

OFFICER DECISION RECORD

Lead Officer: Peter Catchpole Section 151 Officer	Service: Planning Policy
CMT Officer: Peter Catchpole, Corporate Director and Chief Finance Officer	Delegated Power Being Exercised: Part 3 - Responsibilities for Functions; Table 4, paragraph 59 which delegates the following functional responsibility to members of CMT in respect of their relevant service areas: To manage and promote the services for which they are responsible and to enter into arrangements, or do anything else which is considered necessary or expedient in the management of the services and functions for which they are responsible including the acquisition of goods, works and services within budgets and policies approved by the Council and in compliance with the Financial Rules and Scheme of Financial Delegation and Code of Procurement.
Subject of Decision: Plan for Neighbourhoods - Payment of Capacity Building for Leisure Facilities	

Decision to be Taken: Following the decision by the Town Board to approve £10,000 of funding to purchase equipment for youth community activities at the Hudson Leisure Centre, FDC now need to release this funding from the P4N Capacity funding.		
Decision: To authorise a purchase and donation of equipment to the value of £10,000 for the Hudson in line with Town Board direction.		
Reason for the Decisions: Wisbech Town Board are looking to encourage youth activities for adolescents in Wisbech and have determined to grant the Hudson £10,000 of capacity funding to begin setting up for these activities through purchase of equipment. This will also act as a test of investments in the community asset ahead of future planned investment as part of the 4-year investment plan, whilst also engaging a demographic which the Town Board aims to consult with on the Regeneration Plan.		
Alternative Options Considered (if appropriate): Not applicable.		
Background/Reports/Information considered and attached: Town Board Decision – 10/07/2025, Minutes		
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