



# DECISION NOTICE

<b>Committee:</b>	<b>Community &amp; Resources</b>
<b>Date of Meeting</b>	<b>6 March, 2023</b>
<b>Date of Decision Notice</b>	<b>7 March, 2023</b>

The following decisions made at the above Committee will come into force (unless marked as an Urgent Decision) on the expiry of five working days from the publication of this Notice if not called-in by the Overview & Scrutiny Committee.

Unless the Overview & Scrutiny Committee decides to refer a called-in decision either back to the relevant Committee or to Council, the decision will come into force (a) on the expiry of the five working day deadline for the Overview & Scrutiny Committee to meet to discuss the call-in or (b) on the date of the Overview & Scrutiny meeting if it is decided not to refer the decision further.

# **Community & Resources**

**6 March, 2023**

## **PART I**

### **Notice of Motion - Discretionary Business Rate Relief Parish Halls**

Resolved:

- That the Notice of Motion from Full Council be rejected and the removal of the discretionary rate relief for Parish Halls is not reinstated.
- In line with statutory regulations pertaining to discretionary business rate relief, the Council will prior to the 1st April 2023 communicate to all affected business rate customers, its intention to potentially review its current discretionary business rates policy from the 1st April 2024.

### **Bideford Regeneration Strategy**

Resolved:

That the Bideford Regeneration Strategy be adopted.

## **PART II**

### **Non-Recoverable Debts**

Resolved:

That the recommendation to write off the debts listed in Part 1 of the report be approved.