

**NORFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL
EXECUTIVE KEY DECISION**

The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

Cases of special urgency

Given that the date by which this key decision must be made, makes compliance with Regulation 10 impracticable it is confirmed that the decision maker has obtained agreement to make the decision from the Chair of the Scrutiny Committee that the making of the decision is urgent and cannot reasonably be deferred.

Use of the Department for Health and Social Care Workforce Capacity Fund – urgent

The reason that this decision is urgent and cannot reasonably be deferred is as follows:

The County Council was not informed of the conditions of the grant until the 29th January 2021.

The money from the grant must not only be allocated but spent prior to the 31st March 2021.

In order to do so and ensure the best outcomes for people in Norfolk, the decision has to be taken urgently.

The decision maker, for Constitutional reasons, is Cllr Andrew Proctor, Councillor Bill Borrett, portfolio holder for this area however, fully endorses and supports this decision.

The Chair of Scrutiny has also agreed that call in should be waived due to the urgency in line with Constitution Article 6.4 (v)(d).

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On behalf of Tom McCabe
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