

Birmingham City Council

S151 Spending Control Board Decisions

Directorate: Strategy, Equalities and Partnerships
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Subject	Section 151 Spending Control Board Decisions
Authorising Officer	Fiona Greenway, S151 Officer
Directorate	Place, Prosperity, and Sustainability
Dates covered	23 – 29 March 2024

The Council is prevented, without explicit agreement of the Section 151 Officer, from entering into any new agreement or commitment for expenditure until Full Council has met to consider the Section 114 report. These controls may be re-applied after the date of this Full Council meeting.

The existing scheme of Financial Delegation is superseded by the S114 notice. Only the Section 151 Officer can sign off new spend. This applies to new spend of any value.

Relative to existing spending controls in place across the organisation, this means that Directorate Spending Boards (and the Finance Governance Board) do not have the authority to approve new spending. These Boards can recommend spending to the Section 151 Officer only – to be approved via the S151 Spend Control Board.

The spend decisions captured within this document outline the discussions and conclusions made via the S151 Spend Control Board.

Decisions

ID	Title of Spend Request	S151 Spend Control Board Outcome	Date of S151 Spend Control Board	Assistant Director or Director	Amount requested	Notes
5840	LG Inform subscription renewal	Approve	25/03/2024	Sal Naseem	£ 3,995.00	Approved - Benchmarking for future delivery savings