

CONFIRMATION OF A DECISION OF AN OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY CHAIR TO AGREE THAT A MATTER BE CONSIDERED IN PRIVATE SESSION WITHOUT 28 DAYS NOTICE OF THAT INTENTION BEING PROVIDED

DECISION NOTICE

1. Meeting

Council Cabinet 6 November 2013

2. Matter to be considered in private

Approval of Our City Our River Business Case

3. Reasons for proposing to consider the matter in private session

The report includes information which is commercially sensitive and which may potentially prejudice the council's negotiating position and is therefore exempt under paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972. Furthermore, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

4. Reason for notice not being given of this intention 28 days prior to the meeting taking place

It was originally anticipated that the report would not contain the commercially sensitive information and when this became known, the deadline for giving notice had already passed.

It was recommended to Councillor Margaret Redfern, Chair of the Corporate Scrutiny and Climate Change Overview and Scrutiny Board, that this matter be considered in private session. This was agreed by Councillor Redfern on 18 October 2013.

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