

Cabinet Member Decision Notice - Public

<u>Part A</u> – to be provisionally completed prior to the meeting and finalised after the meeting following agreement with the decision maker.

- 1. **Decision Maker:** Cabinet Member for Resources, Enterprise and Economic Development Councillor Graham Swift
- Date of the Decision: 3 March 2021
- 3. **Subject (title and description):** Former housing tenant debts to be written-off in 2020/21
- 4. Did the decision maker declare an interest? No
- 5. **Lead Officer**: Noel Duke Neighbourhood Services Manager
- 6. Was all or any part of the report exempt? No

If yes, is there an Exempt Decision Notice? N/A

7. The Decision:

That the decision to write off former tenant housing debts (individual debts less than £500) amounting to £15,891.95 in 2020/21 be noted.

That former tenant housing debts (individual debts over £500), totalling £16,385.09, be approved for writing-off in 2020/21.

8. Reasons for the Decision:

The debt summarised in Appendices A, B, and C to the report is considered irrecoverable, and Cabinet Member for Resources, Enterprise and Economic Development approval is required for writing-off individual debts over £500, in accordance with the Councils Standing Orders & Financial Regulations.

9. Alternative Options Considered and Rejected:

To approve only part or none of the recommended list of debt to be written off. This is not being recommended because the submitted lists, summarised in Appendices A, B, and C of the report, are considered irrecoverable after investigation, for the reasons indicated.

10. Is this a Key Decision: No

If yes, please state Forward Plan reference number: N/A

<u>Part B</u> – Key Decisions Only – to be completed by Democratic Services

- 11. Is the decision subject to call in: N/A
- 12. End of the Call-In Period: N/A