Decision Register Entry

Single Member Cabinet Decision

Executive Forward Plan Reference

E2878

Ubley CofE Primary School – Basic Need Expansion

Decision maker/s	Cllr Michael Evans, Cabinet Member for Children's Services
The Issue	Pupil numbers at Ubley CofE Primary School have been increasing due to underlying population growth and some local housing development. An additional classroom is required to accommodate existing and projected future pupil numbers.
Decision Date	29/06/2016
The decision	The Cabinet Member agrees to approve a capital budget of £329,000 from the 2016-17 Basic Need Capital Programme to provide permanent additional accommodation at Ubley CofE Primary School.
Rationale for decision	To meet the Council's legal responsibility for pupil place planning in its area
	To aid parental preference as stated in the Council's School Organisation Plan and to facilitate sustainable methods of transport to school and keep home to school transport costs to a minimum.
Financial and budget implications	Provisional approval of £2.605m unallocated funding was agreed in the Council's 2016-17 Budget Report for emerging basic need schemes, the project at Ubley CofE Primary school is such a scheme. There are no revenue implications.
Issues considered (these are covered in more detail in the report)	Social Inclusion; Sustainability; Property; Young People; Impact on Staff; Other Legal Considerations.
Consultation undertaken	Ward Councillor; Cabinet colleagues; Parish Council; Staff; Other B&NES Services; Service Users; Local Residents; Stakeholders/Partners; Section 151 Finance Officer; Monitoring Officer.
How consultation was carried out	Information event held at Ubley Village on 06/06/2016 where plans were shown and comments invited. PID was presented to and approved by Divisional Directors, Section 151 Finance officer and Monitoring Officer on 24/05/2016.
Other options considered	Transportation of pupils to schools outside of the village.
Declaration of interest by Cabinet Member(s) for	

decision, including any dispensation granted:	
Any conflict of interest declared by anyone who is consulted by a Member taking the decision:	

Signatures of Decision Makers	Non
Date of Signature	06/07/2016

Subject to Call-in until 5 Working days have elapsed following publication of the decision