CABINET – 2 FEBRUARY 2016

PORTFOLIOS:

DELEGATION OF POWERS TO OFFICERS

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The Council operates an extensive scheme of delegation of powers to officers to allow routine business to be completed in a timely and efficient manner. The scheme of delegation of powers to officers needs to be updated to reflect new legislation with respect to anti-social behaviour; and also to respond to the need to revise arrangements for making decisions (including reviews) on community nominations of community assets to be included on the List of Assets of Community Value, following the recent changes to the senior management structure. It would also be helpful to widen the pool of officers authorised to take action under the Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994 to remove unauthorised campers.
- 1.2 The changes to the scheme of delegation of powers are to ensure officers have the necessary delegations to allow them to legally undertake their roles. The new
- # delegations are set out in Appendix 1 to this report.

2. CRIME AND DISORDER, EQUALITY AND FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

2.1 The amendments to the delegation with respect to anti-social behaviour will enhance this authority's ability to respond, in conjunction with other bodies. There are no other implications arising directly from this report.

3. RECOMMENDED

3.1 That the delegation of powers to the officers are agreed.

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APPENDIX 1

Please note: Deletions are shown struck through, additions are shown in bold italics.

AMENDMENT TO EXISTING DELEGATION WITH RESPECT TO COMMUNITY ASSETS.

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Localism Act 2011 Sections 87 – 108 and The Assets of Community Value (England) Regulations 2012 To authorise an Executive
Director to make decisions on
community nominations of
community assets to be included
on the List of Assets of
Community Value and to
determine applications for
compensation (and to deal with all
consequential administrative
matters arising from such
decisions).

Executive Director
Executive Head

Cabinet 54 of 16/1/13

To authorise the Chief Executive to-make decisions in respect of internal reviews following a decision to list a community asset and decisions in respect of compensation (and to deal with all consequential administrative matters arising from such decisions)

Chief Executive, or an Executive Head who was not involved in the original decision.

AMENDMENTS TO TAKE ACCOUNT OF THE ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOUR, CRIME AND POLICING ACT 2014.

Hsg & Com 6

Crime and Disorder Act 1998, s.1

To apply for an Anti-Social Behaviour Order

Head of Legal and Democratic Services, or Solicitors, or Employed Barrister, in Cabinet 45. of 7/08/02 Cabinet

consultation with Executive 42. of 4/08/04 Director, or Head of Public Health Cabinet and Community Safety, or Head 117. of 2/02/05 of Housing and Customer

Hsg and Com 6

Antisocial Behaviour. Crime and Policing Act 2014

action and exercise all of the Council's powers under Parts 1, 2, 4 and 6 of the Act.

(Note: applications to the Courts only to be made in consultation with the Executive Head (Governance and Regulations), or employed Barrister, or Solicitor.

To take all necessary action including the issue of notices, remedial and enforcement action as set out in Part 4 Chapter 1 and sections 63 and 68 of Part 4 Chapter 2.

Landlord Services Manager, or Housing Estates Manager, or **Neighbourhood and Tenancy** Management Officer, or Environmental Health Manager, or Senior Environmental Health Officer, or Environmental Health Officer. or Environmental Health Technician, or Dog Warden, or Community Safety Manager, or Community Safety Co-Ordinator, or Partnership Intervention Officer, or Licensing Enforcement Officer.

Services, in consultation with the

Chief Executive, or Executive

Head, or Employed Barrister, or

Chief Officer Hampshire

Constabulary

Solicitor.

To take all necessary

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Antisocial Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 To enter premises for the purposes of the Act and to serve notices

Landlord Services Manager, or Housing Estates Manager, or Neighbourhood and Tenancy Management Officer, or Environmental Health Manager, or Senior Environmental Health Officer, or Environmental Health Officer, or Environmental Health Technician, or Dog Warden, or Community Safety Manager, or Community Safety Co-Ordinator, or Partnership Intervention Officer, or Licensing Enforcement Officer.

AMENDMENT TO DELEGATION WITH RESPECT TO UNAUTHORISED CAMPERS.

Hsg & Com 1

Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994 s.77, s.78 and s.79 To issue directions and to serve notices for unauthorised campers to leave land

Head of Public Health and
Community Safety, or Executive
Head; Environmental Health
Manager, or Senior
Environmental Health Officers, or
Environmental Health Officers, or
Community Safety Manager, or
Community Safety CoOrdinator, or Environmental
Health Officer, or Landlord
Services Manager, or Housing
Estates Manager, or
Neighbourhood and Tenancy
Management Officer

Cabinet 201. of 8/04/02 Cabinet 8. of 4/06/03