CITY COUNCIL

10 JUNE 2013



CABINET MINUTE 6 OF 21 MAY 2013

COMMUNITY ASSET TRANSFER POLICY: Recommendation to the City Council

The Director for Place submitted a report proposing the adoption by the City Council of the newly drafted Community Asset Transfer Policy which would give local people and community groups greater control of their area and community in the future, in accordance with the council's cooperative agenda.

The policy set out the benefits and risks to the council, the local policy context and the impacts on other council strategies, who could and how to apply for a community transfer, the basis of transfer and how the council would assess each application.

Councillor Penberthy (Cabinet Member for Cooperatives and Community Development) presented the proposals and thanked David Draffan (Assistant Director for Economic Development), James Watt (Head of Land and Property) and Paul Palmer (Principal Surveyor (Corporate Estates)) for their work.

Alternative options considered and reasons for the decision -

As set out in the report.

The City Council is Recommended to adopt the newly drafted Community Asset Transfer Policy.

Note:

The full report in connection with this minute is available on the website

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