

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Economy, Transport and Environment
Date:	3 March 2015
Title:	Project Appraisal: Haslar Bridge Rehabilitation Works, Gosport
Reference:	6485
Report From:	Director of Economy, Transport and Environment

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1. The decision:

- 1.1. That the Executive Member for Economy, Transport and Environment approves the Project Appraisal for Haslar Bridge Rehabilitation Works, Gosport, as outlined in the supporting report.
- 1.2. That approval be given to procure and spend and enter into the necessary contractual arrangements to implement the proposed improvements to Haslar Bridge, as set out in the supporting report, at an estimated cost of £1,409,000 to be funded from the Structures Capital Maintenance Budget 2015/16.
- 1.3. That authority to make the arrangements to implement the scheme, including minor variations to the design or contract, be delegated to the Director of Economy, Transport, and Environment.

2. Reason for the decision:

- 2.1. To enable the cost effective rehabilitation of Haslar Bridge which will allow it to remain in unrestricted use supporting the economic development of Gosport.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1. A weight restriction was considered and rejected because this would restrict the use of the bridge by public transport and goods vehicles.
- 3.2. A full scale reconstruction with a central lifting span was considered and rejected because this would typically cost circa £6m and would have a long lead in time.
- 3.3. Concrete repairs without a cathodic protection system was considered and rejected because this would be less durable and increase long term costs.

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:

Approved by:	Date:
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Executive Member for Economy, Transport and Environment Councillor Seán D T Woodward	