

Appendix A - Silver and Gold Significant Decisions

Reference number	Decision Required	Outcome	Date of decision	Decision made by
DEL151	Slough Strategy for National Lockdown	Strategy agreed, subject to minor amendments proposed	03/11/20	SILVER
DEL152	Service changes arising from national lockdown starting 5th November	Agreed that the Chief Executive would work through potential service changes and circulate to Silver for agreement. To be implemented by Thursday 5th November.	03/11/20	SILVER
DEL153	Community response planning	The recommended Option 1 was agreed to step up community response in view of national lockdown which included: Redeployment of 8 FTE staff members to the Community Response Team; Redeployment of an experienced analyst to support the Performance Insight Team; and Funding of 20k to continue the use of shielding data management system, Community Helper.	03/11/20	SILVER
DEL157	Business continuity reporting for critical services	Agreed to continue with current reporting arrangements by exception (i.e. not to reintroduce daily reporting at this stage)	03/11/20	SILVER
DEL158	Test and Trace Grant	Any future allocations from Test and Trace grant to be approved through Silver	03/11/20	SILVER
DEL159	Business Rates grants administration	Recommendations agreed to continue the process previously used and use Liberata to provide administration and SBC to check and make payments of grants, subject to procurement board agreement.	05/11/20	SILVER
DEL160	Accommodation move - Chalvey Early Years Nursery	Agreed that the proposed move from the existing rented portakabin to the purpose built facility in the new Chalvey Hub go ahead following handover on 9th November	05/11/20	SILVER

DEL161	To consider requests from Workspace Safety Group	It was agreed to open/continue/support the following service requests: 1. Housing people services continue to operate during 'lockdown 2'; 2. Creative Academy to be able to use Venue at the Curve for period of 'lockdown 2' then to be reviewed; 3. Priors Day Centre managers working with RRR for purpose of Medication Competancy Checks.	05/11/20	SILVER
DEL163	National lockdown action plan	Action plan agreed with a few amendments to be made. To be brought to Silver for updating regularly	10/11/20	SILVER
DEL164	Discretionary Housing Payment to be agreed	Recommendations to fund agreed and approved by Silver. NW to go communicate back	12/11/20	SILVER
DEL165	Schools Public Health School Liaison officer	Agreed to fund secondment for 6 months . SF to see if anyone from Solutions4health is suitable for role	12/11/20	SILVER
DEL166	National lockdown action plan	The National Lockdown Action Plan was reviewed and updated.	17/11/20	SILVER
DEL167	Self isolate support scheme	Update report on operation of self isolation support scheme noted. Future data to be available for dashboard and member briefings.	17/11/20	SILVER
DEL168	Use of Test & Trace Grant for posts in Public Health Team	Further work to be carried out to ensure proposal was compliant with purpose of T&T grant; considered other potential demands for additional capacity in the council; included other options for use of the limited funding available.	17/11/20	SILVER
DEL169	Local Tracing Partnership proposal for dedicated team	As per DEL168. Officers to give further consideration and bring a proposal back to Silver.	17/11/20	SILVER
DEL171	Funding request for communications	Agreed that £30,000 from Covid funding be provided to cover current and future online advertising. That this funding last for 3 months and be regularly measured for reach and accessibility.	19/11/20	SILVER

DEL172	Town centre events and activities	That town centre promotional activities be allowed in both the Town Square and Mackenzie Square, ensuring they have suitable space and Covid safety measures post lockdown 2. That a small market offer be allowed in wider areas of the High Street pedestrianised area, ensuring suitable space and Covid safety measures are in place post lockdown 2. That the children's ride be allowed back to their usual position, ensuring suitable space and covid safety measures are in place, post lockdown 2. To review this immediately should it become clear that Slough will be placed into a tier which limits or prohibits these activities.	19/11/20	SILVER
DEL173	Health & Safety and RIDDOR reporting	Silver noted the report from the Workplace Safety Group on Covid H&S issues and RIDDOR reporting. Silver reiterated the importance of compliance with all H&S processes, requirements and reporting in relation to Covid-19.	19/11/20	SILVER
DEL174	Requests from Workplace Safety Group	Requests approved regarding visits and estate inspections from the Housing People service and for introductory meetings in SCST/CLS, subject to ensuring the meeting(s) were compliant with social distancing guidelines.	24/11/20	SILVER
DEL175	Winter Grant Scheme	A briefing paper on the Winter Grant Scheme was noted. A further report would be provided once government guidance was issued.	24/11/20	SILVER
DEL176	Premises for Covid-19 vaccination centre in Slough	Silver agreed the proposed option for Covid vaccination centre in principle.	24/11/20	SILVER