## Cabinet Single-Member Decisions and Responses to Recommendations from PDS Panels

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## **Energy Services: Local Energy Tariff**

There is an immediate opportunity to work in partnership to create a local energy tariff backed by the Council. The local energy (electricity and gas) tariff project has the potential to benefit local residents and the Council through: retaining economic benefits locally, supporting delivery of local environmental targets, creating a platform to tackle fuel poverty over time, and generating a concession fee for the Council that will, at minimum, cover marketing costs.

**Decision Maker: Leader of the Council** 

Decision published: 09/11/2017

**Effective from: 17/11/2017** 

**Decision:** 

The Cabinet Members agree to confirm agreement to the delegated authority (Strategic Director - Resources) to award the contract to the preferred bidder for the local energy tariff project, in line with the Council's Contract Standing Orders, following the completion of market testing and a thorough procurement dialogue process, which has tested the issues raised by Cabinet members.

Lead officer: Jane Wildblood

## **Pre-application charging schedule changes**

Pre-application advice is provided on a fixed fee cost recovery basis. The current fees were set in May 2016. A fee review has been undertaken to make the charges fairer based on the time taken to provide advice.

**Decision Maker: Cabinet Member - Development and Neighbourhoods** 

Decision published: 30/10/2017

**Effective from: 07/11/2017** 

**Decision:** 

The Cabinet Member agrees that changes to the pre-application charging schedule to revise categorisation, increase fees and introduce a new fee service level can be made.

Lead officer: Sarah James