

Appendix B

Council: Tuesday, 16 April 2013

Non-Executive Business Item: Councillor Brian Coleman

Amendment in the name of Councillor Tom Davey

Hendon Cemetery and Crematorium

Delete “Capita a company...in this sector” **and replace with** “Capita Symonds, the Council’s partner in the proposed joint-venture scheme.”

Delete “the experiences of Westminster City Council...expense that followed” **and replace with** “that cemeteries and crematoria have been services in scope of the DRS project since the Business Case was taken to Cabinet Resources Committee on 28th March 2011. Council further notes that Cllr Coleman was a member of both the Cabinet and the Cabinet Resources Committee at this time and was therefore a key player in arriving at this decision.” **Paragraph ends.**

Delete existing 2nd paragraph. Move last sentence of first paragraph “Council notes that Hendon Cemetery...our Borough” **to start of second.**

Then add “Council believes that the proposed model of service delivery will ensure the continued effectiveness of the cemeteries and crematoria in the borough.

Council therefore calls on Cabinet to work with the joint-venture partner to achieve best outcomes across the scope of DRS and monitor the Key Performance Indicators carefully to ensure service quality is maintained and indeed improved.”

Substantive Non-Executive Business Item to read

Council notes that the proposed DRS contract includes the management of the Hendon Cemetery and Crematorium being transferred to Capita Symonds, the Council’s partner in the proposed joint-venture scheme. Council notes that cemeteries and crematoria have been services in scope of the DRS project since the Business Case was taken to Cabinet Resources Committee on 28th March 2011. Council further notes that Cllr Coleman was a member of both the Cabinet and the Cabinet Resources Committee at this time and was therefore a key player in arriving at this decision.

Council notes that Hendon cemetery is important to many residents and communities within our borough. Council believes that the proposed model of service delivery will ensure the continued effectiveness of the cemeteries and crematoria in the borough.

Council therefore calls on Cabinet to work with the joint-venture partner to achieve best outcomes across the scope of DRS and monitor the Key Performance Indicators carefully to ensure service quality is maintained and indeed improved.

Under Council Procedure Rule, Section 1, Standing Order 23.5: if my item is not dealt with by the end of the meeting I ask that it be voted upon at the Council meeting.