Appendix 3

Disabled Facilities Grant (DFG) Policy Action Plan 2021

| No. | Action | Responsible Area | Deadline |
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| 1. | Operational alignment of inhouse Grant Teams | Facilities | October 2021 |
| 2. | Development of the operational procedures including the discretionary panel process. | Housing and Facilities | January 2022 |
| 3. | Launch of the new policy and grant scheme including Communications Plan | Housing and Facilities | January 2022 |
| 4. | Development of a new case management system | Facilities and Service Improvement Partner | Dependent on Council Service Improvement Partner recommendations |
| 5. | Development of the online DFG offer to include web pages and online application process. | Housing and Facilities | March 2022 |
| 6. | Work with registered providers to agree commitment to social housing tenants around adaptations. | Housing and Registered Providers | July 2022 |
| 7. | Introduce register of adapted properties across the Allocations System to improve efficacy of allocation across registered provider stock. | Housing and Registered Providers | September 2022 |
| 8. | Explore options for OT roles within ASC front door in line with Adaptations without delay 2019 | Housing and Adult Social Care | March 2022 |
| 9. | Evaluation of new grant programme and explore opportunities for further development of discretionary funding options to ensure equity of access to adaptations. | Housing | March 2023 |