

# FAREHAM

## BOROUGH COUNCIL

2022/23  
Decision No.  
2387

### Record of Decision by Executive

Monday, 7 November 2022

<b>Portfolio</b>	Housing
<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Fareham Borough Council Social and Affordable Housing Adaptation Policy</b>
<b>Report of:</b>	Deputy Chief Executive Officer
<b>Corporate Priority:</b>	Providing housing choices

#### **Purpose:**

To seek approval of the draft Fareham Borough Council Social and Affordable Housing Adaptations Policy.

In 2009 the Executive approved the Disabled Aids and Adaptations Policy – Council Housing. Since its approval, several key areas of legislation have been amended resulting in a requirement for this policy to be updated.

The Social and Affordable Housing Adaptations policy recognises accessibility as a fundamental design principle. The document outlines the process in ensuring Council tenants with disabilities be provided with housing that best meets their assessed needs in addition to the Council meeting the relevant statutory requirements.

#### **Options Considered:**

At the invitation of the Executive Leader, Councillor Mrs K K Trott addressed the Executive on this item.

As recommendation.

#### **Decision:**

RESOLVED that the Executive approves the draft Fareham Borough Council Social and Affordable Housing Adaptations Policy, as provided in Appendix A to the report, for publication. This to supersede and replace the Disabled Aids and Adaptations Policy (2009).

**Reason:**

To detail how the Council makes its social and affordable housing properties accessible for those who require it.

**Confirmed as a true record:**

Councillor SDT Woodward (Executive Leader)

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