TRAFFORD COUNCIL

STATEMENT OF EXECUTIVE DECISION

DATE OF DECISION	13th July 2012	DECISION MAKER
DECISION REFERENCE	ED2012.07.13/SSC	Executive Member for Safe, Strong Communities (Councillor J. Coupe)

RECORD OF THE DECISION

The Armed Forces Community Covenant

1. That the proposed Covenant, as outlined in Appendix 1 to the report, be approved.

2. That the Leader of the Council and the Armed Forces be invited to sign the Covenant at a high profile event such as Veterans' Day being planned for the 16th July.

3. That a Steering Group be set up as set out in section 2 of the report to develop the detail of the Covenant and deliver detailed initiatives.

4. That the report be used as a basis for discussion with the Trafford Partnership to gain their involvement and support to this work.

5. That this decision is deemed urgent and not subject to call in given the impending signing ceremony on Monday 16th July 2012 and the need to have this report approved prior to the Leader signing the covenant.

REASONS FOR THE DECISION

To show the Council's support for the welfare of the Armed Forces community within Trafford.

ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED

None.

CONFLICTS OF INTEREST DECLARED AND ANY DISPENSATION

None.

IMPLEMENTATION DATE

With immediate effect. In view of the need for approval prior to the signing ceremony on 16/6/12, this decision is deemed to be urgent and not subject to call-in.

PUBLICATION DATE

24th July 2012

RECORDED BY:

Acting Director of Legal and Democratic Services

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