

# PROPERTY SUB-COMMITTEE

Minute of meeting of the Property Sub-Committee of the Strategic Policy and Resources Committee held in the Council Chambers, Ground Floor, Council Building, 2 High Street, Perth on Monday 16 April 2018 at 10.00am.

Present: Councillors M Lyle, B Band, P Barrett, D Doogan, G Laing, R McCall and C Stewart.

In Attendance: S Crawford, T Flanagan, G Key and K Lear (all Housing and Environment); G Boland (Education and Children's Services); C Flynn, G Fogg and C Irons (all Corporate and Democratic Services).

Councillor M Lyle, Presiding

## 1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES

The Convener welcomed all those present to the meeting. There were no apologies.

## 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest In terms of the Councillors' Code of Conduct.

## 3. MINUTES

- (i) The minute of meeting of the Property Sub-Committee of 26 February 2018 was submitted and approved as a correct record.
- (ii) The minute of meeting of the Special Property Sub-Committee of 14 March 2018 was submitted and approved as a correct record.

## 4. APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CONVENER

Councillor M Lyle seconded by Councillor R McCall, nominated Councillor P Barrett for the position of Vice-Convener of the Sub-Committee.

Councillor P Barrett was unanimously elected as Vice-Convener of the Sub-Committee.

## 5. SCHOOL ESTATE PROGRAMME PROGRESS UPDATE

There was submitted a report by the Executive Director (Education and Children's Services) (18/130) (1) updating the Committee on the progress and proposals for delivering the current school projects within the Education and Children's Services School Estate Programme, (2) detailing key milestones which had been achieved and (3) detailing future projects.

### **Resolved:**

- (i) The significant milestones achieved since the report to the Sub-Committee on 25 October 2017, be noted.

- (ii) The forward planning, as detailed in paragraphs 4.1 to 4.4 of Report 18/130, be noted.

## **6. ENERGY CONSUMPTION IN COUNCIL BUILDINGS**

There was submitted a report by the Executive Director (Housing and Environment) (18/131 - Revised) with regard to energy consumption within the Property Estate, taking account of management initiatives and monitoring arrangements in place to deliver energy reduction and cost savings.

### **Resolved:**

- (i) The efforts of the energy and engineering team in reducing energy consumption within the property estate, be noted.
- (ii) It be noted that the opportunity for future energy savings will become more challenging as the overall property estate was made more efficient through upgrade and refurbishment programmes.
- (iii) The Executive Director (Housing and Environment) be requested to submit a report to the sub-committee on the energy consumption within the property estate in a year's time.

**IT WAS AGREED THAT THE PUBLIC AND PRESS SHOULD BE EXCLUDED DURING CONSIDERATION OF THE FOLLOWING ITEM IN ORDER TO AVOID THE DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION WHICH IS EXEMPT IN TERMS OF SCHEDULE 7A TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (SCOTLAND) ACT 1973**

## **P1. PROPOSAL FOR 2 LEASES IN AND 1 LEASE OUT AT BROXDEN, PERTH**

There was submitted a report by the Executive Director (Housing and Environment) (18/132) seeking approval to (1) lease in land for a Solar Array and also for the installation and operation of a Hydrogen Dispensing Station and (2) lease out car parking spaces at Broxden Park and Ride to Tesla Motors Limited for electrical vehicle charging stations.

### **Resolved:**

- (i) A long ground lease from the John Dewar Lamberkin Trust (JDLT) be approved for a site of approximately 0.69ha shown in appendix 1 to report 18/132, adjacent to the current Broxden Park and Ride site for a solar array. The lease to 2 January 2083 be on terms as detailed in Report 18/132, and otherwise on terms to the satisfaction of the Executive Director (Housing and Environment) and the Head of Legal and Governance. It be noted that the lease will also be subject to obtaining the relevant Planning consent and Tay Cities deal funding.
- (ii) A lease from JDLT be approved for a site approximately 225m<sup>2</sup> of land, shown in appendix 2 of Report 18/132, to facilitate the installation of a hydrogen dispensing station. The lease for 20 years be on terms as detailed in Report 18/132 and otherwise on terms to the satisfaction of the Executive Director (Housing and Environment) and the Head of Legal and Governance. It be noted that the lease will also be subject to obtaining the relevant Planning consent and Tay Cities deal funding.
- (iii) A 15 year lease be granted to Tesla Motors Limited for the sole use of twelve car parking spaces at the Broxden Park and Ride to install vehicle charging

stations for Tesla cars only. An appraisal of the proposed site be undertaken to ensure the charging stations were in a prominent location. The lease be granted on terms as detailed in Report 18/132, and otherwise on terms to the satisfaction of the Executive Director (Housing and Environment) and the Head of Legal and Governance.

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