

Officer Executive Decisions

Medway Cultural Strategy 2020-2030

Delegation from Leader and Cabinet and date

On 12 January 2021 the Cabinet considered a report which provided details of the Medway Cultural Strategy 2020-2030. The report stated that this was a ten-year Medway-wide partnership strategy. It was a shared ambition for the future, built on extensive engagement across Medway and demonstrated how important culture was to Medway's future, enabling everyone to have the opportunity to take part in, or contribute to cultural life. The Cabinet agreed to delegate authority to the Director of Place and Deputy Chief Executive in consultation with the Deputy Leader and Portfolio Holder for Housing and Community Services to contribute to the development of and agree the terms of reference of the Creative Medway Compact when appropriate on behalf of the Council as a partner to it (decision no. 3/2021). (See appendix 1)

The report may be found on the [Council's website](#).

Decision

In accordance with the delegation from the Cabinet, the terms of reference of the Creative Medway Compact have been developed and agreed.

Reasons for Decision

Only in becoming a committed partner can the Council fully participate and contribute to the delivery of the strategy and governance model, enabling us to embed culture within our priorities, securing Medway's cultural and creative landscape for present and for future generations.

Date of Decision

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Details of any other options considered and rejected

None

Conflicts of Interest

None