ANGUS COUNCIL

REVENUE & CAPITAL BUDGETS 2022/23

Special Angus Council – 3 March 2022

ALTERNATIVE BUDGET PROPOSAL AS DETAILED IN AGENDA ITEM 7 AGENDA ITEMS 3 TO 7 BY THE SCOTTISH NATIONAL PARTY

I formally move that the Council: -

- 1. Note the latest 2021/22 revenue and capital monitoring position as reported to the Policy & Resources Committee on 1 February 2022 as set out in Reports 19/22 and 20/22.
- 2. Have due regard to the public sector equality duty and the detail provided in the equalities impact assessments accompanying the reports for Agenda Items 3 to 7 for this meeting.
- 3. Approve the Council Plan, Finance and Change Plan and Workforce Action Plan as set out in Report 55/22 as submitted by the Chief Executive.
- 4. Note the views of the Trade Union representatives on the Central Consultative Committee arising from their meeting earlier today.
- 5. Note the views of the Special Children & Learning Committee arising from their meeting earlier today.
- 6. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 71/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance relating to 2022/23 Budget Financial Context and Financial Sustainability Challenges.
- 7. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 56/22 as submitted by the Director of Vibrant Communities and Sustainable Growth relating to the Review of Charges within Vibrant Communities and Sustainable Growth Services.
- 8. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 57/22 as submitted by the Director of Infrastructure relating to the Review of Charges within the Infrastructure Service.
- 9. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 58/22 as submitted by the Director of Legal and Democratic Services relating to the Review of Charges for Legal and Democratic Services.
- 10. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 59/22 as submitted by the Chief Officer, Angus Integrated Joint Board relating to the Review of Angus Council Charges for Support and Care Services and Residential Fees 2022/23.
- 11. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 60/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance relating to the Devolved Budget to Angus Health and Social Care Partnership Integration Joint Board for 2022/23.
- 12. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 61/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance and the Director of Strategic Policy, Transformation and Public Sector Reform relating to the ANGUSalive Charges Review and Budget Settlement 2022/23.
- 13. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 62/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance relating to the Provisional Revenue and Capital Budgets 2022/23 Background Report as amended by Report 70/22, the Alternative Budget Proposal Scottish National Party in Terms of Standing Order 8(5).
- 14. Approve Report 63/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance relating to the Equality Impact Assessment & Fairer Scotland Duty Assessment Overall Revenue & Capital Budget 2022/23.

- 15. Note the total net revenue expenditure for 2022/23 of £313.667 million as set out in Report 70/22, the Alternative Budget Proposal Scottish National Party in Terms of Standing Order 8(5).
- 16. Note the total net capital expenditure for 2022/23 of £25.038 million as set out in Report 70/22, the Alternative Budget Proposal Scottish National Party in Terms of Standing Order 8(5).
- 17. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 64/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance relating to the Provisional Revenue Budget Volume as amended by Report 70/22, the Alternative Budget Proposal Scottish National Party in Terms of Standing Order 8(5).
- 18. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 65/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance relating to the Provisional Capital Budget Volume as amended by Report 70/22, the Alternative Budget Proposal Scottish National Party in Terms of Standing Order 8(5).
- 19. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 66/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance relating to the Capital Strategy 2022/23.
- 20. Approve the recommendations as set out in report 82/22 as submitted by the Director of Infrastructure relating to Common Good Funds Project Approvals.
- 21. Note the proposed 1.75% level for Council Tax non-collection in 2022/23. This would result in a Band D equivalent tax base of 47,601 as set out in **Statement 1.**
- 22. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 67/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance relating to Revenue & Capital Budgets 2022/23 Setting of the Council Tax, as amended by Report 70/22, the Alternative Budget Proposal Scottish National Party in Terms of Standing Order 8(5).
- 23. Note the £2.200 million proposed use of Reserves as set out in Statement 2.
- 24. Approve the drawdown of a further £0.595 million from Council Reserves which is required to deliver a balanced budget in 2022/23 as set out in **Statement 3**, noting this will leave an uncommitted General Fund Balance of zero remaining.
- 25. Approve the Council Tax Calculation Statement, which encompasses all of the appropriate elements of this motion as set out in **Statement 3.**
- 26. Agrees an Angus Council Band D Council Tax Charge for 2022/23 as follows: -

Council Tax (Band D) £1,242.73 (as set out in Statement 3)

- 27. Note the impact of the 3.0% increase in Council Tax for 2022/23, as set out in Statement 4.
- 28. Note the impact on the level of Earmarked Reserves of the proposals detailed in this motion, as detailed in **Statement 5**.
- 29. Note that £3.000 million for the proposed reserve strategy draw down for financial year 2023/24 & 2024/25 remains committed against the projected Uncommitted General Fund balance at 1 April 2023 as shown in Statement 5.
- 30. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 68/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance regarding the Long Term Affordability of the General Fund Capital Plan.
- 31. Approve the recommendations as set out in Report 69/22 as submitted by the Director of Finance regarding the Setting of Prudential Indicators for the 2022/23 Budget Process, as amended by Report 70/22, the Alternative Budget Proposal Scottish National Party in Terms of Standing Order 8(5).