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Part A – Items considered in public

Λ <i>E</i>	Loop to Hinton St. Coorgo and	DESOLVED:	That Council approved a loop of C100 000 to Hinton St Coorse and
A5	Loan to Hinton St. George and Locality Rural Community Services Ltd	RESOLVED:	That Council approved a loan of £190,000 to Hinton St George and Locality Rural Community Services Ltd (HRCS), to be repaid over 20 years, from the available capital balances and under the terms of SSDC's loans policy (with the exception that the loan is for £190,000 over 20 years).
		Reason:	To agree a loan to Hinton St George shop and Post Office to replace their current mortgage.
			(Voting: unanimous in favour)
A6	South Somerset District Council - Future Management Options	RESOLVED:	That Council agreed to: 1. Note the work carried out by the Working Group and their analysis of the options available to this council and requested that: (a) A headline business case is produced for joint working with Sedgemoor District Council and
			 (b) A similar headline business case is produced for remaining as an independent council.
			2. Request that the Working Group brings back the two headline business cases ('a' and 'b' above) in February 2016 so that Council can make a decision on which option to pursue.
			3. Approved the allocation of up to £10,000 from Unallocated General Fund Balances for external advice and independent review.
		Reason:	To update councillors on the current work to explore joint working with

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		another council and whether such an arrangement would be beneficial to the Council. (Voting: unanimous in favour)
A10	Motions	Highway planning advice
		This Motion was withdrawn.
		Heritage Strategy as part of the Local Plan
		Proposal - That Council request that the funding and the necessary resources are made available now to bring the Heritage Strategy document forward and issue a draft policy document for consultation by mid- November for return by the 4th January with the final document presented to District Executive on the 4th February 2016.
		RESOLVED: That Council did not support the Motion to bring the Heritage Strategy document forward and issue a draft policy document for consultation by mid- November for return by the 4th January with the final document presented to District Executive on the 4th February 2016. (Voting: 21 in favour of the proposed Motion, 26 against, 1 abstention)
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A2		