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To: Selection and Member Services Committee – 19 November 2020
Subject: KCC Combined Member Grant Scheme Closedown
Classification: Unrestricted

Summary: The Committee is invited to comment on and consider the following report relating to the closedown of the KCC Combined Member Grant Scheme.

1. Conclusion of Combined Member Grant Scheme – 2017-2021

- 1.1 The KCC Combined Member Grant Scheme, as per the agreed guidelines shall conclude on 31 December 2020 to ensure that appropriate time is given to closing the scheme properly.
- 1.2 Due to 2021 being an election year and to avoid pre-election period related issues, applicants have been requested to attribute any necessary publicity during the period of 19 March 2021 and 7 May 2021 solely to Kent County Council.
- 1.3 Similarly, KCC Highways related applications, where an implementation of a scheme has been requested by a Member, will follow a similar timescale and no scheme can be implemented during that period.

Recommendation:

The Committee is requested to consider and approve the closedown of the Combined Member Grant Scheme 2017-2021 on 31 December 2020.

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