

Extract of Executive Board Minutes Relevant to the Employment, Learning and Skills, and Communities Policy and Performance Board

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The Board considered a report of the Strategic Director, Children and Enterprise, which advised of a tendering exercise to be undertaken for the Monastery to Museum 900 Project.

The Board was reminded that Heritage Lottery funding was approved in August 2014 for the Monastery to Museum project. It was reported that this was 82% of the estimated costs, with the remaining match funding to be raised by the Norton Priory Trust. It was anticipated that works were due to commence in March 2015 and completed by June 2016. Expressions of interest would be sought initially from suitably qualified contractors, following which an assessment would take place with a subsequent invitation to tender issued to contractors.

RESOLVED: That the Board note that a tendering exercise will be entered into via “The Chest” in order to appoint a main contractor for the Monastery to Museum 900 project which is a joint venture to rebuild Norton Priory Museum between Norton Priory Museum Trust and Halton Borough Council.