



<b>DEMOCRATIC SUPPORT SECTION ONLY</b>	
Decision No:	<u>GE08</u>
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## **General Exception**

**Pursuant to the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012**

### **Notice of Key Decision**

**A: Decision to be taken and by whom**

To consider whether to enter into a 10-year 'Managing Partner' agreement with the Land Trust for its estate at Fort Burgoyne, Dover.

Cabinet at its meeting to be held on 1 February 2021.

This is a Key Decision which has not been included within the Notice of Forthcoming Key Decisions, but which must be taken by such a date that it is impracticable to defer the decision until 28 days after the next Notice is published.

**B: Reasons why this Key Decision was not included in the Notice of Forthcoming Key Decisions and why it would not be practicable to defer the decision**

The Solicitor to the Council has determined that this should be a Key Decision.

It is not practicable to defer the decision because the original agreement expired on 5 December 2020. The Land Trust would like to get the agreement up and running as soon as possible in 2021.

**C: List of documents submitted to the decision-maker**

Cabinet report.

**D: Part of the Constitution authorising the decision**

Rule 15 (General Exception Procedure) of the Access to Information Procedure Rules (Part 4 – Rules of Procedure).

- Notice must be given in the first instance to the Chairman of the relevant Scrutiny Committee
- The General Exception procedure allows a Key Decision which has been omitted from the Notice of Forthcoming Key Decisions to be taken, provided 5 clear days has elapsed between informing the Chairman of the relevant Scrutiny Committee and making a copy of this notice available to the public (on the website and displayed in the Council Chamber lobby), and the decision being taken.
- Subject to any prohibition or restriction on their disclosure, copies of, or extracts from, documents submitted to the decision-maker in relation to the decision may be requested from

the address given below. In addition, the public may submit other documents relevant to the decision to the same address.

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