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APPENDIX 1

Local Innovation Fund – Options for Transition Year 2016/17

"DOING THINGS DIFFERENTLY IN NEIGHBOURHOODS"

LOCAL INNOVATION IN WARDS

- Allocation £1.92M
- Universal allocation to every ward - £48K
- Emphasis must be on doing things differently - partnership, collaboration and active citizenship – local impact and outcomes
- Local Commissioning and Procurement based on Innovative local suggestions including those coming from current Ward Plans, Neighbourhood Challenges, District Community Plans and Conventions
- Proposals developed at ward meetings/ forums with local citizens – with all 3 Cllrs needing to agree on proposals
- Constitution Delegation –
 Cabinet Committee Local Leadership

LOCAL INNOVATION FUND

- Amount £2M annual allocation
- Targeted Fund Emphasis on Investment rather than grant
- Better Deal for Neighbourhoods and Every Place Matters
- DOING THINGS DIFFERENTLY
- Innovation through LOCAL interventions – Asset based approach with early intervention and prevention, strengthening community infrastructure, experimenting & learning and sustainability
- Active Citizenship and Social Entrepreneurship
- Basket of priority criteria for spend
- Autumn of Innovation Democracy Week

LOCAL INNOVATION SUPPORT

- Allocation £80K Neighbourhoods and
 Communities Division Local
 Community Governance and
 Support Team
- Need capacity to deliver
- To Co-ordinate the Programme, Support Commissioning Process and maximise external funding opportunities