## **DECISION UNDER DELEGATED POWERS**

Subject	Application to enter into an agreement with Openreach to divert the apparatus at Biart Place.
Officer Requesting Decision	Project Officer
Officer Making the Decision	Deputy Chief Executive
Authority for Decision	Paragraph 2.5 (i) of Part 2B of Rugby Borough Council's (RBC) Constitution.
Recommendation	That RBC enter into the Statutory Undertakers (Openreach) agreement to allow the diversion works at Biart Place.
Alternatives considered and rejected	<ol> <li>Not to enter into the agreement (scheme cannot progress, resulting in the loss of the £6.8m funding)</li> <li>Do nothing (scheme cannot progress, resulting in the loss of the £6.8m funding)</li> </ol>
Decision	To enter into the Openreach agreement to allow the diversion works at Biart Place.
Reason	Due to the design requirements at Biart Place, the existing Openreach apparatus will be affected by the construction, meaning the previous network cabling is to be altered.
Date	23 August 2023
Background Papers	The Letter of Acceptance v_896443 and DCE_896443_Biart Place_Rugby (Openreach Specification of Alteration Works) from Openreach.
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Decision record kept until	23 August 2029
Background papers kept until	23 August 2027

Signed: .....

Dated: 23 August 2023