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## **WORCESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

## **RECORD OF MEMBER DELEGATED DECISION**

## WEST MIDLANDS RAIL LIMITED – ADOPTION OF NEW COLLABORATION AGREEMENT WITH DEPARTMENT FOR TRANSPORT

Date of Decision	7 September 2021
Decision Maker	Councillor Alan Amos, Cabinet Member with Responsibility for Highways and Transport
Brief Description of Decision	Support for the new collaboration agreement between West Midlands Rail and the Department of Transport
Reason(s) For Decision	<ul> <li>Initial collaboration adopted in 2016</li> <li>New collaboration agreement is evolution of the initial agreement designed to speed up decision making and increase influence and give West Midlands Rail Limited a more influence at Department of Transport.</li> </ul>
Alternative Options Considered And Rejected	Not entering into the agreement. This would reduce Worcestershire County Council influence with West Midlands Rail and Department of Transport and the rail services in the county.
Any Conflict of Interest declared by a consulted Cabinet Member/ any dispensation granted	n/a

Signature of Decision Maker	Aan Arnes
Date of Implementation of Decision	14 September 2021