



**Report to: Council, 16<sup>th</sup> May 2017**

**Report of: Managing Director**

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**Subject: APPOINTMENT OF INTERIM S.151 OFFICER**

**1. Recommendation**

**1.1 That Council appoint Mark Baldwin as the Interim S.151 Officer with immediate effect.**

**2. Background**

2.1 At its meeting on 29 September 2016, Council appointed Clive Whereat as the interim s.151 officer pending a permanent appointment to the post of Corporate Director (Resources and Governance). The appointment process has now completed and the new postholder will be in post at the beginning of August.

**3. Appointment of interim s.151 officer**

3.1 Having reviewed the Council's resourcing requirements over the next few months it is recommended that Clive Whereat takes on discrete projects to support the Resources Directorate and that the Head of Finance, Mark Baldwin, takes on the statutory role of s.151 Officer on an interim basis.

**Ward(s): All wards.**

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**Background Papers: None.**