

## **EAST LINDSEY DISTRICT COUNCIL EXECUTIVE DECISION NOTICE**

1. Decision to be taken: That the Deputy Chief Executive (Growth) be granted delegated power to determine the guidance and eligibility of applicants for the payment of the OHLG Additional Restrictions Grant (business grant), made available by Government and paid by ELDC (for and on behalf of the Government) in respect of the Covid19 pandemic and business impact as a result of the Omicron Variant (to include the resolution of disputes).

2. This is a: Decision of the Leader of the Council

**Note: This form should not be used for Key Decisions**

3. The following is the decision making body or person:

Councillor Craig Leyland in his capacity as The Leader of the Council.

4. Financial implications from this decision have been communicated to the Portfolio Holder for Finance and the Leader? There are no (local) additional financial implications to consider.

5. The decision was taken on: 7 March 2022

**Note: - the above date to be completed by Democratic Services upon publication**

6. Contact Officer and details: Michelle Sacks ([Michelle.Sacks@boston.gov.uk](mailto:Michelle.Sacks@boston.gov.uk))

7. List of documents submitted for consideration in relation to the matter in respect of which the decision is to be made: (1) COVID-19 business grant funding schemes: guidance for local authorities: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/local-restrictions-support-grants-lrsg-and-additional-restrictions-grant-arg-guidance-for-local-authorities>; and; (2) ELDC OHLG Additional Restrictions Grant guidance.

8. Where the documents are held and where they can be obtained from (except exempt items) when they become available: (1) via the link above; and; (2) [www.e-lindsey.gov.uk/OHLG\\_ARG](http://www.e-lindsey.gov.uk/OHLG_ARG)

9. The reason for the decision and other alternative options considered and rejected: The Deputy Chief Executive – this decision is made to make express reference to the delegated authority. The delegation is necessary to ensure grant support is provided as quickly as possible, supporting economically vulnerable businesses/people and households in East Lindsey, and to ensure disputes are dealt with quickly and effectively.

10. Declaration of any conflicts of interest of the decision making body or the individual: None

11. Provide a note of any subsequent dispensations granted by the Head of Paid service: None

12. Financial Implications of this Decision:-

Estimated cost:- £232,743.63

Funded from:- Government C19 Business Grant Funding

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**N.B. Please enter names below, signatures will be retained as a hard copy and will not be published therefore should be provided on page 3 of this form:**

13. This decision has been signed off by:

Head of Paid Service/S151 Officer or person presiding:

Rob Barlow

Officer:

Michelle Sacks

Portfolio Holder:

Councillor Craig Leyland in his capacity as Leader of the Council

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