

RECORD OF INDIVIDUAL EXECUTIVE DECISION MADE BY AN OFFICER

Decision Maker	Decision Type	Date
Katrina Stephens Director of Public Health	Principal Decision	12 October 2021

Recruitment of Active Through Football Programme

Exempt / Confidential Report	No
Key Decision	No

Decision(s)

To recruit an Active Through Football Development Officer to coordinate, deliver and monitor the Active Through Football programme for the borough. This will ensure that the programme can be efficiently managed over the duration of the funding. 99% of the total project cost is being provided by the funding body. The remaining 1% match funding has already been secured by one of the community partners. The only commitment from the council as holder of the project is in-kind expenses such as line management, desk space

Reasons for the Decision(s)

The Active Through Football Programme requires the recruitment of a dedicated member of staff to ensure effective delivery of the programme and in accordance with the grant agreement made by the Football Foundation

Options / Alternatives Considered

Option 1: To recruit a post to oversee the coordination, delivery and monitoring of the programme locally. This would be in line with the other 12 successful applicants nationally who will all be appointing ATF project Managers.

Option 2: Not recruit a post. This will put at risk the effective delivery of the programme locally and impact the councils' ability to fulfil the terms of the grant agreement as Oldham Council does not have adequate internal resource to manager this programme.



Conflict of Interest Declared None

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Director of Public Health

Decision made pursuant to:

a) General delegation under the Council's officer scheme of delegation. Non-contract decisions up to £250k.