



Subject:	Update on Area Working Groups
Date:	17 June 2022
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Restricted Reports	
Is this report restricted?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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After Committee Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
After Council Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
Some time in the future	<input type="checkbox"/>
Never	<input type="checkbox"/>

Call-in	
Is the decision eligible for Call-in?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

1.0	Purpose of Report or Summary of Main Issues
1.1	To seek Members' approval of the minutes of the most recent AWG meetings.
2.0	Recommendations
2.1	The Committee is asked to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Approve the most recent AWG minutes (<i>South – 23 May, North – 25 May, West – 26 May and East – 31 May</i>) attached at Appendix 1.• Physical Programme – Agree the recommendations in respect of LIF projects and reallocations from the East AWG as laid out in paragraph 3.2 below.
3.0	Main report
	<u>KEY ISSUES</u>
3.1	Area Working Group Minutes

	<p>Members agreed in June 2016 that the Area Working Group minutes would be taken into the SP&R Committee for approval going forward in line with the Council's commitment to openness and transparency and to ensure a consistent approach with other Member-led Working Groups. Members are asked to approve the most recent AWG minutes as attached.</p>
3.2	<p>Project Updates</p> <p>East AWG – LIF project funding allocation</p> <p>Members of the East AWG agreed to recommend to the SP&R Committee that the £230,009 of the Local Investment Fund (LIF) funding be reallocated as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - £70,000 to Cycling Ireland towards the Henry Jones BMX/ cycle track project (ELIF29); - £70,000 to the Cregagh Sports Club (ELIF30); - £30,000 to provide storage facilities for Bloomfield Football Club, Clonduff Football Club, East Belfast Football Club and Glentoran Academy (ELIF31); and - that the remainder of the funding be ringfenced for the Bloomfield Community Association (approx. £60,009).
3.3	<p><u>Financial and Resource Implications</u></p> <p>A total of £230,009 will be allocated to the above projects under the LIF programme.</p>
3.4	<p><u>Equality or Good Relations Implications/ Rural Needs Assessment</u></p> <p>None</p>
4.0	<p>Appendices – Documents Attached</p>
	<p>Appendix 1 – Minutes of the Area Working Groups</p>