HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	sion Maker: Executive Member for Education and Skills	
Date:	16 September 2020	
Title:	Expansion of Osbourne School on the site of Kings' School	
Report From:	Director of Culture, Communities and Business Services	

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1. The Decision:

1.1 That the Executive Member for Education and Skills grants spend approval to the project proposals for Osborne School, Winchester at the total cost of £1,583,000.

2. Reasons for the decision:

- 2.1 Osborne School is a maintained special school for pupils with learning disabilities aged 11 to 19 with a capacity for 197 pupils. These proposals will increase the capacity by 20 places to 217 pupils through the provision of a separate satellite facility for Osborne School pupils located on the nearby Kings' School site in Winchester.
- 2.2 The project proposals provide a stand-alone facility in a new building with provision for 3 classrooms for Osborne School pupils on the Kings' School site.
- 2.3 The project was included in the Children Services Capital Programme, approved at the Executive Lead Member for Children's Services and Young People Decision Day on 10 January 2020, with a budget of £1,200,000. Additional funding is required over and above the original allocation as abnormal technical constraints including a previously undetected water main were identified during the later design stage. Additional funding of £383,000 is therefore required in order to overcome the technical constraints of the site.

2.4 A planning application was submitted 23 June 2020 and a decision is due in September 2020.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

3.1 Alternative bids were received and evaluated but were unsuccessful.

4. Conflicts of interest:

- 4.1 Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None
- 4.2 Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None
- 5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: None
- 6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: Not applicable
- 7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by:	Date:
Executive Member for Education and Skills	16 September 2020
Councillor Roz Chadd	