

COUNCIL

TUESDAY, 28 JUNE 2016

DECISIONS

Set out below is a summary of the decisions taken at the meeting of the Council held on Tuesday, 28 June 2016. The wording used does not necessarily reflect the actual wording that will appear in the minutes.

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THE EAST ANGLIA DEVOLUTION PROPOSAL

Council:

- (a) Considered and **ENDORSED** the conclusions and outcome of the Governance Review (attached at Appendix A of the report) that the establishment of a Combined Authority with a Mayor for the Cambridgeshire and Peterborough area will improve the exercise of statutory functions in that area.
- (b) **APPROVED**, in principle, the content of the Devolution Deal proposal (attached at Appendix B of the report) and formally confirmed that this replaces in its entirety the East Anglia Devolution Agreement signed in March 2016.
- (c) **APPROVED**, in principle, the Governance Scheme (attached at Appendix C of the report) and requested the Chief Executive undertakes appropriate consultation on its content.
- (d) **RESOLVED** to convene a meeting of Full Council to take place in October 2016 to consider whether to support, in principle, the granting of consent for the Secretary of State to bring forward such an Order to establish a Mayoral/Combined Authority covering that area of Cambridgeshire and Peterborough.
- (e) **REQUESTED** that the Civic Affairs Committee examines and makes recommendations on the methods for this Council to be able to scrutinise the decisions taken by the Combined Authority and the actions of the Council's representative(s) on the Combined Authority.