

17. WEST LOTHIAN RAPID REHOUSING TRANSITION PLAN 2022/23 UPDATE

The Council Executive considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Head of Housing, Customer and Building Services advising on progress of the West Lothian Rapid Rehousing Transition Plan (RRTP) 2019-2024 and to consider the annual update of the RRTP 2021/22 prior to submission to the Scottish Government by 30 June 2022.

It was recommended that Council Executive :-

1. Note that progress of the delivery of the West Lothian RRTP in 2021/22 continues to be significantly impacted by Covid-19 resulting in high backlogs of open homeless cases;
2. Note the Scottish Government allocation of £315,000 in 2022/23 and an estimated further £315,000 in 2023/24 towards the delivery of the plan through the Scottish Government Ending Homeless Together (EHT) fund, and
3. Approves the RRTP update 2022/23, attached as Appendix 1, for submission to Scottish Government on 30 June 2022

Decision

To approve the terms of the report