

**Bracknell Forest Council
Record of Decision**

Work Programme Reference	I070821
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1. **TITLE:** Improvements to Easthampstead & Wildridings community centre

2. **SERVICE AREA:** Chief Executive's Office

3. **PURPOSE OF DECISION**

To commit £10,870.38 of S106 funds to improve the capacity of Easthampstead & Wildridings Community Centre

4. **IS KEY DECISION** Yes

5. **DECISION MADE BY:** Executive Member for Culture, Corporate Services and Public Protection

6. **DECISION:**

For expenditure of £10,870 of S106 social and community facilities contributions to be spent on improvements to the Easthampstead & Wildridings Community Centre.

7. **REASON FOR DECISION**

To install an area of play grass (artificial grass) in the garden area, replacing a soft play area, so that more groups can use the outside area.

The project will directly support three of the Council's strategic objectives:

- People live active and healthy lifestyles
Numbers of adults and young people participating in leisure and sport has increased
- A clean, green, growing and sustainable place
Appropriate infrastructure development is completed to support housing growth including; Warfield Link Road, Coral Reef Junction, Jennetts Park, town centre
- Strong, safe, supportive and self-reliant communities
High levels of community cohesion are maintained

8. **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED**

No alternative options considered. To not make improvements to the outside area would mean that it is not able to accommodate the extra demand created by the housing developments in the area.

9. **PRINCIPAL GROUPS CONSULTED:** Old Bracknell and Wildridings & Central ward members

10. **DOCUMENT CONSIDERED:** Report of the Director of Environment, Culture & Communities

11. **DECLARED CONFLICTS OF INTEREST:**

Date Decision Made	Final Day of Call-in Period
2 October 2017	9 October 2017