

Operational Decision Record

Publication Date 10/03/22	Decision Reference Number 4552
Decision Title	
Appointment of Interim Director for Housing	
Decision Value	
Up to £140,000	
Revenue or Capital Spend?	
Revenue	
Department	
Growth & City Development	
Contact Officer (Name, job title, and contact details)	
Paul Slater, HR Business Lead, 0115 87 63829	
Decision Taken	
To appoint an Interim Director of Housing for a period of up to 6 months	
Reasons for Decision and Background Information	
<p>A review of the organisations senior management structure and alignment of services is currently under consideration, which will include a review of the Council's Housing related services in light of the CIPFA review of HRA which highlighted a need to strengthen the councils housing function. The appointment of an Interim post holder will provide capacity to support the council in strengthening its housing function and deliver a technical review and recommendations on the most effective way of structuring future Housing related services, to deliver best value for Nottingham's citizens.</p>	
Other Options Considered and why these were rejected	
<p>To pause and await the review of the senior management structure. Not supported on the basis that there are a number of key, urgent tasks for a post holder to undertake prior to the review. In addition, part of the scope of the interim role will be to provide the City Council with an options appraisal around the future structure of its Housing related functions.</p>	
Reasons why this decision is classified as operational	
<p>This is a decision taken within agreed budgets and spending limits and does not involve a change or new policy. It is not a Staffing Decision as the spend does not relate to employed officers of the Council, but is the cost of bringing in an external resource (agency).</p>	

Additional Information
The position is fully funded for the duration of the Interim contract.
Decision Maker (Name and Job Title)
Sajeeda Rose, Corporate Director for Growth and City Development (Chief Officer)
Scheme of Delegation Reference Number
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Date Decision Taken
09/03/22