

**Representation on Outside Bodies****Report by John Blair, Director, Resources****1 Purpose of Report**

The purpose of this report is to confirm nominations from the Council to fill various vacancies that have arisen in the Council's representation on Penicuik First (BIDs) Ltd.

**2 Background**

**2.1** The Council received correspondence from Penicuik First (BIDs) Ltd (appendix 1) which confirmed that the Board of Penicuik First (BIDs) Ltd had agreed to invite all three Penicuik Councillors to hold positions within the organisation. Two of the Councillor representatives would hold the position of Director and third would be a BID Member.

**2.2** Council is requested to confirm it is in agreement with the request and further to confirm which Councillor will be allocated to each of the vacant positions.

**3 Report Implications****3.1 Resource Implications**

There are no Resource implications in relation to this report.

**3.2 Risk Implications**

There are no risk implications in relation to this report.

**3.3 Policy Implications****Strategy**

There are no strategy implications arising from this report.

**Consultation**

No consultations have been undertaken in connection with this report.

**Equalities**

An equalities impact assessment is not required in connection with this report.

**Sustainability**

There are no sustainability implications arising from this report.

#### **4 Recommendation**

The Council is invited to:

- (a) Confirm the representation to Penicuik First (BIDs) Ltd in line with the content of this report.

#### **Appendix 1 - Letter from Penicuik First (BIDs) Ltd.**

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