

ISSUES ARISING FROM OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY OR OTHER COMMITTEES

PUBLIC REALM IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT – MARKET SQUARE, DOVER

Responsibility: Portfolio Holder for Transport and Licensing

Report of: Strategic Director (Operations and Commercial)

Decision Route

Cabinet	2 December 2019	CAB 101
Overview and Scrutiny Committee	9 December 2019	Minute No 76
Cabinet	13 January 2020	

Overview and Scrutiny Committee Recommendations

The Overview and Scrutiny Committee, at its meeting held on 9 December 2019, endorsed Cabinet decision CAB 101 as follows:

- (a) That the project be approved in principle, and the Council be permitted to receive the grant of £2.44 million and to act as the accountable body to the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government in relation to the grant.
- (b) That the expenditure of £350,000 allocated within the current capital programme be approved as match funding for the project.
- (c) That the Strategic Director (Operations and Commercial) be authorised, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Transport and Licensing, to: (i) Enter into any agreements necessary to deliver the project; (ii) Take all necessary steps to work with Kent County Council to deliver the highways elements of the project; and (iii) Expend the grant for the purpose of delivering public realm improvements at the Market Square, Dover.