

HINCKLEY AND BOSWORTH BOROUGH COUNCIL

EXECUTIVE

28 SEPTEMBER 2022 AT 6.30 PM

PRESENT: Cllr SL Bray - Chairman
Cllr DC Bill MBE – Vice-Chairman
Cllr MB Cartwright, Cllr WJ Crooks, Cllr KWP Lynch, Cllr MT Mullaney and
Cllr K Nichols

Officers in attendance: Bill Cullen, Julie Kenny, Steven Merry, Rebecca Owen
and Sharon Stacey

156. Minutes

It was moved by Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Councillor Nichols and

RESOLVED – the minutes of the meeting held on 13 April be confirmed as a correct record and signed by the chairman.

157. Declarations of interest

No interests were declared.

158. Discretionary business rates relief - pop up shops

The Executive considered a report which proposed a discretionary policy for business rates relief on pop-up shops in the Hinckley Business Improvement District (BID) area. It was intended that vacant units in Hinckley town centre be used for this purpose and that the initiative would support small businesses developing opportunities to take up more permanent retail premises to benefit the town centre. It was moved by Councillor Lynch, seconded by Councillor Bill and

RESOLVED – the pop-up business rates relief policy be approved.

159. Matters from which the public may be excluded

On the motion of Councillor Bray seconded by Councillor Cartwright, it was

RESOLVED – Under section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 and in accordance with regulation 21(1)(A) of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2000, the public be excluded from the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 3, 5 and 10 of Part I of Schedule 12A of that Act.

160. **Supplementary budget request**

Members received a report which sought approval of a supplementary budget request in order to support a judicial review. It was moved by Councillor Cartwright, seconded by Councillor Lynch and

RESOLVED –

- (i) The judicial review claim be noted;
- (ii) The supplementary estimate of £40,000 be approved.

(The Meeting closed at 6.40 pm)

CHAIRMAN