

STRONGER COMMUNITIES COMMITTEE

Date: Monday, 26 September 2022

Title: Appointment to Outside Bodies – Witney Town Charity

Contact Officer: Witney Town Charity Trustees

Background

At the meeting held on 1 August 2022, the Council resolved to defer a decision on two town council appointed trustee vacancies on Witney Town Charity to this committee. Minute number SC 415 refers, *‘That, final nominations are received along with accompanying documents for a final decision delegated to the Stronger Communities Committee.’*

Current Situation

Resumes from four potential candidates have been received and circulated to members. These advise how they meet the charities criteria and can assist with specific projects it would like to undertake.

Although currently two vacancies exist, a third will arise on the expiration of Mr J King as a trustee on 26 October 2022.

Environmental impact

Having declared a Climate Change Emergency at its Council meeting on 26 June 2019 – with this in mind Councillors should have due regard to the environmental impact of any decisions they make with regard to its facilities and services it operates.

Risk

In decision making Councillors should give consideration to any risks to the Council and any action it can take to limit or negate its liability.

Financial implications

There are no financial implications pertaining to this issue.

Recommendations

Members are invited to note the report and consider proposing candidates to Witney Town Charity as the town council’s nominated trustees.