

Promoting City, Coast & Countryside EXECUTIVE DECISIONS TAKEN BY CABINET PORTFOLIO HOLDER OR DELEGATED OFFICER NOTICE OF DECISION

TITLE OF DECISION: Rural England Prosperity Fund (REPF) Round 1 award: SRC6
 ACTIVE TRAVEL AND SRC2 INVESTMENT IN CAPACITY BUILDING AND INFRASTRUCTURE
 SUPPORT

NAME OF DECISION TAKER:	COUNCILLOR GINA DOWDING
POSITION AND RESPONSIBILITY HELD:	CABINET MEMBER AND PORTFOLIO HOLDER: CLIMATE ACTION
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Details of Decision:

To delegate the Chief Executive to finalise and agree an award of Rural England Prosperity Fund (REPF) funds in respect of Intervention SRC6 and SRC2 as set out in the council's REPF addendum and within the parameters of the UKSPF change control process, to deliver the projects Caton Health Centre: Cycle Scheme and Fraser Village Hall.

Reasons for the decision:

The Lancaster district has been allocated £500,075 by the Department for Food, Environment and Rural Affairs (DEFRA) through the Rural England Prosperity Fund (REPF). The REPF complements the UK Shared Prosperity Fund (UKSPF) in rural areas from April 2023-March 2025.

Implementing the REPF requires the council to allocate funds to a range of projects which will deliver on the outcomes and outputs set out in the REPF addendum. This initial allocation in respect of Interventions SRC6 and SRC2 will enable the projects to commence delivery and begin creating positive local impact.

IS THE DECISION URGENT NO.

I confirm that I have taken account of the options proposed by officers, the various implications set out in the report and the comments of the Monitoring and Section 151 Officers and am authorising the decision as set out above.

SIGNATURE OF DECISION TAKER:		Cllr Gina	Dowding				
DATE:		15.9.23					
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