

South Somerset District Council
Decisions taken by the District Executive on Thursday 2 April 2015

Agenda Item No	Agenda item	Decision
6.	Presentation from Highways Contractor on flood prevention works on the A303	<p>RESOLVED: That District Executive agreed to note the presentation on flood prevention works on the A303, provided by the Highway Contractor.</p>
7.	South Somerset Together (SST) Strategic Partnership	<p>RESOLVED: That District Executive:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Noted the achievements of the South Somerset Together Partnership in 2014/15; 2. Endorsed the revised partnership agreement as presented. <p>Reason: To note the overview of the progress made on strategic priorities during 2014/15 and to clarify the revised governance and funding arrangements for the South Somerset Together Strategic Partnership.</p>
8.	Adoption of a Balanced Rural Lettings Policy	<p>RESOLVED: That District Executive agreed to formally adopt the balanced Rural Lettings Policy.</p> <p>Reason: To adopt a rural lettings policy which balances the need for very local lettings and the council's wider statutory obligations.</p>

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9.	South Somerset District Council Advertising Policy	<p>RESOLVED: That District Executive approved the new SSDC Advertising Policy (as amended).</p> <p>Reason: To gain approval for the introduction of South Somerset District Council's Advertising Policy.</p>
10.	Loan to Kingsdon Parish Council	<p>RESOLVED: That District Executive approved a loan of £27,500 to Kingsdon Parish Council, to be repaid over 10 years, from available capital resources subject to a first charge being made on the land.</p> <p>Reason: To approve a loan of £27,500 to Kingsdon Parish Council to purchase land for recreational use.</p>
11.	Designation of Neighbourhood Area - South Petherton Parish	<p>RESOLVED: That District Executive agreed to designate the Civil Parish of South Petherton as a Neighbourhood Area for the purposes of preparing a Neighbourhood Plan as set out in the Localism Act 2011.</p> <p>Reason: To confirm the formal designation of South Petherton Parish Neighbourhood Area in accordance with The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012.</p>

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12.	Safer Somerset Partnership - Update Report	<p>RESOLVED: That District Executive:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. agreed to continue fully supporting the activities of the Safer Somerset Partnership; 2. agreed to help fund the partnership statutory activities and set an upper limit of funds (£3,000) to be made available for finance year 2016/17 with the addition of £3,000 to the Medium Term Financial Plan 2016/17 on the agreement that all of the SSP responsible authorities fund a similar amount. <p>Reason: To confirm ongoing support and note the potential for a future requirement to provide funding to cover our share of the statutory duties of the Safer Somerset Partnership (SSP).</p>
13.	District Executive Forward Plan	<p>RESOLVED: That the District Executive:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. approved the updated Executive Forward Plan for publication as attached at Appendix A <p>Reason: The Forward Plan is a statutory document.</p>

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