Agenda Item 3 Revenue Budget 2020/2021

Objection to Revenue Budget – Toilet Facilities at Preston Beach, Goodrington South and Corbyn Head

(Constitution Reference: Budget and Policy Framework Standing Order F2.9)

Adjourned Council Meeting 13 February 2020

Proposal:

That the Council formally objects to the Cabinet's revenue budget proposals on the basis the Cabinet's draft Community and Corporate Plan has a commitment to becoming the UK's premier tourist resort, whereas the budget proposals see a reduction in the amount of public toilet facilities at Preston Beach, Goodrington South and Corbyn Head. It is ridiculous and irresponsible to assume that a single cubicle at Goodrington South can cope with the amount of visitors to the beach that the whole block used to deal with. In addition Preston is expected to lose more than 20 toilet units and rely on a single block comprising 4 or 5 units. As such this proposal is considered to be contrary to the desire to become the UK's premier tourist resort, and consequently Council believe that the provision should be maintained at Preston and Goodrington South.

In accordance with the Constitution at F2.9, the Council therefore requires the Cabinet to consider this objection by 20 February 2020 either:

- submit a revision of the estimates or amounts as amended by the Cabinet with the reasons for any amendments made to the estimates or amounts, to the Council for its consideration; or
- inform the Council of any disagreement that the Cabinet has with any of the Council's objections and the Cabinet's reasons for any such disagreement.

Proposed by Councillor Chris Lewis

Seconded by Councillor Sykes