

Urgent Executive Officer Decision Making Form For Decisions with a Value of Up to £250,000 Only to be used to record urgent decisions related to the Council's response to the Coronavirus Outbreak	
Decision Title	Grant Acceptance of BID Support from Government
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Is this entire decision Exempt from publication?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Is an appendix/ appendices to this decision exempt from publication?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
If Exempt, please select reason	<input type="checkbox"/> 1. Information relating to any individual. <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Information likely to reveal the identity of an individual. <input type="checkbox"/> 3. Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information). <input type="checkbox"/> 4. Information relating to any consultations or negotiations, or contemplated consultations or negotiations, in connection with any labour relations matter arising between the authority or a Minister of the Crown and employees of, or office holders under, the authority. <input type="checkbox"/> 5. Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings. <input type="checkbox"/> 6. Information which reveals that the authority proposes – (a) to give under any enactment a notice under or by virtue of which requirements are imposed on a person; or (b) to make an order or direction under any enactment <input type="checkbox"/> 7. Information relating to any action taken or to be taken in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime.

If Exempt please complete the Public Interest Test	Not applicable
Decision taken	To give financial approval to accept a grant of £62,786 from MHCLG, and for this money to be transferred to Nottingham BID.
Reasons for Decision	Local Authorities have been given responsibility to disseminate these funds from the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government to the Nottingham BID. The grant is being given in order to assist the BID with current Covid-19 lockdown measures and, therefore, requires an executive decision to accept the funds. The £62,786 is the calculated operational cost for three months and based on a percentage of the BID's levy operating year, ending in 2019/20.
Other Options Considered	To not accept the grant. This option was rejected as not receiving the grant would mean a loss of funding for the Nottingham BID.
Does the decision require dispensation from Contract Procedure Rules?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Input from other colleagues	
Legal	<p>Andrew James, Team Leader ✉ Andrew.James@nottinghamcity.gov.uk 04/06/2020</p> <p>This report seeks approval to accept grant funding from Government and to allocate it to the Nottingham BID. The Council must ensure that it complies with the grant funding conditions specified by Government. In particular, to ensure that it complies with the instruction that the funding should be allocated to the BID company pursuant to s43 Local Government Act 2003 as financial contributions for the purpose of enabling the projects specified in BID arrangements to be carried out. This requirement should be included in the funding conditions with the BID.</p>
Finance	<p>Chanelle Poyser, Commercial Business Partner ✉ Chanelle.Poyser@nottinghamcity.gov.uk 04/06/2020</p> <p>This decision seeks approval to receive and spend £62,800 from the MHCLG.</p> <p>Central Government has made this funding available to support the Nottingham BID to cover the equivalent of core operational costs for three months. As per the terms set out, the funding is to be delivered from Government to the relevant Local Authority to</p>

	disseminate. There are not any additional financial liabilities to the authority as a result of this decision, therefore there is very little financial risk.
Consultation with the Portfolio Holder	Not applicable
Authorised by (name and job title)	Chris Henning Corporate Director for Development and Growth
Signature (electronic is acceptable with email confirmation)	Chris Henning
Date Approved	10 June 2020
Call-in	Not subject to call-in