

Special Shetland Islands Council – 25 March 2025

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Item	Subject	Decision
1	Community Council Scheme Review – Scheme for the Establishment of Community Councils in Shetland	<p>The Council:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• NOTED the outcome of the third phase of consultation in respect of the ongoing review of the Scheme for the Establishment of Community Councils in Shetland and the recommendations in respect of the same as set out in this covering report and accompanying appendices;</li><li>• RESOLVED to APPROVE that the Amended Scheme for the Establishment of Community Councils, together with Associated Documentation and Plan of Community Councils' Areas and Disposition, comprising Appendix B, be implemented with immediate effect;</li><li>• RESOLVED to APPROVE that authority be delegated to the Executive Manager – Governance and Law to execute those incidental arrangements, as more fully described in paragraph 4.11 below, as well as any other arrangements as may be necessary to facilitate short term provisions for the recruitment of Community Council members; and</li><li>• INSTRUCTED the Executive Manager – Governance and Law, or his nominee, to arrange for the giving of public notice of the Council's decision to adopt the Amended Scheme for the Establishment of Community Councils, together with Associated Documentation and Plan of Community Councils' Areas and Disposition, with immediate effect.</li><li>• AGREED that the Scheme for the Establishment of Community Councils includes a statement, whereby Community Councils are to notify the Council's Youth Services should they appoint an associate Member between the ages of 12 to 16 years, so that appropriate support can be put in place.</li></ul>

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