

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Adult Services and Public Health
Date:	12 July 2021
Title:	Extension to the current Social Inclusion service contracts
Report From:	Director of Adults' Health and Care

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1. The decision:

- 1.1 That the Executive Member for Adult Services and Public Health give approval to extend the Social Inclusion contracts, through modification, as outlined in the report, for up to a period of 12 months until March 2023, and give approval for the associated spend of £2,254,872.
- 1.2 That the Executive Member for Adult Services and Public Health approve a grant of £428,509 to Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council for the delivery of Social Inclusion services in that area, for up to a period of 12 months until March 2023.

2. Reasons for the Decision

- 2.1. Due to the pressures placed upon the County Council, as a consequence of the COVID-19 pandemic, additional time is needed to review prior to retendering services for new contracts to commence in April 2022.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1 Retendering services for one year while a review is carried out was rejected due to the uncertainty for the market associated with the short time frame and future arrangements.

4. Conflicts of interest

- 4.1 Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None
- 4.2 Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: Not applicable

5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.

7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:

Date:

12 July 2021

**Executive Member for Adult Services and Public
Health
Councillor Liz Fairhurst**