



# URGENT EXECUTIVE DELEGATED DECISION BY THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

BURNLEY TOWN HALL

## PRESENT

**OFFICERS** Alison McEwan - Democracy Officer

### 3. Household Support Fund 5

#### **Purpose:**

To seek approval to deliver a fifth Household Support Fund scheme (HSF5).

#### **Reasons for Decision:**

To continue to support the most vulnerable during the continued cost of living crisis.

#### **Decision:**

That the Chief Executive using urgency powers under Part 3 of the Constitution (Executive Functions), and following consultation with the relevant Executive Members resolves to:

1. Endorse this report
2. Delegate authority to the Head of Legal & Democratic Services to agree and sign the MOU with Lancashire County Council to deliver HSF5.
3. Delegate authority to the Head of Policy and Engagement to finalise a delivery plan for the scheme, in consultation with the Head of Finance and Property.

In accordance with, and following the requirements set out in Paragraph 16 of Part 4.2 of the Constitution regarding the agreement of the Chair of the Scrutiny Committee, it is stated that in the opinion of the Chief Executive, this decision is an urgent one to ensure that external funding is secured and is therefore not subject to call-in.

Decision made by: Lukman Patel, Chief Executive

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