

# Decision Schedule



## Cabinet Member for Community & Resources

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### TO ALL MEMBERS OF NEWPORT CITY COUNCIL

#### Decision Schedule published on 20 September 2019

The Cabinet Member took the following decision on 20 September 2019. It will become effective at Noon on 27 September 2019 with the exception of any particular decision, which is the subject of a valid "call-in".

The deadline for submission of a 'Call-in' request form is 4.00 pm on 30 September 2109.

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#### C&R 06/19

#### Families First Programme

#### Options Considered/Reasons for Decision

This report proposed that the contracts for the strands named below were extended until 31 March 2020. This extension was outside of the contract terms and was not in compliance with Contract Standing Orders but would allow the Council to implement the flexible funding arrangements for Families First under the new Children and Communities Grant. The Wavehill review of the Programme would be completed and the outputs/outcomes required for Flexible Funding (Children and Communities Grant) should be received which would lead to a procurement and recommissioning exercise for Families First services required within the City by March 31 2020.

#### Decision

To approve the waiving of Contract Standing Orders to extend the Families First contracts with the organisations named below until March 31 2020 to allow for the procurement and recommissioning of new projects which will go live April 1 2020.

#### Consultation

Head of Law & Regulation, Head of People & Business Change and Head of Finance

All members were consulted and provided with an opportunity to comment. Any comments received and response thereafter are set out in the report.

**Implemented By: Head of Regeneration Investment & Housing**

**Implementation Timetable: Immediate**

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COUNCILLOR D MAYER, CABINET MEMBER FOR COMMUNITY AND RESOURCES

20 September 2019

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