

**OFFICER DECISION RECORD**

**Record of a decision of the Service Director Culture Housing and Regulation, taken in consultation with Matthew Gladstone, Executive Directive Place.**

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**Funding Agreement Arts Council Small Capital Grant: Cooper Cottage**

**Subject**

Arts Council Small Capital Funding of £125,000 has been secured to transform the currently derelict Cooper Gallery Cottage on Eastgate into a coffee shop, artists' studios and workspace, which will generate income and contribute towards a vibrant town centre, as well as support the creative industries. The project will commence in December 2019 and complete in December 2019.

The total cost of the project is £183,000 with £58,000 match funding required identified from various existing sources together with a contribution from Barnsley Museums and Heritage Trust as follows:

- £5,000 Barnsley Museums and Heritage Trust
- £17,500 Invest to Grow Project funds allocated to Culture (I20)
- £25,000 Reprioritising Capital funds
- £10,500 Heritage and Arts Revenue funding

**Background Papers**

**ACE Funding Agreement**



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**Capital Oversight Board Report**



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**Decision Taken**

Agreed the offer of £125,000 funding from Arts Council Small Capital Grants Scheme for the Cooper Cottage redevelopment project be accepted.

**Date of Decision: 15.11.18**

Signature:

Service Director Culture Housing and  
Regulation



Service Director Finance

Phillip Spurr

Signature:



28/11/18

Neil Copley