THIS SECTION NEEDS TO BE COMPLETED AS EVIDENCE OF WHAT THE POSITIVE IMPACT IS OR WHAT ACTIONS ARE BEING TAKEN TO MITIGATE ANY NEGATIVE IMPACTS
Disability	Physical						Any implications arising from the proposals have been identified in the reports considered by the Executive
	Sensory						
	Learning Difficulties						
	Mental Health						
Sexual Orientation	Lesbian, gay men, bisexual						
Age	Older people (50+)						
	Younger people (16 - 25)						
Religion or Belief	Faith Groups						
Pregnancy & maternity				1			
Marriage & Civil Partnership							
Socio-economic Background							

The purpose of the Equality Impact Assessment is to improve the work of the Council by making sure it does not discriminate against any individual or group and that, where possible, it promotes equality. The assessment is quick and straightforward to undertake but it is an important step to make sure that individuals and teams think carefully about the likely impact of their work on people in Woking and take action to improve strategies, policies, services and projects, where appropriate. Further details and guidance on completing the form are <u>available</u>.

### Sustainability Impact Assessment

Officers preparing a committee report are required to complete a Sustainability Impact Assessment. Sustainability is one of the Council's 'cross-cutting themes' and the Council has made a corporate commitment to address the social, economic and environmental effects of activities across Business Units. The purpose of this Impact Assessment is to record any positive or negative impacts this decision, project or programme is likely to have on each of the Council's Sustainability Themes. For assistance with completing the Impact Assessment, please refer to the instructions below. Further details and guidance on completing the form are <u>available</u>.

Theme (Potential impacts of the project)	Positive Impact	Negative Impact	No specific impact	What will the impact be? If the impact is negative, how can it be mitigated? (action)
Use of energy, water, minerals and materials				
Waste generation / sustainable waste management				
Pollution to air, land and water				
Factors that contribute to Climate Change				
Protection of and access to the natural environment				
Travel choices that do not rely on the car				
A strong, diverse and sustainable local economy				
Meet local needs locally				Any implications arising from the proposals
Opportunities for education and information				have been identified in the reports considered by the Executive
Provision of appropriate and sustainable housing				
Personal safety and reduced fear of crime				
Equality in health and good health				
Access to cultural and leisure facilities				
Social inclusion / engage and consult communities				
Equal opportunities for the whole community				
Contribute to Woking's pride of place				