



Belfast City Council

Report to:	Development Committee
Subject:	Council Representation on Selection Panel - An Nasc Art Piece
Date:	10 September 2008
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Relevant Background Information

The Committee will be aware that, at its meeting on Wednesday, 13 August, 2008, it approved the reallocation of finance from the Renewing the Routes budget to form part of a larger landmark art piece delivered through An Nasc.

Key Issues

The Committee agreed with this reallocation, subject to the under noted caveats, namely:-

- (1) That the Department of Social Development accede to reallocation of the Integrated Development Fund budget identified in the renewing the routes programme;
- (2) That the group confirm that the selection and tendering procedures would comply with the draft Council procurement policy;
- (3) That the selection panel includes Council participation comprising officer and Member representation;
- (4) Confirmation that the art piece is installed in compliance with all statutory permissions, by March 2010;

- (5) The group provides confirmation of all funding availability to at least match the potential reallocation by October 2008; and
- (6) Confirmation that the site selection will ensure a direct relationship with the Falls Road within the Lower Falls area

Whilst this decision permitted Members of the Committee to be part of the selection process, it did not however identify which Members should represent the Council on the Panel. The Committee is therefore asked to nominate the Chair and Deputy Chair (or their nominees) to represent the Council on the selection panel for the An Nasc art piece.

Resource Implications

None

Recommendations

It is recommended that the Chairman and the Deputy Chairman(or their nominees) represent the Council on the Selection Panel for the An Nasc art piece

Documents Attached

None
