Officer Executive Decisions

Title: Medway Archives and Local Studies - Relocation

Delegation from Leader and Cabinet and date: The Cabinet considered a report on 10 February 2015 regarding options considered for the relocation of the Medway Archives and Local Studies Centre, from its current location in Annex B on the former Civic Centre Site in Strood together, with the background to the rationale for the relocation. The Cabinet made the following decisions:

21/2015 The Cabinet approved Strood Library (Bryant Road) as the preferred new location for Medway Archives & Local Studies and recommended to Full Council the addition of the scheme to the capital programme.

22/2015 The Cabinet agreed to delegate authority to the Director of Regeneration, Community and Culture, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Housing and Community Services, to undertake further research and secure agreement on a proposed name for the Archives.

The report can be viewed online: https://democracy.medway.gov.uk/mglssueHistoryHome.aspx?IId=13866

Decision: The Director of Regeneration, Culture, Environment and Transformation, in consultation with the Deputy Leader and Portfolio Holder for Housing and Community Services and the Portfolio Holder for Planning, Economic Growth and Regulation, made the decision to call the new location "Medway Archives Centre".

Reasons for Decision: The decision was taken following consideration of alternatives for the name of the new location.

Date of Decision: 20 April 2017

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Details of any other options considered and rejected: None

Conflicts of Interest: None