## RECORD OF EXECUTIVE DECISION PUBLISHED ON: 9 JULY 2021

Decision: Additional Restrictions Grant Policy

Reason for urgency: The Additional Restrictions Grants fourth window opened on 1 July and closes on 31 July. Policy revisions need to be in place to enable grants to be processed with immediate effect.

Decision maker	Details of Decision	Reasons	Other options considered and rejected	Conflict of interest declared by any Executive member consulted	Contact officer from where the documents can be obtained
Leader of the Council	RESOLVED to approve the amended Additional Restrictions Grant Policy as attached at Appendix A.	<ul> <li>Following the lifting of most Government restrictions in the Spring / Summer of 2021 the Government announced that the only available Government funded grant would be the Additional Restrictions Grant, a discretionary grant that can be used to support the following:</li> <li>1. Businesses that have been and continue to be severely impacted by the Coronavirus restrictions; and</li> </ul>	None.	None.	Roger Harborough, Director of Public Services <u>rharborough@uttlesford.</u> <u>gov.uk</u>

2. Businesses form sectors that remain closed or severely impacted by the extended restrictions, even if those businesses have already been in receipt of Restart Grants.	
The Additional Restrictions Grant Policy requires amendment to reflect the ever-changing situation and to outline the eligibility criteria for the current grant window, exclusions, and award levels.	

This decision will come into force immediately.