

## **CABINET MEMBER DECISION**

### **Decision:**

Petitions

**(i) Details of decision**

That the response, attached to this decision sheet as Appendix 1, be approved.

**(ii) Reasons for decision**

To respond to the petition.

**(iii) Details of any alternative options considered and rejected**

None

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

None

### **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:** Clare Curran and Tim Oliver

**(ii) Portfolio:** Cabinet Member for Children and Cabinet Member for Property and Business Services

**Date of Decision:** 08 May 2018

**Date of Publication of Record of Decision:** 09 May 2018

**Date decision effective (This decision cannot be called in):** 09 May 2018

## APPENDIX 1

**Cabinet Member for Children and Cabinet Member for Property and Business Services**  
8 May 2018

**'Help us rebuild our youth centre.**

**On 2 January 2018 Lakers Youth Centre was severely damaged due to a fire. This was a well-used and liked youth centre and accessed by many young people from across Woking. Please support us with our petition'**

Submitted by: Sandie Bolger  
Signatures: 113

**Response:**

The Council fully recognises the importance that these community buildings play in generating and providing a social engagement area for encouragement and support to communities. We thank the supporters of this petition which continues to highlight and raise to us as Members the wider role the Council has in supporting local residents.

We are able to advise that there is an ongoing review and establishment of a wider council business case to identify what the potential options are for this site and that working in conjunction with key stakeholders the Council will move swiftly forward with a decision around what the future provision could look like.

**Tim Oliver**  
**Cabinet Member for Property and Business Services**  
**8 May 2018**

**Clare Curran**  
**Cabinet Member for Children**  
**8 May 2018**