

CABINET MEMBER DECISION

Decision:

Downs Way Infant School, Oxted

(i) Details of decision

The Cabinet Member for Business Services and Resident Experience approved the business case for the provision of additional 0.5 form of entry (45 places) for Downs Way Infant School, Oxted following considerations of the financial details and recommendations outlined in the Part 2 report.

(ii) Reasons for decision

The proposal supports the Authority's statutory obligation to provide sufficient school places relative to demand. There is an increasing demand for primary school places in Oxted and Limpsfield, which reflects a rise in the primary-age population over recent years. In order to meet this demand, there is a need to expand school capacity in the area. The proposal to expand the capacity of Downs Way School by 0.5 FE is a core element of Surrey County Council's (SCC) strategy in this respect.

(iii) Details of any alternative options considered and rejected

None

(iv) Details of any consultation and representations received not included in the published report

The Cabinet Member confirmed that they had consulted on the report and its recommendations with the Schools and Program Manager and the Cabinet Member for Schools, Skills and Educational Achievement.

Conflicts of Interest and any Dispensations Granted

(Any conflict of interest declared by any other Cabinet Member consulted in relation to the decision to be recorded and any dispensations granted by the Audit and Governance Committee)

None

Decision taken by:

- (i) Name:** Denise Le Gal
- (ii) Portfolio:** Cabinet Member for Business Services and Resident Experience

Date of Decision: 04 May 2016

Date of Publication of Record of Decision: 04 May 2016

Date decision effective (i.e. 5 working days after date of publication of record of decision unless subject to call-in by the Council Overview Board): 12 May 2016