



**HARTLEPOOL
BOROUGH COUNCIL**

OFFICER DECISION RECORD

Department:

Division:

Date of Decision / Issue
of Licence:

Officer Making Decision: MRS DG MCGUCKIN

Subject / Description &
Reason for Decision:
(for publication) Tees Valley Multibank, is scheduled to be managed and run via
– The Junction.

A Multibank is a clothes, bedding, baby and hygiene bank all rolled into one. The idea is simple: companies have surplus goods people need, while local charities and care professionals know the people who need them. The Multibank concept connects the two to reduce the effects of poverty while contributing to a more circular economy and prevents surplus good from ending up in landfill reducing the impact on the environment. These include essential items, like warm clothes, bedding, hygiene products, and school uniforms, and items like crockery and household furnishings that help make a house a home.

HBC agree to contribute a total of £25,000 over the next financial years (2024/25 - £25,000) in support of the Tees Valley Multibank project with an efficiency review to determine the benefits of the programme for Hartlepool before committing to a further year.

Type of Decision: Non Key

Nature of Delegation
Being Exercised: GD 16 To enter into partnership agreements/arrangements with other bodies to work collectively to achieve joint objective(s).

Alternative Options
Considered & Rejected: HBC could have chosen not to contribute, however this option was disregarded.

Any Declared Register of
Interest: No

OFFICER WITH THE DELEGATION

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POSITION: Managing Director

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POSITION: Director of Finance, IT & Digital

NAME: Brenda Harrison
POSITION: Leader & Chair of Finance and Policy Committee