

Haringey Council
Written Statement/Record of a decision made by an officer under delegated authority

Decision Maker (Post Title)	Assistant Director - Regeneration and Economic Development
Subject of the decision	Tottenham Creative Spaces Green Grants – award of grant to Puzzle Factory Ltd
Date of decision	21/01/2025
Decision	<p>The Assistant Director for Regeneration and Economic Development agrees:</p> <p>To award Puzzle Factory Ltd, a grant of £2,085 to improve insulation, make old IT equipment more efficient, and upgrade the Building Management System (BMS) subject to a grant agreement being entered in accordance with Contract Standing Order 17.3 (Approval for Payment of Grants from the Council to External Bodies).</p>
Reasons for the decision	<p>The recommendation is to award a grant of £2,085 to Puzzle Factory Ltd to enable them to undertake some cost-effective but efficient measures that will reduce energy consumption and wastage.</p> <p>This project’s application for a grant was recommended for approval by a panel of officers from Inclusive Economy and Carbon Management on 19 November 2024, following the internal evaluation according to the grant’s criteria.</p> <p>The panel recommended approval for this application as the sum requested is relatively modest and if the outlined measures work as anticipated, they will have significant impact. If successful, these activities will act as great case studies for other businesses - creative and otherwise - to learn from.</p>
Details of any alternative options considered and rejected by the officer when making the decision	<p>This project has been recommended for approval based on the evaluation of an application and consideration by a panel of officers from Inclusive Economy and Carbon Management.</p> <p>The evaluation process assesses applicants’ proposals on the contribution to core criteria of grants, LBH’s strategic objectives as set in Opportunity Haringey and the financial and operational competency of the applicant.</p> <p>Failure to award this loan could lead to a less energy-efficient workspace that is more costly to run and less</p>

	comfortable to work in as a business owner / frequent as a customer or client.
<p><u>Conflicts of interest – Executive decisions</u></p> <p>Details of any conflict of interest declared by a Cabinet Member who is consulted by the officer which relates to the decision and details of dispensation granted by the Council's Head of Paid Service</p>	n/a
<p><u>Conflicts of interest – Non executive decisions</u></p> <p>Where the decision is taken under an express delegation e.g. by a Committee, the name of any Member who declared a conflict of interest in relation to this matter at the committee meeting,</p>	n/a
<p>Title of any document(s), including reports, considered by the officer and relevant to the above decision or where only part of the report is relevant to the above decision, that part)</p> <p>These documents need to be attached to the copy of this record/statement kept by the Authority but must not be published if they contain exempt information</p>	n/a
<p>Reasons for exemption with reference to categories of exemption specified overleaf or</p> <p>Reason why decision is confidential (see overleaf)</p> <p>Decisions containing exempt or confidential information falling within the categories specified overleaf are not required to be published.</p>	n/a
Signature of Decision Maker	
Name of Decision Maker	Anna Blandford

Does the decision need to be published

Yes

No

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