

OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY – CALL-IN PANEL
12 APRIL 2016
CONSIDERATION OF CALL-IN REQUEST REGARDING EXECUTIVE BOARD MINUTE NUMBER 90 – PROPOSED EXPANSION OF FERNWOOD PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL, WOLLATON
REPORT OF HEAD OF DEMOCRATIC SERVICES

1. Purpose

To consider the call-in request call-in request relating to Executive Board minute number 90 – Proposed expansion of Fernwood Primary and Nursery School, Wollaton.

2. Action required

2.1 The Committee is asked to:

- a) **consider the information provided in relation to Executive Board-report Proposed expansion of Fernwood Primary and Nursery School, Wollaton and minute 90 of Executive Board dated 22 March 2016 and the reasons given for requesting a call-in of that decision and use that information to inform questioning and discussion;**
- b) **focusing on the reasons for the call-in as given in the call-in request form, and based on the evidence from the Portfolio Holder, his supporting colleague(s), and the councillors who requested the call-in, decide to either:**
 - i) **require that the decision is reconsidered, and make recommendation(s) as to what should be taken into consideration;**
 - or**
 - ii) **agree that the decision does not need to be reconsidered and can be implemented.**

3. Background information

3.1 The Executive Board minutes were published on 22 March 2016. Councillor Sam Webster, as the decision-taker, supported by Nick Lee, Head of Access and Learning and Robert Caswell, Programme Manager as relevant colleagues, have been invited to attend the meeting to outline details of, and reasons for the decisions and answer questions from the Panel regarding this.

3.2 The call-in request form was signed by Councillors Jim Armstrong and Georgina Culley. These councillors have been invited to attend the meeting to outline the reasons for requesting the call-in and to answer questions from the Panel regarding this.

- 3.3 Focusing on the valid reasons for the call-in as given in the call-in request form, and based on the evidence from the Portfolio Holder, supporting colleagues, and the councillors who requested the call-in, the Panel needs to decide to either:
- a) require that the decisions are reconsidered, and make recommendation(s) as to what should be taken into consideration; or
 - b) agree that the decision does not need to be reconsidered and can be implemented.

In both cases, the Panel needs to provide reasons for its decision.

- 3.4 If the Panel agrees that the decision should be reconsidered it can:
- a) refer the decisions back to the Portfolio Holder for reconsideration; or
 - b) refer the decisions to full Council if it feels that the decision made is contrary to the Council's policy and/or budgetary framework.
- 3.5 In addition, the Panel can make other relevant recommendations which will be referred to the relevant Portfolio Holder, or the Executive Board for response.

4. List of attached information

4.1 None.

5. Background papers, other than published works or those disclosing exempt or confidential information

None

6. Published documents referred to in compiling this report

- 6.1 Executive Board report – Proposed expansion of Fernwood Primary and Nursery School, Wollaton, 22 March 2016.
- 6.2 Executive Board minutes 22 March 2016.

7. Wards affected

Wollaton West

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