

## HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

### Officer Decision Record

#### (Executive Decision)

<b>Decision Maker</b>	Assistant Director Regeneration and Growth (Culture and Communities)
<b>Date</b>	1 February 2023
<b>Title</b>	Deed of Gift – Authority to accept the gift of the Licoricia Statue
<b>Report From</b>	Strategic Manager, Hampshire Library Service

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#### The decision

1. That the Assistant Director Regeneration and Growth (Culture and Communities), Hampshire 2050 authorises the acceptance of the gifting of the Licoricia of Winchester Statue from The Licoricia of Winchester Appeal charity to Hampshire County Council upon the terms of the proposed Deed of Gift as negotiated between the The Licoricia of Winchester Appeal charity and Hampshire Council with advice from Legal Services and authorises the Deed of Gift to be entered into by Hampshire County Council.

#### Reason(s) for the decision

2. Formal approval is sought to accept the Licoricia of Winchester statue which will become property of Hampshire County Council including management and upkeep and to the terms of the Deed of Gift.

#### Background to the decision

3. The statue, entitled Licoricia of Winchester is a prominent and significant figure in the Jewish faith and as such is an important symbol that tells a story of the Jewish religion in Winchester where the statue has been situated.
4. The address of the siting of the statue is The Arc, Jewry Street, Winchester, Hampshire, SO23 8SB.

**Other options considered and rejected**

5. Not Applicable

**Conflicts of interest:**

6. Not Applicable

**Dispensation granted by the Head of Paid Service**

7. Not Applicable

**Approved by:**

**E Noyce**

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**Emma Noyce**, Assistant Director Regeneration and Growth (Culture and Communities)

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