

## **Record of Decision**

### **Notice of Motion - Donkey Rides at Paignton Green**

#### **Decision Taker**

Mayor on 11 May 2016

#### **Decision**

That the motion be supported with the addition that the Assistant Director of Community and Customer Services works with Councillor Amil.

#### **Reason for the Decision**

To respond to the motion.

#### **Implementation**

This decision will come into force and may be implemented on Tuesday, 24 May 2016 unless the call-in procedure is triggered (as set out in the Standing Orders in relation to Overview and Scrutiny).

#### **Information**

At the Annual Meeting of the Council held on 11 May 2016, members received a motion, as set out below, notice of which had been given in accordance with Standing Order A14 by Councillors Amil and King.

As part of our heritage, Donkey Rides are a traditional seaside attraction at Paignton Green and have been for many years.

After a recent tendering exercise, they have been given notice that they were the unsuccessful bidder on this occasion. Therefore there will be no Donkey rides for children on Paignton Green.

This Council requests the Assistant Director of Community and Customer Services to find an alternative site in Paignton so that Donkey Rides can remain as part of the Torbay visitor experience.

Further background information can be found the officer report which accompanied the motion.

The Mayor considered the motion at the Annual Meeting of the Council and his decision is set out above.

#### **Alternative Options considered and rejected at the time of the decision**

Alternative options are set out in the officer background report accompanying the motion.

#### **Is this a Key Decision?**

No – Reference Number: I024433

**Does the call-in procedure apply?**

Yes

**Declarations of interest** (including details of any relevant dispensations issued by the Standards Committee)

None

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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor of Torbay

Date: 16 May 2016