

Decision Title:

Music Event and Community Programme

Is this decision Key or Non-key?

Non Key

If the decision is Key, has the decision been published on the Forward Plan?

N/A

Is this decision subject to Call-in?

No

Decision:

Not for publication by virtue of paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).

Agree an allocation up to a maximum of up to £250,000 of North East CA Investment funding to Newcastle City Council, subject to submission and approval of a business case in accordance with the single assurance framework, to deliver a national music award and related community engagement and event fringe activities.

Delegation:

Minute No. C24/7/24 of the Cabinet meeting held on 30 July 2024. Cabinet:

(3) delegated authority be granted to the Chief Executive to progress subsequent business cases and make investment decisions associated with the activity described within the Strategic Portfolio Plans, in consultation with the Mayor and relevant Portfolio Holder, subject to the following thresholds which are included within the adopted Single Assurance Framework:

- Investment approvals up to £500k are to be approved by the Chief Executive, in consultation with the Section 73 Officer and Monitoring Officer, under the Cabinet approved delegated authority.

Decisions are now being taken in line with that delegation.

Consultation:

Cabinet Member:	Yes
Monitoring Officer:	Yes
Director of Finance and Investment:	Yes

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