

CORPORATE POLICY AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE MEETING

TUESDAY 23 March 2021

No	Item	Summary of Key Recommendations
1.	Apologies	<i>Note</i>
2.	Declarations of Interest	<i>Alderman Baird</i>
3.	Minutes of Meeting held Tuesday 23 February 202	<i>Confirm</i>
4	Performance Improvement Update	<i>Note</i>
5.	Procurement Policy	<i>Adopt new Procurement Policy</i>
6.	Prompt Payment Statistics	<i>Note</i>
7.	Scheme of Allowances	<i>Note</i>
8.	Review of Funding Model for District Registration Offices	<i>Note</i>
9.	Conferences	<i>Nil</i>

10.	Correspondence	
10.1	National Association of Councillors, 2 nd March 2021	<i>Recommend payment of the Annual Membership for the period 2021/22 of £3,200.</i>
10.2	Office of the Local Government Boundaries Commissioner, 2 nd March 2021 - Local Government Boundaries Review	<i>Recommend Council avail of the virtual information session on the Local Government Boundaries review</i>
11.	Consultations	<i>Nil</i>
12.	Matters for Reporting to Partnership Panel	<i>Nil</i>
13.	<p>Notice of Motion proposed by Councillor Beattie, seconded by Councillor Schenning, referred from 2nd March 2021 Council Meeting</p> <p><i>Student Support - The covid – 19 pandemic has affected all citizens and that the impact on our young people has been severe. This Council recognises the difficulties faced by those young people in full – time third level education, both at universities and further education colleges, who, because of restrictions, are unable to attend classes in person or live in student accommodation which they have paid for. This Council recognises that many university students have found themselves suffering financial hardship which has caused significant distress and led to poor mental health. This Council calls on university accommodation providers and private landlords who have not provided rent waivers to do immediately and</i></p>	<i>Support Notice of Motion</i>

	<i>calls on the Department for the Economy and Department of Finance to develop and fund a Student Support Grant for all full time third level students, many of whom cannot gain any employment at this time and are unable to claim benefits.</i>	
	In Committee (Items 14-16 inclusive)	
14.	Debt Management	<i>Recommend that Council approve the write-off as set out above</i>
15.	Minutes of Land and Property Sub-Committee Meeting held Wednesday 3 March 2021	<i>Approve Minutes</i>
16.	Redundancy Payment	<i>Recommend that Council approves the related redundancy payments</i>
17.	Any Other Relevant Business (notified in accordance with Standing Order 12 (o))	
	(i) That Council consults with Residents & Key groups within the Portstewart area to ascertain the needs of the community going forward” (Alderman Fielding)	<i>Referred to Leisure and Development Committee for consideration</i>