

# Nottingham City Council Delegated Decision



**Nottingham**  
**City Council**

**Reference Number:** 2954  
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**Subject:** Good to Great review

**Total Value:** £645,000 (Type: Revenue)

**Decision Being Taken:** To agree ongoing investment on the themes identified within the appendix for 2017/18 and to delegate authority to the Directors of Economic Development, Sport and Culture and Community Protection to manage and procure investment as detailed in the appendix in consultation with the relevant Portfolio Holders.

**Reasons for the Decision(s)** The Good to Great programme identified key new initiatives to augment our steady state Council Plan activity/targets. A measured programme of investment was agreed for three years initially which succeeded in achieving notable outputs. Due to considerable budget pressures the amount of ongoing funding beyond the three years has had to be carefully considered. It is proposed to continue activity as detailed in the appendix for one year with decisions for the future taken on a year by year basis.

**Other Options Considered:** To not continue with the themes as outlined in this decision. This would not allow us to build on the success of the investment already made, therefore this was discounted.

**Background Papers:**

**Published Works:**

**Affected Wards:** Citywide

**Colleague / Councillor Interests:**

**Any Information Exempt from publication:** Yes

**Exempt Information:**

**Description of what is exempt:** Financial information is exempt.

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

**3 - Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).**

The public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information because it contains financial information that could prejudice the Council's position in contractual negotiations.

**Documents exempt from publication:**

G2G appendix 1718 amended GCh.docx

**Consultations:** Those not consulted are not directly affected by the decision.

**Crime and Disorder Implications:**

None.

**Equality:** EIA not required. Reasons: This decision does not relate to new or changing policies, services or functions.

**Decision Type:** Portfolio Holder

**Subject to Call In:** Yes

**Call In Expiry date:** 02/10/2017

**Advice Sought:** Legal, Finance

**Legal Advice:** The are no immediate legal implications arising from this report. However, legal advice should be sought as appropriate, as individual initiatives, as identified in the report, are progressed. Advice provided by Sarah Molyneux (Legal Services Manager) on 24/04/2017.

**Finance Advice:** The £0.645m funding for Good to Great has been discussed with Executive Members and agreement has been reached to fund the initiatives listed in the attached document for 2017/18 only. The money will come from reserves as required by the individual schemes. Advice provided by Susan Tytherleigh (Senior Finance Manager) on 27/02/2017.

**Signatures**

Jon Collins (Leader & PH Strategic Infrastructure & Comms)
SIGNED and Dated: 22/09/2017
David Bishop (Deputy CE, CD for Development and Growth)
SIGNED and Dated: 15/09/2017