NEATH PORT TALBOT COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

Environment and Highways Cabinet Board 24 November 2016

Report of the Head of Engineering & Transport D. W. Griffiths

Matter for Information

Wards Affected: All Wards

<u>Summary of Welsh Government Grant Approval received from</u> <u>European Regional Development Fund</u>

Purpose of Report

To inform Members of Welsh Government grant approval received for The Integrated Transport Hub scheme from ERDF West Wales and the Valleys European Regional Development Fund.

Executive Summary

To inform Members of the Welsh Government ERDF grant allocation for the Integrated Transport Hub.

Background

- On 17th August 2016, the Welsh Government announced ERDF grant approval for Port Talbot Integrated Transport Hub to the total value of £2,534,984.
- This grant is part funding for the scheme along with the WG Local Transport Fund and the Vibrant & Viable places scheme.
- The grant has been accepted by the Director of Finance and the Director of Environment, who have delegated powers for this purpose.

Financial Implications

6 The Port Talbot Integrated Transport Hub scheme is now fully funded.

Equality Impact Assessment

A Screening Assessment has been undertaken to assist the Council in discharging its Public Sector Equality Duty under the Equality Act 2010. After completing the assessment it has been determined that this proposal does not require an Equalities Impact Assessment.

Workforce Impact

The works will be delivered using the in-house engineering design and project management capabilities. There are no adverse impacts on the workforce.

Legal Impact

9 There are no legal impacts.

Risk Management

10 Risks are being managed by the site team.

Consultation Outcome

- 11 There is no requirement under the Constitution for external consultation on this item.
- 12 It should be noted that the project features in the approved Local Transport Plan 2015-2020.

Appendices

No appendices.

List of Background Papers

None

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