

**Reports not on the Forward Plan / Late Report / Confidential or
Exempt Information not Notified**

Birmingham City Council

[13 December 2022]



Subject:	USE OF HOUSEHOLD SUPPORT FUND
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1) Key Decisions not on the Forward Plan / Urgent Decisions

To be completed for Key Decisions not on the Forward Plan 28 days before the Cabinet meeting at which the decision is to be taken.

<i>Reasons for Urgency / why not included on the notification</i>	The Household Support Fund seeks to help vulnerable households across the three groups (all age, pension age and families with children) with essentials. These include costs relating to energy, food and water, and wider essentials. This grant provides crisis relief. This urgent decision request is in response to the urgent need to deploy and mobilise funding into Birmingham schools and nurseries to value of circa £600K for distribution to families with children prior to the December-January school holidays. This consideration requires immediate implementation protocol, as observation of the five-day standstill period following December Cabinet agreement to proceed, would negate opportunities to mobilise the deployment via schools before the end of term on 16 December 2022.
<i>Date Chief Executive Agreement obtained:</i>	8 th December 2022
<i>Name, Date and any comments of O&S Chair agreement obtained:</i>	Councillor Mick Brown - Health & Social Care O&S Committee - 12 th December 2022 Cllr Kerry Jenkins - Education & Children's Social Care O&S Committee – 12 th December 2022

	Cllr Akhlaq Ahmed – Resources O&S Committee – 12 th December 2022
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2) Key Decisions not notified on the Notification of Intention to Consider Matters in Private

To be completed for Key Decisions not on the Forward Plan 28 days before the Cabinet meeting at which the decision is to be taken.

<i>Reasons for Urgency / why not included on the notification</i>	NA
<i>Name, Date and any comments of O&S Chair agreement obtained:</i>	

3) Late Reports

To be completed for all late reports, i.e. which cannot be despatched with the agenda papers i.e. 5 clear working days' notice before meeting.

<i>Reasons for Urgency / why late</i>	Please refer to section 1
<i>Date agreement obtained (Executive e.g. Leader and/or CEX):</i>	8 December 2022