

**EAST LINDSEY DISTRICT COUNCIL  
EXECUTIVE DECISION NOTICE**

1. Decision to be taken: Regulatory Service Review

To authorise the Assistant Director Regulatory to commence consultation with staff on the proposed service review and to delegate to the Assistant Director Regulatory in consultation with the Portfolio Holders, authority to determine and implement the final structure taking account of consultation responses.

To approve the placing of the specified ELDC posts at the disposal of South Holland District Council (SHDC) and Boston Borough Council and to accept the placing of specified SHDC and BBC posts at the disposal of this Council in accordance with Section 113 of the Local Government Act 1972.

2. This is a: PORTFOLIO HOLDER SUPPORTED OFFICER DECISION

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

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

OFFICER: Head of Paid Service – Rob Barlow

4. Financial implications from this decision have been communicated to the Portfolio Holder for Finance and the Leader?

Yes

5. The decision was taken on: 06/09/24

6. Contact Officer and details: Christian Allen, Assistant Director Regulatory,  
Christian.allen@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:

SHDC Full Council report 31/7/24 (exempt item)

8. Where the documents are held and where they can be obtained from (except exempt items) when they become available: Exempt

9. The reason for the decision and other alternative options considered and rejected:

REASON:

- To deliver the aspirations of the South and East Lincolnshire Councils Partnership Business Case and Memorandum of Agreement.
- To deliver the action for a Regulatory Service Review in the Partnership Alignment and Delivery Plan 24/25.
- To increase resilience and capacity for all Partnership Councils.
- To work towards a single approach for the delivery of these core services for the Partnership.
- To deliver savings towards the Council's efficiency target.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED:

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Do nothing – It should be noted however that Members have already supported the principle of alignment via the Partnership Business Case and Alignment and Delivery Plan 24/25.

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:

12. Financial Implications of this Decision:-

If implemented, the Regulatory Service Review should deliver for the Partnership anticipated establishment savings of £355,000 per annum.

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13. This decision has been signed off by:

Head of Paid Service/SLT

Rob Barlow

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Officer:

Christian Allen

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Portfolio Holder(s):

Martin Foster – Portfolio Holder Operational Services (Environmental Health)  
Tom Ashton – Portfolio Holder Planning (Building Control)  
Thomas Kemp – Portfolio Holder for Finance (Licensing)

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