

DECISION TAKER: Cabinet Member for Business and Culture, Councillor Lucille Thompson

REPORT TITLE: PUBLIC ART PLAN FOR WEST OF WATERLOOVILLE

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WARD(S): DENMEAD/SOUTHWICK & WICKHAM

DECISION:

1. That the West Waterlooville Public Art Plan (2024) and the implementation of phase one of the proposed work to be completed in 2024-25 / 2025-26 as set out in the Plan, be approved.
2. That authority be delegated to the Corporate Head of Service: Economy & Communities to incur expenditure of up to £169,998 Section 106 contributions to fund phase one of the proposed work as outlined in the Plan.
3. That an exception to Contract Procedure Rules to contract additional support from the appointed consultants Studio Response, be approved.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

The report outlines the renewed plan for Public Art at West of Waterlooville. The Plan includes an overview of the work done to date, the findings of consultation and strategic vision and objectives for the next ten years. The Plan also proposes a phase one programme of work for the first one to two years, which will be used to inform future phases.

OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED

- 1 A pre-selected programme of Public Art could be deployed in a 'top-down' manner, but this would have little significance to the residents and might not meet the community and wellbeing elements of the Section 106 obligation.

2 Consideration was given to the council delivering the programme from existing teams. However, the limited resources available do not allow for this.

DECLARATION OF INTEREST

None

DISPENSATION GRANTED BY CHIEF EXECUTIVE:

None

APPROVED BY: Lucille Thompson

DATE: 11.09.2024

**Councillor Lucille Thompson– Cabinet Member for Business and Culture**

APPENDICES

Appendix 1 West Waterlooville Public Art Plan (2024)

Appendix 2 West Waterlooville Case Studies for Public Art