Time began 10.00am Time ended 10.08am

## Leisure and Culture Council Cabinet Member Meeting 21 August 2014

Present: Councillor Martin

In Attendance: Councillor Wood

01/14 Apologies

There were no apologies.

02/14 Late Items

There were no late items.

03/14 Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations.

## 04/14 Leisure Pricing Review

The Director of Leisure and Culture presented a report of the Strategic Director of Neighbourhoods which detailed a proposed leisure pricing structure and charges for venues across Derby, including the new Derby Arena. It was proposed that the structure be implemented from 1 October 2014.

The pricing review and proposals covered a range of activities including pay-as-youplay activities, learn to swim and education swimming, sports centre hire, coaching courses, children's activities, fitness memberships, leisure cards, track cycling and events.

It was reported that in developing the proposals, a number of principles had been adhered to which included introducing a discounted pricing scheme for Derby residents and one for Derby sports clubs, adopting a consistent approach to discounting and ensuring that concessionary charges were based on ability to pay rather than time of visit. Benchmarking had also been undertaken. Members endorsed the approaches that had been taken in bringing together the proposed pricing structure.

## Resolved:

- 1. To approve the key principles underpinning the revised leisure pricing structure and price proposals;
- 2. To approve the proposed changes to the leisure pricing structure and charges and implementation from 1 October 2014;
- 3. To approve the proposed prices for the new Derby Arena; and

4. To approve that leisure prices for activities can be reviewed and changed in addition to the annual inflation increase as part of regular inyear programme reviews, with the approval of the Council Cabinet member.

MINUTES END