## **CABINET MEETING**

## **12 September 2017**

## **DELEGATION REPORT**

## **DECISIONS TAKEN BY LEAD MEMBERS**

## **Cabinet Member for Homes and Customers**

Decision Record No.	Subject	Delegation Reference	Date of Decision
3/17/18	Insolvency Debts for Write Off	G100L	18 July 2017

## Decision

That the debts shown in the officer's report be written off.

## Reason for Decision

- 1. There was little or no likelihood of obtaining payment of the debts.
- 2. Any action which could be taken to recover the debts would not be cost effective.

Application for discretionary rate relief - Bumblebee Conservation Trust	HC100L	25 July 2017

## Decision

That discretionary rate relief be granted at the rate of 20% from 1 April, 2017 to the Bumblebee Conservation Trust.

#### Reason for Decision

Having assessed the application against the agreed criteria as well as the provisions of the Local Government Finance Act 1988, the application meets the criteria for discretionary rate relief. The charity's objectives are to promote, for the benefit of the public, the conservation of bumblebees, and to advance the education of the public in the conservation, protection and improvement of the natural environment.

5/17/18	Application for discretionary rate relief - The Deltic Preservation Society Ltd	HC100L	25 July 2017
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## Decision

That discretionary rate relief be granted at the rate of 20% from 1 April 2016 to the Deltic Preservation Society Ltd.

#### Reason for Decision

Having assessed the application against the agreed criteria as well as the provisions of the Local Government Finance Act 1988, the application meets the criteria for discretionary rate relief. The charity is a national charity with its main engine shed at Barrow Hill. The charity's objectives are:

- to advance the education of the public through the preservation, operation and exhibition of locomotives of historical and scientific importance especially the Deltic diesel locomotive;
- (b) to provide working exhibits of locomotives and related rolling stock for study by and for the education of the public by maintaining them in main line working order;
- (c) to promote interest in the preservation of diesel locomotives and associated equipment that is of historic and scientific value.

Decision Record No.	Subject	Delegation Reference	Date of Decision
6/17/18	Application for discretionary rate relief - Nottingham Community Housing Association	HC100L	25 July 2017

#### Decision

That application for discretionary rate relief be refused.

## Reason for Decision

It appears that the organisation should be classed as a "community organisation" which does not attract discretionary rate relief under the council's policy. Although there is no definition of a "community association" within the policy, the way in which other housing associations have been treated (they have not been awarded the 20% discretionary relief where they are entitled to the 80% mandatory relief) would indicate housing associations should be regarded in this way.

7/17/18 Application for discre rate relief - Derwent F Counselling		25 July 2017
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#### Decision

That discretionary rate relief be granted at the rate of 20% from 1 April 2016 to Derwent Rural Counselling.

#### Reason for Decision

Having assessed the application against the agreed criteria as well as the provisions of the Local Government Finance Act 1988, the application meets the criteria for discretionary rate relief. The charity is a locally based organisation providing support to local people who are suffering from depression or anxiety.

Decision Record No.	Subject	Delegation Reference	Date of Decision
8/17/18	Application for discretionary rate relief - Mental Health Concern	HC100L	25 July 2017

#### Decision

That discretionary rate relief be granted at the rate of 20% from 3 January 2017 to Mental Health Concern.

#### Reason for Decision

Having assessed the application against the agreed criteria as well as the provisions of the Local Government Finance Act 1988, the application meets the criteria for discretionary rate relief. The ratepayer is a registered charity whose objects are to promote, improve and advance health in general and mental health in particular including the prevention and treatment of mental ill health via a wide range of commissioned services, treatments and interventions, social housing and support; without distinction as to an individual's age, race, gender, sexual orientation, political, religious or other persuasion. They are contracted by the NHS to provide treatment to mentally ill people in the Chesterfield area (free of charge at the point of provision), which they do from these premises.

# **Cabinet Member for Health and Wellbeing**

Decision Record No.	Subject	Delegation Reference	Date of Decision
9/17/18	Application for Discretionary Disabled Facilities Loan Assistance (Case No. DFG1945)	H000L	19 July 2017

## Decision

That the discretionary Disabled Facilities Loan Assistance of £3,272.70 be approved based on the costs outlined in the report.

## Reason for Decision

To enable a severely disabled person to continue living independently and safely in her own home.

# **Cabinet Member for Economic Growth**

Decision Record No.	Subject	Delegation Reference	Date of Decision
10/17/18	Unit 29, The Pavements, Chesterfield	EG550L	19 July 2017

## Decision

- (1) That the ten year lease for Unit 29 The Pavements be granted on the terms outlined in the officer's report.
- (2) That the Property, Procurement and Contracts Law Manager be granted delegated authority to agree late amendments to the sale.

## Reason for Decision

The new lease will secure an income stream and improve the retail offer at the Pavements Shopping Centre.

# **Cabinet Member for Town Centres and Visitor Economy**

Decision Record No.	Subject	Delegation Reference	Date of Decision
11/17/18	Modification of off-street parking places order	E885L	3 August 2017

## Decision

- (1) That the proposed changes to the 2014 Order as outlined in the officer's report, subject to consideration of any unresolved representations by the Cabinet Member for Town Centre and Visitor Economy and following statutory consultation, be approved.
- (2) In the event that there are no unresolved representations, that the Local Government and Regulatory Law Manager be authorised to make the proposed changes to the 2014 Order.

## Reason for Decision

To ensure that the 2014 Order is modified to reflect changes to parking provision.