

# CABINET MEMBER DECISION NOTICE

11 November, 2019



## *Cabinet Member Decision on this Notice*

### **Sundry Debtor – Request for Write Off**

**The Cabinet Member for Finance and Resources has taken the following decision:**

#### **SUNDRY DEBTOR – REQUEST FOR WRITE OFF (NOVEMBER 2019)**

**(a) Decision(s)**

To write-off 55 debts, totalling £297,679.30, against the appropriate bad debt provision in accordance with standing orders. Further details as per the report published on 4 November 2019.

**(b) Reason(s) for decision(s)**

Member approval is required to write-off debts in excess of £5,000. Due to the current workload of the Interim Head of Paid Service, who is also the Section 151 Officer, the Cabinet Member has agreed on a temporary basis to also deal with the write off of debts in excess of £1,000.

**(c) Alternative options considered**

To not write-off the debt, however continued recovery is unlikely to result in payment of these debts.

**(d) Conflicts of Interest / Dispensation(s)**

None.

#### **CALL IN TIMESCALE**

Any requests for call in must be received by the Democratic Manager by 5.00 pm on 18 November 2019. The request must be made by the Chairman or any 3 Members of the Finance and Services Scrutiny Committee.

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