# **Operational Decision Record**

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#### **Decision Title**

To grant a new lease to the tenant at Unit 7 Finepoint Industrial Estate, Kidderminster, DY11 7FB on the terms as outlined in the exempt appendix.

#### **Decision Value**

See exempt appendix

### **Revenue or Capital Spend?**

Revenue

### **Department**

Growth & City Development, Strategic Assets & Property

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# **Reasons for Decision and Background Information**

By granting the new lease the Council will receive a higher rental income over a new lease term and avoid costs associated with a potential void unit. The lease renewal has been negotiated by an external agent acting on behalf of the Council. Following negotiations acceptable lease terms have been agreed between the parties at market rental level.

# Other Options Considered and why these were rejected

Not to proceed with the lease renewal and terminate the existing agreement to enable for re-letting - This option was rejected as, satisfactory terms have been agreed with the tenant at market rental value providing an uninterrupted income stream, mitigating potential void costs and contributing towards the Council's revenue targets.

# Reasons why this decision is classified as operational

As it is below £250,000 the property is an income generating commercial asset.

#### **Additional Information**

An appendix (or appendices) to this decision is exempt from publication under the following paragraph(s) of Schedule 12A of the Local

Government Act 1972

The public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information because it contains property sensitive negotiations that if released into the public domain could prejudice future negotiations.

Those consulted are not directly affected by this decision.

There are no crime or disorder implications within this decision.

EIA is not required; Reasons: EIA not required. Reasons: This is not a new or changing policy, service or function. The decision adheres to all Council Equality policies.

## **Decision Maker (Name and Job Title)**

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Director of Economic Development and Property

### **Scheme of Delegation Reference Number**

237 - Council owned Land and Property – grant of tenancies and leases

#### **Date Decision Taken**

14/07/2023