

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Economy, Transport, and Environment
Date:	4 March 2014
Title:	Project Appraisal: Fulsome Bridges Parapets Replacements, Hook
Reference:	5660
Report From:	Director of Economy, Transport, and Environment

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1. The decision:

1.1. That approval be given to procure and spend and enter into necessary contractual arrangements to implement the proposed improvements to Fulsome Bridges, as set out in this report, at an estimated cost of £330,000 to be funded from the Structures Capital Maintenance Budget 2013/14.

2. Reason for the decision:

2.1. The reason for this decision is to authorise the Fulsome Bridges Parapets Replacement Scheme, which is essential to the safety of the road users, and to reducing/eliminating the chances of any errant vehicle falling into the river below.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1. Complete replacement of the two bridges: Rejected due to the associated cost, impact upon the environment, and severe disruption to traffic of the work. This option will require working in the river which will necessitate the diversion of river flow and closure of the road for longer periods.

3.2. Do nothing: Rejected due to safety concerns.

4. Conflicts of interest:

4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker:

4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted:

5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.

7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

In making this decision I have welcomed and considered comments made to me by Cllr David Simpson.

Approved by:

Date:

4 March 2014

**Executive Member for Economy, Transport and
Environment
Councillor Seán D T Woodward**

